

Peter J. Censky

Biographical Information

Peter J. Censky was appointed Executive Director of the Water Quality Association (WQA) in 1987. WQA is an international trade association of 2,300 member companies world-wide who manufacture and sell point-of-use (POU) and point-of-entry (POE) water treatment equipment.

Censky brought to his new position an extensive background in coordinating policy and legal strategies. He previously served as vice president of the Metropolitan Chicago Healthcare Council, an association of over 100 hospitals in Chicago, Illinois, where he was in charge of Government Relations.

Prior to that Censky was Director of the Division of Business Services within the Illinois Department of Commerce and Community Affairs. His Division was responsible for attracting businesses to Illinois and assisting existing businesses in dealing with government agencies, finding financing, and developing new markets. Earlier he had been Special Assistant to Governor James Thompson for Small Business Affairs. Censky had also worked as a lobbyist for the Illinois Retail Merchants Association.

Censky is a member of the Board of Directors of Aqua Europa, a European Trade Association headquartered in Brussels, Belgium.

Censky is married to Susan Censky, they have three children and reside in Wheaton, Illinois.