

**GEORGIA STATE BOARD OF REGISTRATION
FOR PROFESSIONAL GEOLOGISTS
Board Meeting: March 12, 2009**

A meeting of the Georgia State Board of Registration for Professional Geologists was held on Thursday, March 12, 2009, 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, Chairman and Geologist
Jerry M. German, Vice-Chairman Geologist
William Calvin Hayes, Consumer Member
James W. Furlow, Geologist
James L. Kennedy III, Ex- Officio Member
Benjamin S. Persons, Geologist

Others present:

Darren Mickler, Executive Director
Sandra Mays, Licensing Analyst
Charlotte Mason, Board Support Specialist
Janet Jackson, Assistant Attorney General via teleconference

Chairman William E. Riley, established a quorum was present at 9:34 a.m. and called the meeting to order.

Mr. Furlow made a motion to **approve** the minutes of the January 08, 2009 Board meeting as corrected. Mr. Persons seconded the motion. The motion carried unanimously.

Mr. Hayes 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. Kennedy seconded the motion. Voting in favor of the motion were those members present who included Board Members Furlow, German, Hayes, Kennedy, Persons, and Riley. The Board concluded **Executive Session** in order to vote on these matters and to continue with the public session.

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Applications:

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

The Board approved the following applicants for licensure by reciprocity:

Joseph G Jahnke	PG001974
Tristram E Madden	PG001975
Christopher Reynolds	PG001976
Griffin L Gatschet	PG001977

Based on extensive work experience, the Board granted an exception and approved licensure by reciprocity for the following applicant:

Fred Eric Bickford	PG001973
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Examination

The following applicants were approved to take PART I (Fundamentals of Geology) and Part II (Practice of Geology) of the ASBOG® National Examination as College Seniors:

Paul Warren Barnett

The following applicants were approved to take PART I (Fundamentals of Geology) of the ASBOG® National Examination as College Seniors:

Casey D Williams

The Board approved the following applicants for reinstatement:

Katie Tyrrell Ross	PG001776
James N Mosely III	PG001184

The following staff members presented reports to the Board:

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

Mr. Mickler reported on the following items:

- Outsourcing of the Examination.
- Viewing applications via Intranet.

ASBOG:

Mr. Furlow made a motion to select Ben Persons as the certified delegate for the ASBOG Foundation.

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Correspondence, Inquiries and Information Items:

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

Other Business:

There was no further business, at 10:19 a.m., Mr. Persons moved to adjourn. Mr. Furlow seconded. The motion carried unanimously.

Recorded by Board Secretary

Reviewed by Executive Director

Chairman

These minutes were signed on _____

These minutes were approved on _____