

DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS
TITLE 16. PROFESSIONAL AND VOCATIONAL REGULATIONS
DIVISION 2. CALIFORNIA ARCHITECTS BOARD
LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTS TECHNICAL COMMITTEE

MODIFIED TEXT

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Omitted text is indicated by (* * * *).

Amend Section 2620.5 of Article 1 of Division 26 of Title 16 of the California Code of Regulations as follows:

§ 2620.5. Requirements for an Approved Extension Certificate Program.

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(b) To apply for Board approval the program shall submit to the Landscape Architects Technical Committee a self-evaluation report that shall detail the program's compliance with the requirements set out in subdivision (a) of this section. The Committee and its duties are established in sections 5621 and 5622 of the Code.

(c) Within six months from the date that the self-evaluation report is submitted in compliance with subdivision (b), a minimum of three (3) Board designees shall perform a site inspection or review the submission of the educational program and evaluate the results of the site visit, if conducted. No Board designee shall have a current financial interest related to the recommendation of the extension certificate program. The Board designees may conduct a site visit, which may include meetings with the educational institutional administrator, the educational program director, faculty, students, and alumni. No Board designee shall have a current financial interest related to the recommendation of the extension certificate program.

(d) The Board designees shall evaluate the educational program's self-evaluation report and site visit inspection, if conducted, or other review of the educational program and submit to the Committee a written report, which shall contain findings as to whether the educational program has complied with the approval requirements set forth in subdivision (a), and make a recommendation regarding approval.

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(j) To renew Board approval, six months prior to the date of expiration of the Board approval, the educational program shall apply for approval renewal by submitting to the Committee a self-evaluation report as referenced in subdivision (b) of this section, which shall detail the educational program's compliance with subdivision (a) of this section. The educational program's self-evaluation report will be reviewed and either approved or denied in compliance with subdivisions (c) through (f).

Note: Authority cited: Section 5630, Business and Professions Code. Reference: Sections 5621, 5622, and 5650, Business and Professions Code; and Section 87100, Government Code.