

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY
BOARD OF PROFESSIONAL GEOLOGISTS

I. General Information

Meeting Type: General Business Meeting
Meeting Date: October 22 & 23, 2008
Meeting Location: Department of Business and Professional Regulation
(DBPR) Board Room
1940 North Monroe Street
Tallahassee, Florida 32399

Attendees:

James Funderburk, Chair
Matthew Cain, Vice Chair
Donald F. McNeill
Tom Scott
Stuart W. Smith
James Harmon
Robert Poppell

Members Absent

James W. Pease (excused)

Others Present

Maureen Olson, Deputy Secretary, DBPR
Richard Morrison, Executive Director, DBPR
Stacey Merchant, Government Analyst, DBPR
Eric Hurst, Assistant General Counsel, DBPR
Barbara Edwards, Board Counsel

II. Major Issues/Actions

- The board reviewed four applications by endorsement and three by examination. All seven were approved.
- Deputy Secretary Olson was introduced to the board. She thanked the board for their service and participated in the discussion on electronic signing and sealing of geological documents.
- The board discussed the draft proposal to Rule 61G16-2.005 F.A.C., regarding updates to electronic signing and sealing of geological documents. Board Council will provide draft language for board approval at the January 2009, board meeting.

III. Legislation/Rule Promulgation

- NONE

IV. Action Required

Richard Morrison
Executive Director
October, 2007