



ORGANIZATIONAL UNIT ELIMINATION FORM

DIRECTIONS: *Use this form when proposing to eliminate an organizational unit, center, institute, department, school, or college.*

DATE OF REQUEST: February 3, 2015

Date of AAC Approval:

March 4, 2015

INSTITUTION: UNLV

ORGANIZATIONAL UNIT TO BE ELIMINATED: Engineering
Geophysics Laboratory

Date of Board Approval:

EFFECTIVE DATE OF ELIMINATION: Upon Approval

A. Reason for proposed elimination of the organizational unit

The Engineering Geophysics Laboratory is made redundant by the Applied Geophysics Center.

B. Specify plan to phase out the organization unit, including description of how the needs of currently enrolled students will be met

Activities and resources have been absorbed by the Applied Geophysics Center. No phasing out is needed.

C. Impact of organizational unit closure on faculty and staff, and related academic programs

None.

D. Description of the process of notifying other institutions regarding impact of organizational unit closure on transfer and articulation

Because the activities and resources that once were associated with Engineering Geophysics Laboratory have been attributed to the Applied Geophysics Center for some years already, the Engineering Geophysics Laboratory is not likely to be missed.

Please attach any supporting documentation (i.e. support letters from community, industry).



February 3, 2015

To: Thomas Piechota, Interim Vice President for Research and Economic Development
Joseph Lombardo, Chair of the Council for Centers, Institutes, Museums and Laboratories

From: Barbara Luke, Director of the Applied Geophysics Center and Director of the
Engineering Geophysics Laboratory

Re: Elimination of the Engineering Geophysics Laboratory from the official research list

This is a request to eliminate the Engineering Geophysics Laboratory (EGL) from the official research list. The activities and resources of the EGL have been absorbed by the Applied Geophysics Center, making the EGL redundant.

A completed NSHE Organizational Unit Elimination Form is attached

By signature below, my Chair and Dean demonstrate their support for this action.

Donald Hayes, Chair
Department of Civil and Environmental
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Rama Venkat, Dean
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