

February 16, 1999 Minutes

Indiana Board of Licensure for Professional Geologists
Meeting Minutes
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The meeting convened at 1:04 p.m., February 16, 1999, in Conference Room 6, Indiana State Government Center, 402 West Washington Street, Indianapolis, Indiana.

Members present:

Eric Fry
J. Richard Harris
Harlan H. Roepke
Christopher M. Scott

Member absent:

John Seinmetz absent due to illness.

Others Present:

John R. Hill
Amanda Wilson

Visitors:

Cheryl Frischkorn
Kevin Miller
Robert B. West

Minutes of the 15 December 1998 meeting of the board were approved.

John R. Hill was elected to act as Chair pro tem.

The agenda distributed by John Hill was adopted.

John Hill announced that the ASBOG® test was scheduled for March 19 but no applications had been received as yet.

Open Session:

The visitors each questioned the reasons why they had been denied licensure by previous board actions. In each case there had been confusion about the requirements as published and distributed in 1998. It was determined that by standards cited in the legislative act that established this board, all three were not eligible. In light of the confusion, each was to be reimbursed his/her \$70 application fee.

Executive Session:

To discuss the applications submitted before the Dec 31, 1998 deadline.

Old business:

Six applications previously reviewed were evaluated again. One of these was approved, two were still short of essential information, and three were denied due to insufficient work experience.

New business:

Sixty one were approved (13 of which were approved pending receipt of letters of recommendation) and 5 denied. Letters are to be sent to applicants informing them of our decisions.

The next meeting of the board will be at the call of the Board Chairman.

The agenda for the next meeting will be distributed by Board Chairman John Steinmetz.

The meeting adjourned at 4 p.m.

Submitted by Harlan H. Roepke, Board Secretary, March 18, 1999.

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