## STATEMENT OF UNDERSTANDING FOR COMITY BETWEEN THE ALABAMA BOARD OF LICENSURE FOR PROFESSIONAL GEOLOGISTS AND THE MISSISSIPPI STATE BOARD OF REGISTERED PROFESSIONAL GEOLOGISTS

The Alabama Board of Licensure for Professional Geologists and the Mississippi State Board of Registered Professional Geologists hereby enter into an agreement of common understanding concerning licensure and registration of Licensed or Registered Professional Geologists by comity in their respective state, subject to the provisions and conditions listed below:

Comity - (defined as courtesy, civility between legal entities of two states for the laws and judicial decisions of another.)

- 1. All applicants for comity will be accepted by either Board if the applicant is duly licensed or registered in the other state.
- 2. Each applicant must obtain certification of their license or registration from the state Board where they currently have a license and have that state Board forward a copy of all transcripts and references to the state Board where licensure is being sought.
- 3. Written examinations administered by either Board shall be accepted by the other in considering the applicant's application for registration by comity, if both Boards agree that the other's examination or examinations are mutually acceptable. If both Boards use the ASBOG national examinations, the results will be accepted by both Boards without further review.
- 4. Each Board will inform the other Board of any disciplinary action taken against any licensed or registered geologist in that State.

Signed:

Charles T. Swann, President Mississippi State Board of

Registered Professional Geologists

Signed:

Thornton L. Neathery, Chairman

Alabama Board of Licensure for

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