

**GEORGIA STATE BOARD OF REGISTRATION
FOR PROFESSIONAL GEOLOGISTS
Board Meeting: July 10, 2008
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A meeting of the Georgia State Board of Registration for Professional Geologists was held on Thursday, July 10, 2008, at the Office of the Division Director, Professional Licensing Boards Division, 237 Coliseum Drive, Macon, Georgia.

The following Board members were present:

William E. Riley, Vice Chairman and Geologist
William Calvin Hayes, Consumer Member
James W. Furlow, Geologist
Jerry M. German, Geologist
Benjamin S. Persons, Geologist

Others present:

Deborah Beard, Executive Director
Sandra Mays, Applications Specialist
Marie Urquhart, Board Secretary
Janet Jackson, Assistant Attorney General

Vice Chairman Riley established a quorum was present at 9:31 a.m. and called the meeting to order.

Mr. Hayes made a motion to approve the minutes of the March 13, 2008 Board meeting. Mr. Furlow seconded the motion. The motion carried unanimously.

Mr. Furlow made a motion to enter into **Executive Session** in accordance with O.C.G.A.43-1-2(k) and 43-1-19(h) to deliberate on applications and investigative matters and to receive an investigative report. Mr. Persons seconded the motion. Voting in favor of the motion were those members present who included Board Members Furlow, German, Hayes, Persons, and Riley. The Board concluded **Executive Session** in order to vote on these matters and to continue with the public session.

Applications:

Ms. Mays presented Geology applications for Board review. Mr. Persons made a motion to **approve** applications as presented for licensure. Mr. Furlow seconded the motion. The motion carried unanimously.

License Number	Name	License Date	License Method
PG001941	David R. Kerschner	07/10/2008	Reciprocity – PA
PG001942	Albert Ray Frommel	07/10/2008	Reciprocity – SC
PG001943	Mary Gary Bagel	07/10/2008	Reciprocity – FL
PG001944	Matthew Otte Holbrook	07/10/2008	Reciprocity – FL
PG001945	Jeffrey Scott Richardson	07/10/2008	Reciprocity – AL
PG001946	William Keith Madison	07/10/2008	Reciprocity – AL
PG001947	Farley Dean Salisbury	07/10/2008	Reciprocity – SC

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The following applicant was **approved** for licensure by Reciprocity pending receipt of additional information:

Applicant #1151172

The following applicants were **approved** to take Part I of the ASBOG® Examination:

Jason Meadows
Christopher Scott Miller
Thomas B. Hanley
Eugene Turner Sanders, Jr.
Dustin Gene Brooks
John David Ariail, Jr.
Marie Ann Maher
Warren Schluter
Dan Ryan McCloy
Amanda Joanne Tweedell
Matthew N. Knight
Jefferson Brighton Chaumba

The following applicants were **approved** to take Part I and Part II of the ASBOG® Examination:

Nicholas B. Jokay
Dawit Desalegn Yifru
Robin John McDowell
Matthew Ryan Howe
Matthew Henry McDuffie

The following applicants were **approved** to take Update Part II of the ASBOG® Examination:

Terefe Berhanu Mazengia
Roxie Jessica Turner
Daniel McMahan Hunter
David B. Bradley
Richard Barry Lawhorn
Kenneth Jay Hornsby
Jennifer Leigh Pardy
Christopher Miles O'Brien

The following applicants were **disapproved** for licensure by Reciprocity:

Applicant No. 1138144
Applicant No. 1133438
Applicant No. 1134424
Applicant No. 1150951

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Written Correspondence:

James A. Lawrence: After reviewing correspondence requesting transmission of application records to another state board, Mr. Furlow **approved** the request for transmission within specified parameters. Mr. Hayes seconded the motion. The motion carried unanimously.

The following staff members presented reports to the Board:

The Board Attorney provided a written status report on cases referred for action.

The Executive Director reported on the following items:

- Number of Licensees
- Revised “Unofficial” Copy of Law Revision

Policy:

Mr. Furlow made a motion to **approve** the following policy. Mr. Hayes seconded the motion. The motion carried unanimously.

It is the policy of the Georgia State Board of Registration for Professional Geologists to accept all Voluntary Cease and Desist Orders upon receipt in the Board office and authorize the president/chairperson or his or her designee to execute the Order and to authorize the Orders to be docketed and served. It is the intent of the Board that the Orders will be in effect upon docketing. The Georgia State Board of Registration for Professional Geologists will ratify the docketed Cease and Desist Orders at its next meeting after the date of docketing and include a list of the approved orders in the Board minutes.

ASBOG®:

Thomas Crawford: The Board reviewed correspondence related to the ASBOG® “Call for Nominations of Candidate as Secretary”. Mr. Crawford declined the nomination and expressed appreciation for being selected as a possible candidate.

Mr. Hayes made a motion to select Jerry German as a Delegate to the 2008 Annual Meeting being held later this year, and also to select Benjamin Persons to attend the Council of Examiners (COE) at the same meeting. Mr. Furlow seconded the motion. The motion carried unanimously.

Correspondence, Inquiries and Information Items:

The Board reviewed other correspondence and information that did not require a vote or action.

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Other Business:

There was no further business and the meeting was adjourned at 11:00 a.m.

Recorded by Board Secretary

Reviewed by Executive Director

Chairman

These minutes were signed on _____

These minutes were approved on _____