Tennessee

Registration Status:

Effective Date: January 1, 2008
Exemptions: Teachers/researchers, subordinates, geological services for employers only and not for the general public.
ASBOG® Membership: Member Board

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Board Composition:

Seven (7) members - in making appointments to the committee, the commissioner shall strive to ensure that the committee includes at least one female, at least one member of a racial minority, and at least one person who is at least sixty years of age. The commissioner may also strive to ensure that the geologist members are from each of the following professional groupings: environmental, mineral and fuel exploration and development, geologic hazards, and geologic research.

Requirements:

Education: Must be a graduate of an accredited college or university. The applicant shall have successfully completed a minimum of 30 semester or 45 quarter hours of course work in geology, geophysics, geochemistry, engineering geology or their subdivisions.
Experience: Must have at least 5 years of geological education and professional experience.
Examination: October 2009
Continuing Education: Still pending
Grandfathering: Geologists who hold an active certificate under the Geologist Registration Act of 1988 (and 1992 amendments) prior to January 1, 2008

Cooperative Licensure - (Comity/Reciprocity): Yes
Registrant Count: PGs: 1,578
GITs: 0
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