

LEGAL PRACTICE COUNCIL

NOTICE 3682 OF 2025



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

The South African Legal Practice Council ("the Council") hereby issues a notice

- (a) in terms of Rule 4.1 of the Council Rules made in terms of section 95(1)(a) of the Legal Practice Act, 28 of 2014 (as amended) to prescribe a new amount for the annual fee (inclusive of Value Added Tax) payable by all legal practitioners as required by Rule 4, and
- (b) in terms of Rule 5.1 of the Council Rules made in terms of section 95(1)(a) of the Legal Practice Act to prescribe a new amount for the fees (inclusive of Value Added Tax) payable in respect of examinations conducted by the Council as envisaged in Rule 5.1.1 of the Council Rules.

Effective from 01 January 2026, the annual fees payable by all legal practitioners in terms of Rule 4 and the fees payable in respect of examinations conducted by the Council in terms of Rule 5.1.1 shall be as prescribed in **Schedule 1** herein below, inclusive of Value Added Tax.

SCHEDULE 1

| | RULE 4: ANNUAL FEES PAYABLE BY ALL LEGAL PRACTITIONERS NEW TIERED ANNUAL LEVIES - 2026 | FEES FY 2026 | FEES 2025 |
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| 1. | All legal practitioners practising for less than 3 yrs | R2 295 | R2 135 |
| 2. | All legal practitioners practising for over 4 - 10 yrs * | R5 355 | R4 980 |
| 3. | All legal practitioners practising for 11 - 20 yrs | R5 900 | R4 980 |
| 4. | All legal practitioners practising for 21 yrs and above | R6 350 | R4 980 |
| 5. | All Senior Counsel | R6 800 | R4 980 |
| | RULE 5: FEES PAYABLE IN RESPECT OF EXAMINATIONS CONDUCTED BY THE COUNCIL | FEES FY 2026 | 2025 FEES |
| 1. | The examination referred to in section 26(1)(d) of the Act (candidate legal practitioners) | R150.00 (per paper) | R345 (All papers) |

Signed at Midrand on 02 December 2025.

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CHAIRPERSON: LEGAL PRACTICE COUNCIL

Executive Committee: Adv Pule Seleka (SC) – Chairperson, Dr Llewelyn Curlewis - Deputy Chairperson, Adv Craig Watt-Pringle (SC), Mr Martus De Wet, Ms Nonduduzo Khanyile, Mr Sello Phajane, Adv. Matshoge Chabedi (SC), Executive Officer: Ms. Charity Nzuza