



APEGGA

The Association of
Professional Engineers, Geologists
and Geophysicists of Alberta

Dear Applicant,

We have enclosed the application you requested for the Registered Professional Technologist (Geological) [R.P.T. (Geol)] or Registered Professional Technologist (Geophysical) [R.P.T. (Geoph)] designation. Please be sure to follow the directions provided in the package.

The R.P.T. (Geol) and R.P.T. (Geoph) designations are awarded by The Association of Professional Engineers, Geologists and Geophysicists of Alberta (APEGGA), and will entitle those with the designation to independently practice geology or geophysics in Alberta within a defined scope of practice. As an applicant for this designation, you are required to define the scope of practice for which you are requesting registration.

It is important that your defined scope accurately describes your professional level experience and falls within the scope of geology if you are applying for R.P.T. (Geol) and within the scope of geophysics if you are applying for R.P.T. (Geoph). APEGGA will ask your references to provide information that will confirm you are capable of performing in an independent manner within your defined scope. You may therefore wish to consult with your references regarding what your defined scope of practice should include. Please refer to the enclosed Samples of Approved Defined Scopes of Practice sheet for examples of defined scopes that APEGGA has approved to date.

A flow chart for the application review process is also enclosed. You will note that due to the number of reviews entailed in the process, the time required to reach a decision could be quite lengthy. You will be notified by the Registered Professional Technologist (Geological and Geophysical) Committee of the results of the Committee decision. If this decision is positive, your application will be forwarded to the APEGGA Board of Examiners. It is the Board of Examiners that has final authority to determine whether you meet the requirements for registration and to specify the defined scope of practice under which you become registered.

All successful applicants will be required to successfully complete APEGGA's Professional Practice Examination.

If you have any questions, please contact our office.

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