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January 25, 2019

His Excellency, Governor Christopher T. Sununu
and the Honorable Council
State House
Concord, New Hampshire 03301

REQUESTED ACTION

Authorize the Office of Professional Licensure and Certification, Division of Technical Professions to renew our membership with the National Council of Examiners for Engineering and Surveying (NCEES), vendor number 171333, Clemson, South Carolina, for a total amount of \$9,100, for membership in NCEES and the preparation and scoring of the engineering and land surveying examinations from April 1, 2019 through March 31, 2020, effective upon Governor and Council approval. 100% Other funds

Funds to support this request are available in the following account for State Fiscal Year 2019:

01-21-21-212010-240500000 Division of Technical Professions

	<u>FY 2019</u>
026 – 500251 ORGANIZATIONAL DUES Land Surveyors	\$2,600
026 – 500251 ORGANIZATIONAL DUES Engineers	<u>\$6,500</u>
TOTAL	\$9,100

EXPLANATION

The Office of Professional Licensure and Certification, Division of Technical Professions, will be continuing its membership with the National Council of Examiners for Engineering and Surveying (NCEES) commencing April 1, 2019 through March 31, 2020.

Respectfully submitted,

Peter Danles
Executive Director

Listed below are answers to questions which may be of assistance for The Governor and Council in considering the approval of organization dues and membership submissions:

1. *How long has this organization been in existence and how long has this agency been a member of this organization?* NCEES has been in existence since 1920 and the OPLC has been a member for decades.
2. *Is there any other organization which provides the same or similar benefits which your agency belongs to?* No
3. *How many other state's belonging to this organization and is your agency the sole New Hampshire state agency that is a member?* Fifty states, the District of Columbia, Puerto Rico, Guam, Northern Mariana Islands, and the US Virgin Islands have memberships with NCEES. The OPLC is the only NH state agency that is a member of NCEES.
4. *How is the dues structure established?* NCEES charges states a standard membership fee.
5. *What benefit does the state receive from participating in membership?* Membership in NCEES is required in order to obtain access to the Professional Engineers as well as the Land Surveyors examinations. The State also receives updated information on the major areas of professional practice.
6. *Are training or educational/research materials included in the membership? If so, is the cost included? Explain in detail:* No training materials are included; NCEES develops, administers and scores the examinations used for engineering and land surveying licensure in the US.
7. *Is the membership required to receive any federal grants or required in order to receive or participate in licensing or certification exams? Explain:* Membership in NCEES is required in order to obtain access to the engineering and surveying examinations. Passage of these exams is required for licensure in NH.
8. *Is there any travel included with this membership fee? Explain in detail any travel to include the number of employees involved, the number of trips, destination if known and purposes of membership supported trips.* No travel is included with this membership fee.
9. *Which state agency employees are directly involved with this organization? (Indicate if they are members, voting members, committee members, and/or officers of the organization).* The members of the Board of Professional Engineers and Land Surveyors are members of NCEES. The staff of the OPLC, Technical Division, interfaces with NCEES regarding administration of examinations.
10. *Explain in detail any negative impact to the State if the Agency did not belong to this organization.* If the OPLC does not belong to NCEES the State will be unable to administer examinations for licensure to Land Surveyors and Professional Engineers. If the Boards do not have access to the national exams, the Boards will be unable to carry out the legislatively mandated examinations as required pursuant to RSA 310-A: 66 and 310-A: 17.



NCEES

advancing licensure for
engineers and surveyors

280 Seneca Creek Road
Seneca SC 29678
864-654-6824

Invoice

Date 1/17/2019
Invoice # 1705
Due Date 2/16/2019
Memo
Customer ID NHB001

Bill To		Ship To		
NH Bd of Prof Engineers Anna Philbrook Building 121 South Fruit Street Concord NH 03301		NH Bd of Prof Engineers Anna Philbrook Building 121 South Fruit Street Concord NH 03301		
Customer PO No.	SHIP VIA	TERMS	Order Date	
2019 Member Board Fee		Net 30		
Part Number	Quantity	Description	Unit Price	Amount
Member Boards Fee	1	Member Board Fee	6,500.00	6,500.00
<p>RECEIVED</p> <p>JAN 23 2019</p> <p>OPLC-ADMINISTRATION</p>				

Please Remit To:

NCEES
PO Box 1686
Clemson, SC 29633-1686

Total \$6,500.00

No returns after 30 days. Shipping charges are non-refundable.



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Invoice

Date 1/17/2019
Invoice # 1704
Due Date 2/16/2019
Memo
Customer ID NEB002

Bill To		Ship To		
NE Bd Exam Land Surveyors 555 North Cotner Blvd. Lower Level Lincoln NE 68505		NE Bd Exam Land Surveyors 555 North Cotner Blvd. Lower Level Lincoln NE 68505		
Customer PO No.	SHIP VIA	TERMS	Order Date	
2019 Member Board Fee		Net 30		
Part Number	Quantity	Description	Unit Price	Amount
Member Boards Fee	1	Member Board Fee	2,600.00	2,600.00
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