GOVERNMENT NOTICES

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

No. R. 876

19 October 2011

HEALTH PROFESSIONS ACT, 1974 (ACT NO. 56 OF 1974)

NOTICE OF NOMINATIONS

NOMINATIONS OF MEMBERS OF THE PROFESSIONAL BOARDS OF THE HEALTH PROFESSIONS COUNCIL OF SOUTH AFRICA

- (1) Notice is hereby given in terms of the provisions of the Regulations relating to the nomination and appointment of members of a professional board¹, for the submission of nominations of candidates to be appointed by the Minister of Health as community representatives to serve on the under mentioned professional boards for the unexpired term of office ending on 30 June 2015.
 - (a) Professional Board for Optometry and Dispensing Opticians
 - (i) Two community representatives
 - (b) Professional Board for Occupational Therapy, Medical Orthotics/Prosthetics and Arts Therapy
 - (i) Two community representatives
- (2) In terms section 15(5)(b) of the Health Professions Act, 1974 (Act no. 56 of 1974), nominees must not be persons registered with the board in question.
- (3) Each nominee must be nominated on a separate nomination form, and each person shall only nominate and sign up to three nomination forms for any number of nominees to be appointed.
- (4) Each nomination form must -
 - (a) state the nominee's registered profession and professional category, if any;
 - (b) state the other details of the nominee as required in the nomination form, including a brief curriculum vitae of the nominee and a written motivation by the nominee:
 - (c) be signed by the person making the nomination;

 $^{^1}$ GG 31633, Notice No. R1250 of 28 November 2008 and GG 31633, Notice No. R. 1251 of 28 November 2008.

- (d) be signed by the nominee confirming that he or she consents to his or her nomination and shall provide that the nominee is not registered under the professional board that he/she is nominated for;
- (5) If the person nominated is unable to sign the nomination form, he or she may inform the returning officer by letter or facsimile transmission that he or she consents to his or her nomination.
- (6) Nomination forms may be obtained from the Returning Officer at the physical address given below and may also be downloaded from www.doh.gov.za
- (7) Nominations forms duly completed and signed, must be returned to the addresses or fax number given below not later than <u>16H30 on 11TH day of November 2011;</u> for the attention of the Director: Public Entities Governance.
- (8) Every nomination form in respect of which any of the requirements as stipulated above has not been complied with, or which is not received by the aforesaid date and time at the address or fax number given below, will be invalid.

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The Director General: Dept. of Health

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