

820-010-0206

Applications for Registration as a Professional Land Surveyors (PLS) Based on Examination by Another Jurisdiction or by NCEES (1st Registration)

(1) Applicants who are not registered in another jurisdiction but who meet all the requirements for registration in Oregon may be considered for registration if the application is submitted within two years following passing the practical examination as a professional land surveyor in another jurisdiction or by NCEES. This includes, for example, applicants who have passed the FLS and PLS examinations in another jurisdiction or by NCEES, but who are not registered in a jurisdiction. This rule does not apply to applicants who are not currently registered due to expired, delinquent, or otherwise invalid certificates of registration.

(2) Application must include:

(a) Experience Details form including active practice in land surveying;

(b) Five references that meet the requirements of the OAR 820-010-0255, three of whom hold registration in a NCEES jurisdiction;

(A) Qualifying experience accrued by the applicant must be accompanied by a reference that supervised the work product as meeting the definition of land surveying as defined in the OAR 820-010-0010.

(B) References must be submitted on the Board approved Reference Details form.

(C) The Board may, for good cause upon written application, reduce the number of references required.

(c) Official transcripts or evaluation of degree credentials for those degrees not from an ABET accredited program.

(d) Official verification of successful completion of the **NCEES** Fundamentals of Land Surveying examination and the NCEES Principles and Practice of Land Surveying examination.

(3) Before receiving a certificate of registration to practice professional land surveying in Oregon, each applicant must successfully pass a state specific examination covering Oregon law relating to land surveying.

(4) Before receiving a certificate of registration to practice professional land surveying in Oregon, each applicant must pass a take-home examination on the laws and rules in Oregon.

(5) Application must be accompanied by the \$375.00 fee.

Stat. Auth.: ORS 670.310, 672.095, 672.157, & 672.255

Stats. Implemented: ORS 672.002 - 672.325

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