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The membership on this Board is only 25% of CPGs. It is intended to be at least 51% CPGs. As in most professional boards, the main number of the members are of the same profession. Did you know that the Board is nearly the only professional organization where the regulated professionals make up a minority of the Board members? Only 25% of the Board members are professional guardians and conservators. . **I respectfully request that the MAJORITY of members on the Board are Certified Professional Guardians; even if you need to change the regulations to reflect this ratio.**

The Board conducted some of its business in closed-door sessions, even when required by their regulations to be public sessions. **Please instruct the Board to have only OPEN sessions and thus be transparent as to what the discussions are; as members of the profession, we have a right to know what is governing our Board and their deliberations.**

Other judicial-related regulatory boards freely publish board and sub-committee minutes. Are you aware that is NOT so with our sub-committees? Most decisions of the CPGC Board are debated in sub-committee meetings and none of the minutes of those discussions are shared. **As stated above the issue is "transparency" and it is our right to comment on the pertinent issues and participate (where possible). It is the right thing to do.**

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