

**GEORGIA STATE BOARD OF REGISTRATION  
FOR PROFESSIONAL GEOLOGISTS  
Board Meeting: February 5, 2014**

A meeting of the Georgia State Board of Registration for Professional Geologists was held on **Wednesday, February 5, 2014** via teleconference at the office of Professional Licensing Boards Division, 237 Coliseum Drive, Macon, Georgia.

**The following Board members were present:**

Lillian J. Furlow, PG, Chairman  
Dr. Randy Kath, PG, Vice Chairman  
William E. Riley, PG  
Benjamin S. Persons, PG

**Board Members Absent:**

William Calvin Hayes, Consumer Member  
Dr. James L. Kennedy III, PG, Ex- Officio Member

**Others present:**

Steve Lindsey, Executive Director (Trades 3)  
Swan LeGrand-Fleming, Licensing Analyst  
Tonya Richardson, Board Support Specialist  
Janet Jackson, Assistant Attorney General

Chairman Furlow established a quorum was present at 9:33 a.m. and called the meeting to order.

Mr. Persons made a motion to approve the Open Session minutes of December 4, 2013 Board meeting with corrections suggested by Ms. Jackson. Dr. Kath seconded the motion. The motion carried unanimously.

**Executive Session:**

Mr. Riley made a motion to enter into Executive Session at 9:37 a.m. 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 Chairman Furlow, Mr. Persons, Dr. Kath, and Mr. Riley.

The Executive Session of the Georgia State Board of Registration for Professional Geologists meeting was closed at 10:22 a.m. and Chairman Furlow declared the Georgia State Board of Registration for Professional Geologists to be “open” pursuant to the Open Meetings Act, O.C.G.A. §§ 50-14-1 et seq. No votes were taken in Executive Session.

Mr. Persons made a motion to approve the Executive Session minutes of the December 4, 2013 Board meeting with corrections suggested by Ms. Jackson. Mr. Kath seconded the motion. The motion carried unanimously.

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**Applications:**

The Board reviewed the list of applicants that have been previously reviewed and approved for licensure from December 4, 2013 – February 4, 2014. A motion was made by Mr. Furlow, seconded by Dr. Kath, and the Board voted unanimously to ratify the list as presented.

Ms. LeGrand-Fleming presented Geology applications for Board review. Mr. Persons made a motion to approve applications as presented for licensure. Ms. Furlow seconded. The motion carried unanimously.

The Board approved the following applicant(s) for licensure by reciprocity:

- Applicant # 2318209                      Gregory Thomas Kinsman      Virginia
- Applicant # 2294165                      Mark Novokowsky                  Florida

**Examination**

The following applicant was approved to take PART I (Fundamentals of Geology) of the ASBOG® National Examination:

- Applicant # 2318199

The Board tabled the following applicant's request for the update PART II of the ASBOG® National Examination.

- Applicant #1764370

**Reinstatements**

Mr. Persons made a motion to approve the following applicants for reinstatement with fee. Ms. Furlow seconded this motion. The motion carried unanimously.

- Applicant # 2317447

**Executive Director's Report:**

No report.

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**Other Business:**

The Board discussed revisions to the Geology Application for Registration. After discussion, Dr. Kath made a motion to revise Page 8, Question 4 of the Employment Verification form to remove "If Supervisor Registered". Dr. Kath made a motion to accept. Mr. Persons seconded. The vote carried unanimously.

The Board discussed the request of the memorandum for the adoption of Rule 265-4.06 from Darren Mickler.

Ms. LeGrand-Fleming informed the Board that ASBOG® will administer the Geology exam here at the Macon testing center on March 7, 2014.

**Adjournment:**

There being no further business, at 10:43 a.m., Mr. Persons moved to adjourn. Dr. Kath seconded. The motion carried unanimously.

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Recorded by Board Secretary

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Reviewed by Executive Director

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Chairman

Date Approve:\_\_\_\_\_