

**BOARD NOTICE 137 OF 2008****RAILWAY SAFETY REGULATOR****SAFETY PERMIT FEE NOTICE**

In terms of section 23(2) of the National Railway Safety Regulator Act, 2002 (Act No. 16 of 2002), the Railway Safety Regulator hereby determines that the fees for processing of safety permit applications referred to in that section must be the amount determined in accordance with the Schedule hereto with effect from 1 April 2009.



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**CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER**

## SCHEDULE

### NATIONAL RAILWAY SAFETY REGULATOR ACT, 2002 (ACT 16 OF 2002)

#### SAFETY PERMIT FEE NOTICE

1. In terms of section 23(2) of the National Railway Safety Regulator Act, 2002 (Act 16 of 2002), the Regulator may determine and charge a fee for processing a safety permit application.
2. The Regulator, acting in terms of section 23(2) of Act 16 of 2002, hereby publishes a Schedule of Fees containing fixed fees and annual fees payable by operators and prospective operators for the processing of a safety permit by the Regulator.
3. The application fee is payable to the Regulator by any person who applies for a safety permit and proof of payment must accompany the application.
4. The fixed fee and/or annual safety permit fee is payable to the Regulator once the applicant for a safety permit has been notified that the application has been successful and the applicant has been provided with a tax invoice.
5. The safety permit shall be issued to the applicant upon presentation of proof of full payment of a fixed or annual safety permit fee.
6. The annual safety permit fee shall be charged on an annual basis for the duration of the validity period of the safety permit.
7. All fees payable in terms of this notice shall be deposited into the Regulator's bank account, the details of which are in the schedule below. The safety permit number must always be reflected as a reference in the deposit slip.
8. This Schedule of Fees will be applicable from 1 April 2009 to 31 March 2010.
9. The fees for a safety permit are determined by, amongst others, considering the operator's total railway costs which include:
  - (a) Maintenance of the network, rolling, including –
    - (ii) material and consumable costs;
    - (iii) contract payments;
    - (iv) depreciation and other finance costs; and
    - (v) energy costs
  - (b) Operation of the network, rolling stock and stations, including-
    - (i) labour costs;
    - (ii) material and consumable costs;
    - (iii) contract payments;
    - (iv) depreciation and other costs;
    - (v) energy costs; and
    - (vi) haulage cost

**SCHEDULE OF FEES****RAILWAY SAFETY PERMITS: SCHEDULE OF FEES FOR 1 APRIL 2008 UNTIL 31 MARCH 2009**

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| 1. Application Fee                          | R 500,00               |
| 2. Temporary Safety Permit Fee              | R1,000,00              |
| 3. Construction Train Safety Permit Fee     | R5,000,00              |
| 4. Test and Commissioning Safety Permit Fee | R5,000,00              |
| 5. Safety Permit Fee                        | See relevant Cost Band |

CATEGORIES	OPERATOR RAILWAY COSTS BAND	ANNUAL FEE PAYABLE
A	0 to R 5,000,000	R 2,500
B	R 5,000,001 to R 12,500,000	R 6,000
C	R 12,500,001 to R 31,250,000	R 13,500
D	R 31,250,001 to R 78,125,000	R 31,000
E	R 78,125,001 to R 195,312,500	R 71,500
F	R 195,312,501 to R 375,000,000	R 165,000
G	R 375,000,001 to R 875,000,000	R 380,000
H	R 875,000,001 to R 2,000,000,000	R 880,000
I	R 2,000,000,001 to R 5,000,000,000	R 2,050,000
J	R 5,000,000,001 to R 12,500,000,000	R 4,600,000

**RSR bank account details:**

BANK	ABSA
ACCOUNT NUMBER	4059370197
BRANCH NAME	Rosebank Central
BRANCH CODE	630805
TYPE OF ACCOUNT	Current account
REFERENCE	<Safety Permit Number>