



HONORARY MEMBERSHIP TERMS OF REFERENCE

Purpose

PEGNL Board of Directors may confer Honorary Membership in the PEGNL upon any person who, through his/her own initiative and leadership, has rendered eminent service allied with the profession resulting in the betterment of mankind through the development of new material, equipment, techniques, philosophy or management related to engineering or geoscience.

Honorary Members are exempt from payment of fees, but Honorary Membership shall not per se confer the right to vote, to practice as, or to be called a Professional Engineer or Professional Geoscientist.

Eligibility Criteria

The nominee must meet one or more of the following requirements:

- In the opinion of Board of Directors has uniquely distinguished himself/herself.
- Have carried out major achievements.
- Be eminent in the field of engineering or geoscience or outside of these fields.
- Have manifestly supported or promoted the profession of engineering or geoscience.
- Has neither been nor is a member of PEGNL, or is not eligible for Life Membership in PEGNL.

Nomination Procedures

The Awards Committee will set the closing date for receipt of nominations each year and the Chief Executive Officer will forward the call for nominations to the members. The closing date will normally be on or before February 28th.

- All nominations should normally be supported and submitted to the Awards Committee by a PEGNL member; however, the Awards Committee may also select nominees independently.
- Each nomination shall be accompanied by a description of the work and achievements of the nominee for the award, together with supporting evidence for committee consideration.

Selection Criteria

Consideration is given to continued leadership in the professions and in the community, to outstanding achievements, and to recognition obtained.

Nominees will be considered for achievement and undertakings as follows:

- Recipients are selected by the Awards Committee for recommendation to the Board of Directors.
- The Awards Committee has the authority to determine whether or not a nomination is to be advanced to the Board of Directors after reviewing all applications for the award.
- At the discretion of the Awards Committee, a maximum of two nominations may be brought forward for consideration per year.

Announcement

Recipients will be notified by telephone and in writing.

Honourary Membership is presented by PEGNL during its annual conference and general meeting.

Award recipients should agree to standard publicity notification.

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