

BOARD NOTICE 124 OF 2004
THE SOUTH AFRICAN PHARMACY COUNCIL

FEES PAYABLE TO THE COUNCIL UNDER THE PHARMACY ACT, 1974

In terms of section 4(zg) of the Pharmacy Act, 1974, as amended, and the Regulations Relating to the Registration of Persons and the Maintenance of Registers, the fees as determined by and payable to the Council for the year 2005 as set out in the Schedule hereto, are hereby published for the information of all relevant stakeholders.

The fees as set out in the Schedule include Value Added Tax (VAT) at 14%.

SCHEDULE

1. The following fees shall, under the Act, be payable to the Council by –
 - (1) a pharmacy student for –
 - (a) registration as a pharmacy student: R159.60;
 - (b) annual fees, payable not later than 1 June of each year by a 2nd, 3rd or 4th year pharmacy student: R9 1.20;
 - (2) a pharmacist intern for-
 - (a) registration as a pharmacist intern: R671.46;
 - (b) the cession of an internship contract from one pharmacy or provider to another, as the case may be: R296.40;
 - (c) entrance to the pre-registration evaluation for a second or subsequent attempt: R120.84;
 - (3) the prospective tutor of a pharmacist intern or pharmacist's assistant for the evaluation and approval of a pharmacy for purposes of an internship or in-service training to be undertaken at such pharmacy: R663.48;
 - (4) a pharmacist's assistant for-
 - (a) registration as a pharmacist's assistant (learner basic) or pharmacist's assistant (learner post-basic): R201.78;
 - (b) registration as a pharmacist's assistant (basic) or pharmacist's assistant (post-basic): R411.54;
 - (c) annual fees, payable not later than 1 June of each year by a pharmacist's assistant (learner basic) or a pharmacist's assistant (learner post-basic): R9 1.20;
 - (d) annual fees, payable not later than 1 June of each year by a pharmacist's assistant (basic) or pharmacist's assistant (post-basic): R201.78;

- (5) a pharmacist for-
- (a) registration **as** a pharmacist: **R663.48;**
 - (b) the registration of an additional qualification **or** supplementary training: **R3 19.20;**
 - (c) entrance **to** an examination for registration of a speciality: **R1168.39;**
 - (d) the registration of a speciality: **R874.95;**
 - (e) annual fees, payable not later than 1 February of each year: **R738.72;**
 - (f) evaluation of qualification in pharmacy obtained outside the Republic: **R570.00;**
- (6) a company which **owns** a pharmacy for-
- (a) the issuing **of** a new registration certificate after the company has changed its name to the company: **R83.22;**
 - (b) the conversion of a company to a close corporation: **R2,333.58;**
- (7) a close corporation which owns a pharmacy for-
- (a) the issuing of a new registration certificate after the close corporation has changed its name to the close corporation: **R83.22;**
 - (b) the conversion of a close corporation to a company: **R2,333.58;**
- (8) a Trust which owns a pharmacy for the issuing **of** a new registration certificate after the Trust has changed its name **to** the Trust: **R83.22;**
- (9) a pharmacy owner carrying on business **as** a pharmacist, for-
- (a) the one-time recording of **a** new pharmacy: **R1,063.62;**
 - (b) the registration of the responsible pharmacist for each of the premises wherein **or from** which the pharmacy owner carries on the business of a pharmacist: **R137.94;**
 - (c) a pharmacy which is entered in the register in the category "community pharmacies" **or** "institutional pharmacies", an annual fee, payable not later than 2 January of each year: **R912.00;**
 - (d) a pharmacy which is entered in the register in the category "consultant pharmacies", an annual fee, payable not later **than** 2 January of each year: **R828.78;**
 - (e) pharmacy which is entered in the register in the category "manufacturing a pharmacies" or "wholesale pharmacies", an annual fee, payable not later than 2 January of each year: **R4,729.04;**
 - (f) the one-time recording of a pharmacy owner: **R492.48;**
 - (g) the responsible pharmacist of each of the premises wherein **or from** which the pharmacy owner carries on the business of a pharmacist an annual fee, payable not later than 2 January of each year: **R108.30;**

- (h) the evaluation of a pharmacy for purposes of accreditation: R2,391.72;
 - (i) a duplicate certificate for the recording of a pharmacy **or** the registration of the responsible pharmacist or the recording of a pharmacy owner: R83.22;
- (10) a provider of pharmacy education and training in terms **of** section 33 (1) **(b)** of the Act for-
- (a) the evaluation of an application for purposes of approval **as** a provider: R7,970.88;
 - (b) the one-time registration as a provider R5,700.00;
 - (c) annual fees, payable not later than 1 June of each year: R1,140.00;
 - (d) the approval of a short course: R5,700.00;
 - (e) the approval of a course leading to a qualification: R5,700.00;
 - (f) approval of courses by another Education and Training Quality Assurance body: R1,140.00;
- (11) **an** assessor in terms of section 33 (1) (I) of the Act for-
- (a) the one-time registration **as** an assessor R202.92;
 - (b) annual fees, payable not later than 1 June of each year: R135.66;
- (12) any **person** lodging a Notice of Appeal in terms of the Regulations Relating to the Registration of Persons and the Maintenance of Registers against:
- (a) a decision of Council, a committee of Council or the Registrar regarding his, her or its own registration, suspension **or** cancellation of registration: R2,975.97;
 - (b) a decision of Council, a committee of Council or the Registrar regarding the registration, suspension **or** cancellation of registration of a person other than the appellant: R14,897.52;
- (13) any person for-
- (a) the issuing of a duplicate certificate **of** courses completed for the Council's Diploma in Pharmacy: R267.90;
 - (b)** the issuing of a duplicate registration certificate or a certified extract **from** the register or certificate by the Registrar in terms of Section 27 of the Act: R296.40;
 - (c) the issuing of a duplicate tutor certificate: R114.00;
 - (d) entrance to the professional examination/evaluation **as** approved by Council for purposes of registration **as** a pharmacist (per paper): R798.00;
 - (e) analysis of examination results (per paper): R250.80;
 - (f) the issuing of a certificate of status: R819.66.

General

1. The Council may exempt any person **from** payment of any annual fee payable in **terms of** item (1) on the **grounds** of age **or** ill-health **or** other such circumstances **as** the Council may approve. The following reduced fees will be considered for-
 - (a) pharmacists working part time (any occupation), that is **less than** 13 weeks per year or equivalent to an average of less than 2 days **per** week R445.74;
 - (b) pharmacists' assistants (basic **or** post-basic) working part time (any occupation), that is less than **13** weeks per year **or** equivalent **to an** average of less than **2** days per week; R123.23;
 - (c) pharmacists aged 70 **or** older and who are retired R94.85;
 - (d) pharmacists' assistants aged 70 **or** older and who are retired **R27.13**;
2. Any annual fee payable by a person **upon** initial registration, may be calculated on a pro *rata* basis from the first day of the month in which such registration **took** place until 31 December of the year of such registration.
3. The following fees will be charged for the sale of registers, examination papers and the **GPP** document:
 - (a) Sale of registers – **Pharmacists/Pharmacies: R535.80**;
 - (b) Sale **of** registers – Wholesalers: R223.10;
 - (c) Sale of examination papers (per paper): R29.64;
 - (d) **GPP** document: R116.28;
 - (e) GPP document **annexures** (each): R47.42;
 - (f) he-registration guide: R120.61;
 - (g) Academic record and curriculum: R296.40.
4. Restoration fees are published annually by way of regulation.

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