
GENERAL NOTICES

NOTICE 976 OF 2014

DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL AFFAIRS

NATIONAL ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT ACT, 1998 (ACT NO. 107 OF 1998)

PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO THE FEES FOR THE CONSIDERATION AND PROCESSING OF ENVIRONMENTAL AUTHORISATIONS AND AMENDMENTS THERETO

I, Bomo Edith Edna Molewa, Minister of Environmental Affairs, hereby give notice of my intention to amend the regulations on the fees for consideration and processing of applications for environmental authorisations and amendments thereto under sections 24(5)(c)(i), 24(5)(j) and 44(1)(a) and (b) of the National Environmental Management Act, 1998 (Act No. 107 of 1998) in the Schedule hereto.

Members of the public are invited to submit, within 30 days after the publication of the notice in the Gazette, written comments or inputs to the following addresses:

By post to: The Director-General: Department of Environmental Affairs
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Any inquiries in connection with the notice can be directed to Ms Amanda Britz at 012 399 9283 / 9285.

Comments received after the closing date will not be considered.



BOMO EDITH EDNA MOLEWA
MINISTER OF ENVIRONMENTAL AFFAIRS

SCHEDULE**Definition**

1. In these regulations "the Regulations" means the Regulations on the Fees for Consideration and Processing of Applications for Environmental Authorisations and Amendments thereto, 2014 published under Government Notice No. 141 of 28 February 2014.

Amendment of regulation 4 of the Regulations

2. Regulation 4 of the Regulations is amended as follows:
 - (a) by the substitution, in subregulation (1), for the word "applicant" of the word "proponent";
 - (b) by the insertion, in subregulation (4)(a), of the words "in terms of the ECA Regulations or the previous NEMA Regulations" after the word "rejected"; and
 - (c) by the substitution, in subregulation (6), for the words "Where an application for which a basic assessment is required, is lodged," of the words "Where an application for basic assessment is lodged,".