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Oliver Bonham, P. Geo. To Resign as Executive Director and Registrar

It is with regret that I announce that Oliver Bonham, P.Ge. has decided to leave APGO.

Oliver joined the Association in 2002 and has held the position of Executive Director and Registrar since that time. Through his dedicated management he has taken the Association from its start up phase through to a fully functional self-regulator that is operating efficiently and is fiscally sound. Oliver has embraced the key issues that affect the profession of geoscience and has been a key ambassador for the Association.

Oliver has agreed to remain with the Association during the transition to new management. We will miss Oliver's experience, positive outlook, and dedication to the success of the Association and the Profession of Geoscience.

Please join me in wishing Oliver every success in his future endeavors.

Scott McLean, P.Ge.
President