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#### FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

At the Fourth Annual Meeting of the Governing Council, Federation of Associations of Regulatory Boards (FARB) delegates representing eighteen Governing Members unanimously elected Michael Armstrong of the National Council of Architectural Registration Boards (NCARB) and Debra Persinger of the Federation of State Massage Therapy Boards (FSMTB) each to a second two year terms on the FARB Executive Board. The FARB Executive Board is responsible for the establishment of the budget, interpretation of the bylaws, overseeing the transaction of all business for the organization, and fulfilling the resolutions and other motions duly adopted by the Governing Members. We are proud to present and congratulate our newly elected officials.

#### FARB Executive Board

##### **Dia Gainor - Executive Board President**

Executive Director | National Association of State EMS Officials

##### **Dalene Paull - Executive Board Vice President**

Executive Director | International Conference of Funeral Service Examining Boards, Inc.

##### **Angie Whitaker - Executive Board Secretary-Treasurer**

Executive Director | National Association of State Contractors Licensing Agencies

##### **Mike Armstrong - Executive Board Member-At-Large**

Chief Executive Officer | National Council of Architectural Registration Boards

##### **Thomas Banks - Executive Board Member-At-Large**

Chief Executive Officer | Council for Interior Design Qualification

##### **Dr. Debra Persinger - Executive Board Member-At-Large**

Executive Director | Federation of State Massage Therapy Boards

#### About FARB

FARB is a not for profit, 501(c)(3) organization incorporated in 1974 to promote public protection and provide a forum for information exchange for associations of regulatory boards and their stakeholders with interests in professional regulation. The mission of FARB is to promote excellence in regulation for public protection by providing expertise and innovation from a multi-profession perspective.

American Association of State Counseling Boards **AASCB**  
American Association of Veterinary State Boards **AAVSB**  
Association of Regulatory Boards of Optometry **ARBO**  
Association of Social Work Boards **ASWB**  
Association of State and Provincial Psychology Boards **ASPPB**  
Board of Certification for the Athletic Trainer **BOC**

Council for Interior Design Qualification **CIDQ**  
Council of Landscape Architectural Registration Boards **CLARB**  
Federation of Chiropractic Licensing Boards **FCLB**  
Federation of State Massage Therapy Boards **FSMTB**  
International Conference of Funeral Service Examining Boards **ICFSEB**  
National Association of Long Term Care Administrator Boards **NAB**

National Association of State Boards of Accountancy **NASBA**  
National Association of State Contractors Licensing Agencies **NASCLA**  
National Association of State EMS Officials **NAEMSO**  
National Board for Certification In Occupational Therapy **NBCOT**  
National Council of Architectural Registration Boards **NCARB**  
National Council of Examiners for Engineering and Surveying **NCEES**