

BOARD NOTICE 44 OF 2011

This Board Notice is effective as from 1 April 2011

SOUTH AFRICAN COUNCIL FOR NATURAL SCIENTIFIC PROFESSIONS**REGISTRATION AND ANNUAL FEES**

The South African Council for Natural Scientific Professions herewith retracts Board Notice 32 of 2010 as published on 12 March 2010 in Government Gazette 33006.

1. SCHEDULE

In this Schedule –

- (a) **"application fee"** means the fee payable referred to in Section 22(2) when a person applies for registration in terms of Section 20(3)(a), (b) or (c) of the Act.
- (b) **"the Act"** means the Natural Scientific Professions Act, 2003 (Act 27 of 2003).
- (c) **"the year"** means the period commencing on 1 April of any year and ending on 31 March of the next year.
- (d) **"annual fee"** means the fee payable by the registered member within 60 days from the date on which he/she is informed (in writing) that his/her annual fee has become payable;
- (e) **"registration fee"** means the fee payable referred to in Section 20(2)(b) when a person applies for registration in terms of Section 20(3)(a), (b) or (c) of the Act.
- (f) **"penalty fee"** means the fee payable in terms of Section 23(3)(d) of the Act when a person applies for reinstating his/her registration.

2. FEES

- (a) Application fee:
 - (i) Professional Natural Scientist : **R300.00 (VAT inclusive).**
 - (ii) Candidate Natural Scientist : **R300.00 (VAT inclusive).**
 - (iii) Certificate Natural Scientist : **R300.00 (VAT inclusive).**
 - (iv) Upgrading of registration status : **R300.00 (VAT inclusive).**
- (b) Qualifications assessment fee: : **R800.00 (VAT inclusive).**
- (c) Registration fees:
 - (i) Professional Natural Scientist : **R 810.00 (VAT inclusive).**
 - (ii) Candidate Natural Scientist : **R 460.00 (VAT inclusive).**
 - (iii) Certificate Natural Scientist : **R 520.00 (VAT inclusive).**
 - (iv) Upgrading of registration status : **R 790.00 (VAT inclusive).**
- (d) Annual fees:
 - (i) Professional Natural Scientist : **R 750.00 (VAT inclusive).**
 - (ii) Candidate Natural Scientist : **R 280.00 (VAT inclusive).**
 - (iii) Certificate Natural Scientist : **R 450.00 (VAT inclusive).**
 - (iv) Pensioner (all levels of registration) : **R 150.00 (VAT inclusive).**
 - (v) Full-time students and temporary suspension of registration : **50 % of annual fee.**
- (e) Re-instatement fees: : **R1 580.00 (VAT inclusive).**

3. NOTES:

- (a) An application fee is payable for each field of practice for which registration is requested.
- (b) Application fees are not refundable, should an application not be successful.
- (c) The balance of the registration fee will be payable after registration, e.g. R 810.00 – R300.00 = R510.00.
- (d) A qualifications assessment fee must be paid for evaluation of qualifications for registration purposes.
- (e) A person whose registration was cancelled in terms of Section 21(1)(a)(iii) of the Act will have to pay a re-instatement fee for each field of practice.
- (f) New registrations: Annual fees will become payable on the 1st of April of the year following the year of registration, provided that if a person is registered during the first three months of a year, the annual fees will become payable on the 1st of April of the same year.