



# Minutes

## Consulting Engineer Designation Committee

Meeting: May 25, 2023, Thursday

Present: Dalila Giusti, P.Eng.  
Santosh Gupta, P.Eng.  
Andrew Lawton, P.Eng.  
Rick Patterson, P.Eng.  
Adrian Pierorazio, P.Eng. – Chair  
Don Plenderleith, P.Eng.  
Michael Rosenblitt, P.Eng.  
Steve van der Woerd, P.Eng.  
Matt Weaver, P.Eng. – Vice Chair

Regrets: Gord Debbert, P.Eng.

Staff: Jose Vera, P.Eng.  
Ian Daniels, P.Eng.  
Imelda Suarez

### Call to Order

The meeting was called to order by the Chair at 10:10 am.

1. Agenda

Approved by consensus.

2. Minutes

Santosh Gupta moved to adopt the minutes of the February 23, 2023 meeting; seconded by Dalila Giusti.

CARRIED

3. Regional Sub-Committee Reports – Designation/Redesignation

3.1 Western Region

Rick Patterson moved that applicants 1.1 to 1.4 from the Western Subcommittee report be recommended for **designation**; seconded by Santosh Gupta.

CARRIED

Rick Patterson moved that applicants 2.1 to 2.7 from the Western Subcommittee report be recommended for **redesignation**; seconded by Santosh Gupta.

CARRIED

3.2 Eastern Region

Andrew Lawton moved that applicants 1.1 to 1.2 from the Eastern Subcommittee report be recommended for **designation**; seconded by Rick Patterson.

CARRIED

Andrew Lawton moved that applicant 1.3 from the Eastern Subcommittee report, Geoffrey Hempel, be **declined** because he does not currently meet the requirement for designation with respect to being “primarily engaged” as captured in Section 60(a)(b) under Regulation 941 and as outlined in the interpretive guideline; seconded by Rick Patterson.

CARRIED

Andrew Lawton moved that applicants 2.1 to 2.3 from the Eastern Subcommittee report be recommended for **redesignation**; seconded by Steve van der Woerd.

CARRIED

3.3 Toronto

Michael Rosenblitt moved that applicants 1.2 to 1.4 from the Toronto Subcommittee report be recommended for **designation**; seconded by Dalila Giusti.

CARRIED

Michael Rosenblitt moved that applicants 2.1 to 2.23 from the Toronto Subcommittee report be recommended for **redesignation**; seconded by Rick Patterson.

CARRIED

Michael Rosenblitt moved that applicant 4.1 from the Toronto Subcommittee report, Renata Cynarska, be **declined** because she does not currently meet the requirement for redesignation with respect to being “primarily engaged” as captured in Section 60(a)(b) under Regulation 941 and as outlined in the interpretive guideline; seconded by Andrew Lawton. CARRIED

Michael Rosenblitt moved that applicant 5.1 from the Toronto Subcommittee Report, Nicholas Sylvestre-Williams, be approved for **redesignation**; seconded by Dalila Giusti. CARRIED

Applicants 1.1, Maryam Afshin, and 3.1, Ajwad Gebara, from the Toronto Subcommittee Report be **deferred** for further review and additional information, respectively.

#### 3.4 Southern Region

Steve van der Woerd moved that applicant 1.1 from the Southern Subcommittee report be recommended for **designation**; seconded by Andrew Lawton. CARRIED

Steve van der Woerd moved that applicants 2.1 to 2.2 from the Southern Subcommittee report be recommended for **redesignation**; seconded by Rick Patterson. CARRIED

#### 3.5 Northern Region

There were no applicants for designation or redesignation.

#### 4. Permission to Use the Title “Consulting Engineers”

Rick Patterson moved that applicants 1.1 to 1.4 be **approved** for the Permission to Use the Title “Consulting Engineers”; seconded by Michael Rosenblitt. CARRIED

5. Activity Reports

Jose Vera reported the following:

- PEO has already begun implementing the competency-based assessment (CBA) methodology and is using the International Institutions and Degrees Database (IIDD) for academic equivalency assessment.
- The “Am I Ready to Apply?” tool has been launched.
- The automated online application process for P.Eng. begins on July 1.

Adjournment

The meeting adjourned at 11:00 am.

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