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MEMBERS' USE OF SEALS

Council has received enquiries from Ontario Land Surveyors holding a Certificate of Registration regarding the provision of a desk seal to allow for the recognition of their designation as an Ontario Land Surveyor belonging to a self-governing profession.

Section 29(1) of Regulation 1026, R.R.O. 1990, states as follows:

"29.-(1) Every licensed member shall obtain from the Association the appropriate seal for his or her class of membership."

You will note that this statement identifies that there may be more than one class of membership. Further, it is Council's understanding that the term "licensed" does not preclude Registered Members from obtaining a seal.

With that in mind, the AOLS Council is advising all Ontario Land Surveyors who hold a Certificate of Registration that seals are available through the AOLS office for purchase for those Registered Members who wish to use the seal to crimp their products.