

## MEMORANDUM

**TO: All PEGNL Permit Holders**

**FROM: Steve McLean, P.Eng.  
CEO and Registrar**

**DATE: November 2, 2009**

**SUBJECT: Permit Holders Professional Liability Insurance**

---

Further to my memorandum of June 15, 2009 I am writing to provide details of the new mandatory requirement for PEGNL Permit Holders to carry professional liability insurance.

The Engineers and Geoscientists Act 2008, section 12. (3) mandates that a Permit Holder provide proof to PEGNL that he or she has obtained professional liability insurance in a form and amount satisfactory to the PEGNL Board of Directors. Therefore in order to renew a permit for 2010 or to receive a new permit, a permit holder **must** provide a certificate of insurance together with his/her application.

PEGNL By-Law #2 details the Board's requirements for the content of the proof of professional liability insurance; however, in summary the insurance certificate must include:

- The amount of insurance coverage.  
[The minimum required coverage is \$250,000 per claim and \$500,000 in the aggregate.]
- The term of the insurance policy.
- A statement from the insurer confirming that the PEGNL Registrar will be notified by the insurer should the insurance policy expire or be cancelled.

By-Law #2 can be reviewed on the PEGNL website at [www.pegnl.ca](http://www.pegnl.ca)

Should you have any questions concerning the By-Law or the requirements professional liability insurance please contact me or Louise Pinsent Parsons, Deputy Registrar.

Steve McLean