

Subsection (c) of this section is new language derived without substantive change from former Art. 56, § 335(k).

Defined terms: "Board" § 15-101
"License" § 15-101 "Permit" § 15-101
"Person" § 1-101

15-208. MISCELLANEOUS DUTIES.

IN ADDITION TO ANY DUTIES SET FORTH ELSEWHERE, THE BOARD SHALL:

(1) ADOPT A SEAL;

(2) DETERMINE A TYPE OF MARKER, MONUMENT, STAKE, OR OTHER LANDMARK THAT A LICENSEE SHALL USE IN PRACTICING LAND SURVEYING AND PRACTICING PROPERTY LINE SURVEYING; AND

(3) KEEP A RECORD OF ITS PROCEEDINGS.

REVISOR'S NOTE: This section is new language derived without substantive change from former Art. 56, § 333(d) and the first clause of (c) and the first sentence of § 334(b).

The introductory phrase of this section, "[i]n addition to any duties set forth elsewhere", is added to clarify that the enumerated duties are not exhaustive.

The second sentence of former Art. 56, § 334(b), which provided that records of the Board are prima facie evidence and that certified copies are admissible in evidence, is deleted as unnecessary in light of the provisions on admissibility in CJ § 10-204.

The Business Occupations Article Review Committee notes, for consideration by the General Assembly, that this title does not grant the Board general rulemaking power. This omission is significant because the vast majority of regulatory boards that exercise responsibilities similar to those of this Board have express authority to adopt regulations to carry out their respective laws. It is particularly noteworthy that, before 1977, professional engineers and professional land surveyors were regulated by a single board that had a general rulemaking authority. When the General Assembly created a separate board for professional land surveyors under Ch. 763, Acts of 1977, the general rulemaking power was retained in the law for professional engineers but was,