



## **TEXAS BOARD OF PROFESSIONAL GEOSCIENTISTS**

### **Application Review and Continuing Education Committee Meeting**

*November 16, 2023, 12:30 p.m.*  
1801 Congress Avenue, Suite 7.102  
Austin, Texas 78701

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## AGENDA

*The Application Review and Continuing Education Committee may discuss and take action regarding any of the following agenda items.*

1. Call to order, roll call of board members, and certification of quorum.
2. Approval of minutes from the August 10, 2023, committee meeting.
3. Public comment (limited to five minutes per person; more or less time may be allotted as needed at the discretion of the committee chair).
4. Licensing Report: licensing data, ASBOG exam statistics, TGE exam statistics, and CSSE exam statistics. **(TAB 1)**
5. Review of applications for exam, work experience, and education waivers/substitution received prior to the date of the committee meeting, including: **(TAB 2)**
  - A. J Gary Mitchell: Applicant for PG licensure requesting a waiver of ASBOG Examination(s).
  - B. Alberto Rodriguez-Natal: Applicant for PG licensure requesting a waiver of ASBOG Examination(s).
  - C. Edward S. Feragen: Applicant for PG licensure requesting a waiver of ASBOG Examination(s).
  - D. Richard Lang: Applicant for PG licensure requesting a waiver of ASBOG Examination(s).
  - E. Keith Baily: Applicant for PG licensure requesting a waiver of ASBOG Examination(s).
  - F. Paul Bauman: Applicant for PG licensure requesting a waiver of the Texas Geophysics Examination.
  - G. Ahmed Ismail, PhD.: Applicant for PG licensure requesting a waiver of the Texas Geophysics Examination.
6. Adoption of amendment to 22 TAC §851.22 Waivers and Substitutions: Policy, Procedures, and Criteria. **(TAB 4)**
7. Adoption of TBPG guidance policy regarding PG license multidiscipline designation. **(TAB 5)**
8. Outreach initiatives.
9. Future meetings, including dates, arrangements, and agenda items.
10. Adjournment.

The Committee may meet in closed session on any agenda item listed above as authorized by the Texas Open Meetings Act, Texas Gov. Code Chapter 551. If you require auxiliary aids, services or material in an alternate format please contact the Texas Board of Professional Geoscientists at least five working days prior to the meeting date. Listed below is helpful information if assistance is needed. Phone: (512) 936-4408, email: [licensing@tbpg.texas.gov](mailto:licensing@tbpg.texas.gov), TDD/RELAY TEXAS: 1-800-relay-VV (for voice), 1-800-relay-TX (for TDD).