## LEGAL PRACTICE COUNCIL

## **NOTICE 2683 OF 2024**

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# THE SOUTH AFRICAN LEGAL PRACTICE COUNCIL NOTICE IN TERMS OF SECTION 95(1) & (4) OF THE LEGAL PRACTICE ACT, 28 OF 2014

Notice is hereby given that the Council amends the Rules of the Council made under the authority of sections 95(1), 95(3) and 109(2) of the Legal Practice Act, 28 of 2014 (as amended) by the amendment of Rules 22.3 and 22.4 as set out below and the inclusion of schedule 2A and schedule 3A in terms of Rule 22.3 and 22.4 of the South African Legal Practice Council Rules respectively, setting the minimum remuneration, allowance, or stipend for candidate legal practitioners undergoing practical vocational training under a practical vocational training contract in terms of Rule 22 of the Rules:

Amendment to Rules 22.3 and 22.4 of the Legal Practice Council Rules.

# Rules 22.3 and 22.4 are hereby deleted and replaced by the following:

- 22.3 Every candidate attorney undergoing practical vocational training in terms of a practical vocational training contract shall be entitled to not less than the minimum remuneration, allowance, or stipend, for his or her service under the practical vocational training contract as set out in Schedule 2A, which remuneration, allowance, or stipend, shall be payable not less frequently than monthly.
- 22.4 Every pupil undergoing practical vocational training in terms of a practical vocational training contract shall be entitled to not less than the minimum remuneration, allowance, or stipend as set out in Schedule 3A, which shall be payable by the Council not less frequently than monthly from the moneys raised in terms of Schedule 3B.

#### **SCHEDULE 2A**

## Candidate attorney minimum remuneration in terms of Rule 22.3 of the Legal Practice Council Rules.

A candidate attorney undergoing practical vocational training in terms of a practical vocational training contract shall be entitled to not less than the minimum remuneration, allowance, or stipend as determined by the Council below, which remuneration, allowance, or stipend, shall be payable not less frequently than monthly.

	DEMOGRAPHICS	Minimum remuneration	Minimum remuneration per month
		per annum	
1.	Minimum remuneration for candidate attorneys situated in rural areas	R72 000	R6 000

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2.	Minimum remuneration for candidate	R96 000	R8 000
	attorneys situated in urban areas		

# **SCHEDULE 3A**

# Pupil minimum remuneration in terms of Rule 22.4 of the Legal Practice Council Rules.

A pupil undergoing practical vocational training in terms of a practical vocational training contract shall be entitled to not less than the minimum remuneration, allowance, or stipend as determined by the Council, which remuneration, allowance, or stipend, shall be payable by the Council not less frequently than monthly.

	Minimum remuneration per annum	Minimum remuneration per month
Minimum remuneration for pupils	R96 000	R8 000

The minimum remuneration, allowance, or stipend for candidate legal practitioners as stated above shall be reviewed from time to time by the Council to ensure that it remains fair and appropriate in light of changing economic conditions and other relevant factors.

Signed at Midrand on 5 August 2024.



Ms C Nzuza

**Executive Officer: Legal Practice Council**