## **BOARD FOR GEOLOGY**

## MINUTES

The Board for Geology met on July 9, 2008 at the Department of Professional and Occupational Regulation (DPOR), Perimeter Center, 9960 Mayland Drive, Richmond, Virginia. J. Meade R. Anderson, Chairperson, called the meeting to order at 9:05 a.m. The following members were present:

> J. Meade R. Anderson, Chairperson William S. Hastings, Jr., Vice Chair Joseph B. Vance Edward E. Erb Robin Reed Katherine S. White

Present for either all or a portion of the meeting from the Department of Professional and Occupational Regulation were:

> Jay DeBoer, Director Mark Courtney, Deputy Director for LRD David Dick, Executive Director David Dehetre, Office Manager Anna Badgley, Administrative Assistant

Ms. White moved that the Board approve the agenda as prepared by staff. Approval of Agenda Mr. Hastings seconded the motion, which was unanimously approved by the following members: Hastings, White, Erb, Anderson, Vance and Reed.

Ms. White moved that the Board approve the minutes of its April 23, 2008 Approval of Minutes Ms. Reed seconded the motion, which was unanimously approved by the following members: White, Erb, Reed, Anderson, Vance and Hastings.

Chairperson Anderson opened the floor for public comment. No members Public Comment of the public were present.

Applications were reviewed.

**Review of Applications** 

Mr. Erb moved that the Board approve the following applications:

Approved for Examination:

1. Joseph Anthony Meiburger, III

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## Approved for Waiver of Examination:

- 1. Paul Rydel
- 2. Carrie Nicole Blankenship

Ms. Reed seconded the motion which was unanimously approved by the following members: White, Hastings, Reed, Anderson, Vance and Erb.

Wall Certificates were signed.

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David Dick briefed the Board on the new Model Public Participation Other Business Guidelines being finalized by the Department of Panning and Budget, which are likely to be ready for consideration and adoption by the Board's next meeting.

Mr. Anderson reported that CPG's who have not renewed their certification are claiming to be a CPG. David Dick asked Mr. Anderson to send him more information regarding those individuals. Staff will send letters to those individuals to bring them into compliance.

The next ASBOG meeting will be held in Illinois. The three certified Geologists will check their schedules and decide who can attend. The dates for the meeting are November 6 – 8, 2008 in St. Charles, IL.

The Board discussed the draft of the 2008 newsletter and made recommendations. The newsletter will be finalized at the October 15, 2008 meeting.

Earth Science Positions – Mr. Hastings Carbon Sequestration – Mr. Vance Uranium Deposit in VA – Mr. Vance Name change and award information on Dept. of Mines, Minerals & Energy - Mr.Erb

The following board meetings have been scheduled:

**Future Meeting Dates** 

- October 15, 2008
- January 7, 2009
- April 8, 2009
- July 8, 2009
- October 14, 2009

The Board members were reminded to complete their conflict of interest Conflict of Interest and forms and travel vouchers.

Travel Voucher Forms

Chairperson Anderson, finding no further business to conduct, adjourned Adjournment the meeting at 11:00 AM.

J. Meade R. Anderson, Chairperson

Jay W. DeBeer, Secretary