

NOTICE OF VACANCY

BOARD OF REGISTRATION OF HAZARDOUS WASTE SITE CLEANUP PROFESSIONALS

The Board of Registration of Hazardous Waste Site Cleanup Professionals oversees hazardous waste site cleanup professionals, ("LSPs"), individuals who, by reason of appropriate education, training, and experience, are qualified, as attested by being licensed by the Board, to render waste site cleanup activity opinions that can be relied on as sufficient to protect public health, safety, welfare, and the environment. See General Laws chapter 21A, § 19.

The LSP Board is comprised of eleven members. The Commissioner of the Department of Environmental Protection ("MassDEP") or his designee serves as chairperson. The remaining ten members are appointed by the Governor pursuant to General Laws chapter 21A, § 19A. Five of the Governor's appointees must be licensed LSPs. Three others must be members of state-wide environmental organizations. One must be a hydrogeologist. The final appointee is a member of a labor organization, who has experience with responses to releases of contaminants into the environment.

General Information to Candidates

Currently, the Board has a vacant LSP slot which according to statute, must be filled by a person who is "a hazardous waste site cleanup professional licensed by the Board." See General Laws chapter 21A, § 19A. The appointee must have waste site cleanup experience i.e., assessment, containment, and removal as well knowledge of the Massachusetts General Laws chapter 21E Program, which tasks MassDEP with protecting the public health, safety, welfare, and environment with respect to the cleanup of hazardous waste sites in Massachusetts. The appointment is subject to confirmation by the Governor.

Statement of Responsibilities

The term of service is four years. Board meetings occur monthly. During meetings, LSP licensing matters, as well as requests for approval of Continuing Education courses; and investigations of complaints lodged against LSPs who have violated the Board's Rules of Professional Conduct are reviewed by the Board members.

How to Apply

Any interested LSP who meets these requirements should forward a resume and cover letter to Board's Executive Director, Beverly Coles-Roby Esq., via electronic mail at beverly.robby@mass.gov. All who respond to this notice will be considered by the Board's Executive Director and Chairperson.

Please visit our website at <http://www.mass.gov/lsp> for further information about the Board.