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Notice submission deadlines

Government Printing Works has over the last few months implemented rules for completing and submitting the electronic Adobe Forms when you, the customer, submit your notice request.

In line with these business rules, GPW has revised the notice submission deadlines for all gazettes. Please refer to the GPW website www.gpwonline.co.za to familiarise yourself with the new deadlines.

CANCELLATIONS

Don't forget!

Cancellation of notice submissions are accepted by GPW according to the deadlines stated in the table above.

Non-compliance to these deadlines will result in your request being failed. **Please pay special attention to the different deadlines for each gazette.**

Please note that any notices cancelled after the cancellation deadline will be published and charged at full cost.

Requests for cancellation must be sent by the original sender of the notice and must be accompanied by the relevant notice reference number (N-) in the email body.

AMENDMENTS TO NOTICES

take note!

With effect from 01 October, GPW will not longer accept amendments to notices. The cancellation process will need to be followed and a new notice submitted thereafter for the next available publication date.

CUSTOMER INQUIRIES



Many of our customers request immediate feedback/confirmation of notice placement in the gazette from our Contact Centre once they have submitted their notice – While GPW deems it one of their highest priorities and responsibilities to provide customers with this requested feedback and the best service at all times, we are only able to do so once we have started processing your notice submission.

GPW has a **2-working day turnaround time for processing notices** received according to the business rules and deadline submissions.

Please keep this in mind when making inquiries about your notice submission at the Contact Centre.

PROOF OF PAYMENTS



GPW reminds you that all notice submissions **MUST** be submitted with an accompanying proof of payment (PoP) or purchase order (PO). If any PoP's or PO's are received without a notice submission, it will be failed and your notice will not be processed.

When submitting your notice request to submit.egazette@gpw.gov.za, please ensure that a purchase order (GPW Account customer) or proof of payment (non-GPW Account customer) is included with your notice submission. All documentation relating to the notice submission must be in a single email.

A reminder that documents must be attached separately in your email to GPW. (In other words, your email should have an Adobe Form plus proof of payment/purchase order – 2 separate attachments – where notice content is applicable, it should also be a 3rd separate attachment).

REMINDER OF THE GPW BUSINESS RULES

- Single notice, single email – with proof of payment or purchase order.
- All documents must be attached separately in your email to GPW.
- 1 notice = 1 form, i.e. each notice must be on a separate form
- Please submit your notice **ONLY ONCE**.
- Requests for information, quotations and inquiries must be sent to the Contact Centre **ONLY**.
- The notice information that you send us on the form is what we publish. Please do not put any instructions in the email body.

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DEPARTMENT OF HIGHER EDUCATION AND TRAINING

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NATIONAL QUALIFICATIONS FRAMEWORK ACT, 2008 (ACT NO. 67 OF 2008)**APPOINTMENT OF THE SOUTH AFRICAN QUALIFICATIONS AUTHORITY (SAQA)
BOARD FOR THE PERIOD 1 JANUARY 2016 TO 31 DECEMBER 2020**

The National Qualifications Framework (NQF) Act, 2008 (Act No. 67 of 2008) provides that the South African Qualifications Authority (SAQA) continues as a juristic person to oversee the further development and implementation of the NQF. SAQA is accountable to the Minister of Higher Education and Training. The functions of which are set out in detail at section 13 of the NQF Act.

SAQA is governed by a board. The current SAQA board was appointed in terms of the NQF Act, 2008. Its term of office came to an end on 31 December 2015.

I am required to appoint twelve (12) members, from the nomination process, in such a manner as to ensure, in so far as practically possible, that functions of SAQA are performed according to the highest professional standards provided that at least two members must be appointed from the nominations made by organised labour. I must give due attention to the representivity of the board in terms of such factors as race, gender and disability.

Section 14 of the NQF Act provides that the members of the SAQA board, taken as a whole, must:

- a) Be broadly representative of the education and training sectors and related interests;
- b) Have thorough knowledge and understanding of education and training;
- c) Appreciate the role of education and training in the reconstruction and transformation of the South African economy and society;
- d) Have known and attested commitment to the interests of education and training;

- e) Have knowledge and understanding of qualifications matters and quality assurance in education and training; and
- f) Be competent to undertake the governance and oversee the financial affairs of the SAQA.

The Chief Executive Officer (CEO) of the SAQA and the CEOs of the Quality Councils (QCs); Council on Higher Education (CHE), Quality Council for Trades and Occupations (QCTO) and Umalusi are also members of the SAQA Board by virtue of their offices.

Thirty two (32) nominations were received in response to my public calls for nominations. I express my gratitude to all who took the trouble to nominate candidates or to make themselves available for appointment.

After careful consideration, taking into account the requirements of the NQF Act, I have appointed the members whose names appear in the **Schedule**.

The new board is appointed from 1 January 2016 and will serve until 31 December 2020.

I appoint Dr Vuyelwa Toni Penxa as the Chairperson of the SAQA Board and express my appreciation to the new Chairperson and the other members to the SAQA Board for their willingness to undertake the stewardship of this vital national institution.



DR BE NZIMANDE, MP

MINISTER OF HIGHER EDUCATION AND TRAINING

DATE: 18/02/2016

SCHEDULE

Members of the Board of the South African Qualifications Authority, to serve from 1 January 2016 to 31 December 2020:

1. Dr Vuyelwa Toni Penxa (Chairperson)
2. Professor Talvin Gregory Schultz
3. Dr Shamrita Devi Bhika
4. Mr Bonisile Gantile
5. Mr Edward de Klerk
6. Professor Jerry O Kuye
7. Mr Gordon Choaro Louw
8. Ms Priscilla Lynnette Fundisile Nzimande
9. Ms Anne Kathleen Oberholzer
10. Professor Sarah Howie
11. Ms Nadia Starr
12. Mr Francis Malesela Maleka

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