



ENGINEERS &
GEOSCIENTISTS
BRITISH COLUMBIA

TERMS OF REFERENCE ENGINEERS AND GEOSCIENTISTS IN THE RESOURCE SECTOR DIVISION

Preamble:

This Engineers and Geoscientists in the Resource Sector Division terms of reference outlines the purpose, objectives and member classification of the Division. This Engineers and Geoscientists in the Resource Sector Division is required to adhere to all terms as indicated in the Division General Terms of Reference, which applies to all Engineers and Geoscientists BC Divisions.

Name:

The full name of the Division will be “Engineers and Geoscientists in the Resource Sector Division” (herein referred to as the ‘Division’).

Purpose:

Advance all aspects of Engineering and Geoscience in the resource sector.

Objective:

The objectives of the Division are to:

- a) Promote education, professional development and high standards of practice for Engineering and Geoscience related to resource development activities;
- b) Identify practice issues and public interest issues pertaining to professional engineers and professional geoscientists working in the resource sector and work with the Engineers and Geoscientists BC Professional Practice Committee to develop strategies and/or standards of practice to address them;
- c) Create a forum for dialogue and build relationships with other professionals working in the resource sector;
- d) Increase public awareness of the role of professional engineers and professional geoscientists in resource development. Division executives will seek direction from Engineers and Geoscientists BC regarding outreach activities;
- e) Present considered opinions and recommendations to the Engineers and Geoscientists BC Professional Practice Committee and/ or Council;
- f) Exchange and disseminate information among Division members;

- g) Examine, review and develop responses to proposed legislative, regulatory or practice guidelines changes as requested by the Professional Practice Committee and/or Council.

Division Membership Classification:

The Division membership is classified as listed below.

- a. A Division Member shall be a person who:
 - i. is a registered Member or Licensee of the Association, in good standing with the Association;
 - ii. pays an annual Division Member fee
- b. A Division Associate Member shall be a person who:
 - i. is an Engineer-in-Training or Geoscientist-in-Training, an engineering or geoscience student, a registered Engineers and Geoscientists BC applicant or a Provisional Member enrolled in the Association; and
 - ii. pays an annual Division Associate Member fee
- c. A Division Affiliate Member shall be a person who:
 - i. is a member of another professional association outside of Engineers and Geoscientists BC;
 - ii. pays an annual Division Affiliate Member fee
 - iii. is not eligible to vote on matters related to the Division
 - iv. is not eligible to hold office as a Division Executive

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