LOUISIANA BOARD OF PROFESSIONAL GEOSCIENTISTS 9643 Brookline Ave., Baton Rouge, LA 70809



REGULAR MEETING OF LBOPG Tuesday, March 12, 2019, 1:00 p.m. Louisiana Engineering Society Conference Room 9643 Brookline Ave. Baton Rouge, Louisiana 70809

AGENDA

- 1. Call to Order
- 2. Roll Call
- 3. Public Comments
- 4. Approval of minutes of the regular meeting held on January 8, 2019
- 5. Treasurer's Report
- 6. Reports from Standing Committees Activities and Goals:
 - a. Application Review (Stiegler, Chair) Application recommendations
 - b. License Examination (Williamson, Chair) Comments on upcoming March 15, 2019, examination
 - c. Complaint Review (Perry, Chair) Update on publication of licensed PG stamp practice rules; update on license audits and PDHs
 - d. Office Banking update; office operations update; Internet service situation resolved; latest issue of newsletter released
- 8. Legal counsel's comments
- 9. Other business

Question from ASBOG: "The Minnesota Board of Architecture, Engineering, Land Surveying, Landscape Architecture, Geoscience, and Interior Design (AELSLAGID) has been receiving increasing numbers of applicants for geologic licensure with non-US degrees. The AELSLAGID is interested in hearing how other state Boards are handling these types of applicants, in particular how do Boards determine whether a foreign degree is equivalent to a US degree." This issue has also arisen here in Louisiana. How are these transcripts evaluated? What should staff ask applicants to do when degrees were earned at a non-U.S. institution?

- 10. New business
 - a. Report on recent FARB conference (Schramm)
 - b. Government employees and licensing (Schramm)
- Next regular meeting date, time, and location (Tuesday, May 14, 2019, at 1 pm, Conference Room, 9643 Brookline Avenue, Baton Rouge, Louisiana)
- 12. Adjourn