

SPONSOR'S STATEMENT

Any non-AIPG Sponsor must be a professional geologist. For the purposes of this application, a professional geologist sponsor is defined as one who has a baccalaureate degree or higher with 30 semester hours (or equivalent) in geological sciences and 5 years of post-degree experience in the practice of geology as a vocation.

Applicant information received by AIPG will be considered confidential. Application materials will be divulged only to those directly involved in review of that particular application.

To the Sponsor:

_____ (applicant's name) has filed an application with the American Institute of Professional Geologists for Membership in AIPG or Certification as a Certified Professional Geologist and has named you as a Sponsor. Membership and Certification depend, among other considerations, upon an evaluation of the applicant's professional and ethical reputation. Please assist us by supplying the information requested below, based upon your own personal, first-hand knowledge of the applicant. Thank you.

Sponsor's name	
Sponsor's current employer	
Sponsor's current job and/or professional title	
Sponsor's business address	
Sponsor's office phone number	
Nature of current business	

1. How long have you known the applicant? _____

2. Past Relationships: _____

3. Present Relationship: _____

4. Do you have knowledge of the professional and ethical reputation of the applicant in his/her professional and business community? Yes No

5. What is his/her reputation?

6. Do you personally agree with that reputation? Yes No (please explain)

7. Have you had business or other professional dealings with the applicant? Yes No
 Remarks:

8. If your answer to 7 is No, would you willingly have future dealings? Yes No
 Remarks:

9. Are you aware of any business or professional activities by the applicant that you would consider to be questionable or unethical? Yes No

Remarks:

10. State to the best of your knowledge whether the applicant is honest and trustworthy.

11. Do you have any reservations about the applicant's professional and ethical standards? Yes No

Remarks:

12. Are you willing to provide further information to AIPG if requested? Yes No

Remarks:

13. Any additional comments you wish to make:

- I certify that I am a Member of the American Institute of Professional Geologists.
AIPG Member number _____
- I am licensed or certified to practice geology as follows:
Licensing Certifying organization(s) _____
License/certification number(s) _____
- I am a professional geologist, as defined on the front of this form.

Signature

Date

The person completing this form must return the completed form directly to:

**American Institute of Professional Geologists
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Thornton, CO 80241-3134**