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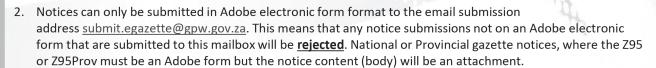
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Government Printing Works has implemented rules for completing and submitting the electronic Adobe Forms when you, the customer, submits your notice request.

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- 5. All notice submissions that do not comply with point 2 will be charged full price for the notice submission.
- 6. The current cut-off of all Gazette's remains unchanged for all channels. (Refer to the GPW website for submission deadlines www.gpwonline.co.za)
- 7. Incorrectly completed forms and notices submitted in the wrong format will be rejected to the customer to be corrected and resubmitted. Assistance will be available through the Contact Centre should help be required when completing the forms. (012-748 6200 or email info.egazette@gpw.gov.za)
- 8. All re-submissions by customers will be subject to the above cut-off times.
- 9. All submissions and re-submissions that miss the cut-off will be rejected to the customer to be submitted with a new publication date.
- 10. Information on forms will be taken as the primary source of the notice to be published. Any instructions that are on the email body or covering letter that contradicts the notice form content will be ignored.

You are therefore advised that effective from **Monday**, **18 May 2015** should you not comply with our new rules of engagement, all notice requests will be rejected by our new system.

Furthermore, the fax number **012-748 6030** will also be <u>discontinued</u> from this date and customers will only be able to submit notice requests through the email address <u>submit.egazette@gpw.gov.za.</u>







DISCLAIMER:

Government Printing Works reserves the right to apply the 25% discount to all Legal and Liquor notices that comply with the business rules for notice submissions for publication in gazettes.

National, Provincial, Road Carrier Permits and Tender notices will pay the price as published in the Government Gazettes.

For any information, please contact the eGazette Contact Centre on 012-748 6200 or email <u>info.egazette@gpw.gov.za</u>

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

NO. 794

03 SEPTEMBER 2015

MEDICAL SCHEMES ACT, 1998 (ACT No. 131 OF 1998)

AMENDMENT OF REGULATIONS

The Minister of Health intends, in terms of Section 67 of the Medical Schemes Act, 1998 (Act No. 131 of 1998), after consultation with the Council for Medical Schemes, to amend the Regulations set out in the Schedule hereto.

Interested persons are invited to submit any substantiated comments in writing on the proposed amendments to the Director-General: Health, Private Bag X828, Pretoria, 0001 (for attention of the Director: Public Entities Governance, Ms M Mushwana, MushwM@health.gov.za), within three months from the date of publication of this notice.

SCHEDULE

DEFINITIONS

1. In this Schedule "the Regulations "means the Regulations made under section 67 of the Medical Schemes Act, 1998 (Act No. 131 of 1998), (hereinafter referred to "the Act"), as published under Government Notice No. R.1262 of 20 October 1999, and amended by Government Notice No. R.570 of 5 June 2000, Government Notice No. R.650 of 30 June 2000, Government Notice No. R.247 of 1 March 2002, Government Notice No. R.1360 of 4 November 2002, Government Notice No. R.1397 of 6 October 2003 and Government Notice No. R.1410 of 3 December 2004.

AMENDMENT OF REGULATION 31 OF THE REGULATIONS

- Regulation 31 of the Regulations is hereby amended by
 - (a) the substitution for paragraph (a) of the following paragraph:
 - "(a) an application for registration of a medical scheme: R15 000,00;";
 - (b) the deletion of paragraph (b);
 - (c) the substitution for paragraph (c) of the following paragraph:
 - "(c) to change the name of a medical scheme: R1 000,00;";
 - (d) the substitution for paragraph (d) of the following paragraph:
 - "(d) registration of amendments, rescissions or additions to the rules of medical scheme in terms of Section 31 of the Act, per A4 page or part thereof: R60,00;";
 - (e) the deletion of paragraph (e);
 - (f) the deletion of paragraph (f);
 - (g) the substitution for paragraph (g) of the following paragraph:
 - "(g) application for accreditation or renewal of accreditation as an administrator contemplated in Section 58(4) of the Act: R20 000,00;";
 - (h) the substitution for paragraph (h) of the following paragraph:
 - "(h) application for accreditation of renewal of accreditation as a broker contemplated in Section 65 of the Act. R2 000,00;";
 - (i) the substitution for paragraph (i) of the following paragraph:
 - "(i) an appeal contemplated in Section 50(3) of the Act: R4 000,00;"; and

- (j) the substitution for paragraph (j) of the following paragraph:
 - "(j) application for accreditation or renewal of accreditation as a managed health care organization: R20 000,00.".

AMENDMENT OF REGULATION 32 OF THE REGULATIONS

- **3.** Regulation 32 of the Regulations is hereby amended by the substitution for Regulation 32 of the following Regulation:
- "32. **Penalties.** The penalty for every day which a failure contemplated in Section 66(3) of the Act continues, is R2 000,00.".

DR. A. MOTSOALEDI, MP

MINISTER OF HEALTH

DATE

Warning!!!

To all suppliers and potential suppliers of goods to the Government Printing Works

The Government Printing Works would like to warn members of the public against an organised syndicate(s) scamming unsuspecting members of the public and claiming to act on behalf of the Government Printing Works.

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Government Printing Works condemns such illegal activities and encourages service providers to confirm the legitimacy of purchase orders with GPW SCM, prior to processing and delivery of goods.

To confirm the legitimacy of purchase orders, please contact:

Renny Chetty (012) 748-6375 (Renny.Chetty@gpw.gov.za),

Anna-Marie du Toit (012) 748-6292 (Anna-Marie.DuToit@gpw.gov.za) and

Siraj Rizvi (012) 748-6380 (Siraj.Rizvi@gpw.gov.za)

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