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#### HEALTH & SAFETY LEGISLATION

##### **NOTICES:**

#### **NATIONAL RAILWAY SAFETY REGULATOR ACT 16 OF 2002**

##### *PUBLICATION OF FEES FOR COMMENTS*

The Minister of Transport published for comments the determination of the fees that the Railway Safety Regulator must charge for safety permits.  
Published under Government Notice 2239, Government Gazette 49833 of 8 December 2023.

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#### HEALTH LEGISLATION

##### **NOTICES:**

## **PHARMACY ACT 53 OF 1974**

### *RULES RELATING TO THE SERVICES FOR WHICH A PHARMACIST MAY LEVY A FEE AND GUIDELINES FOR LEVYING SUCH A FEE OR FEES*

The South African Pharmacy Council published the Rules relating to the services for which a pharmacist may levy a fee and guidelines for levying such fee or fees, in terms of sections 35A(b)(iii) and 49(4) of the Pharmacy Act, 53 of 1974, as amended, which rules shall replace the existing Rules relating to the services for which a pharmacist may levy a fee and guidelines for levying such fee or fees, as published under Board Notice 385 on 27 January 2023, as from 1 January 2024. These rules must be read in conjunction with the Rules relating to Good Pharmacy Practice (GPP) as published by the South African Pharmacy Council. Published under Board Notice 539, Government Gazette 4994 of 29 December 2023.

## **ALLIED HEALTH PROFESSIONS ACT 63 OF 1982**

### *REGULATIONS RELATING TO SCOPE OF PRACTICE OF THE PROFESSIONS OF CHIROPRACTIC AND OSTEOPATHY*

The Minister of Health has made the abovementioned Regulations. Interested persons were invited to submit any substantiated comments or representations on the proposed regulations to the Director-General of Health, within three months of the date of the publication of the notice. Published under Government Notice 4196, Government Gazette 49863 of 14 December 2024.

### *REGULATIONS RELATING TO SCOPE OF PRACTICE OF THE PROFESSIONS OF CHIROPRACTIC AND OSTEOPATHY*

The Minister of Health intends to make the abovementioned Regulations. Interested persons were invited to submit any substantiated comments or representations on the proposed regulations to the Director-General of Health, within three months of the date of publication of the Notice. Published under Government Notice 4196, Government Gazette 49863 of 14 December 2023.

## **HEALTH PROFESSIONS ACT 56 OF 1974**

### *ETHICAL RULES OF CONDUCT FOR PRACTITIONERS REGISTERED UNDER THE HEALTH PROFESSIONS ACT, 1974: AMENDMENT*

The Health Professions Council of South Africa intends to amend the Ethical Rules of Conduct for Practitioners registered under the Health Professions Act, 1974, by amending Annexure 8 of the Ethical Rules. Interested persons were invited to submit any substantiated comments or representations in writing on the proposed amendments to the Registrar, Health Professions Council of South Africa, within three months from the date of publication of this Notice. Published under Board Notice 528, Government Gazette 49833 of 8 December 2023.

### *RULES RELATING TO FEES PAYABLE TO COUNCIL: AMENDMENT*

The Health Professions Council of South Africa amended the Rules relating to Fees payable to Council. The Rules were amended by insertion of the following rule –

*“4A Evaluation fee for registration in terms of section 25 of the Health Professions Act, 1974 (Act No. 56 of 1974)*

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*(a) By a foreign qualified medical specialist R 15 000.00”*

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## **MEDICINES AND RELATED SUBSTANCES ACT 101 OF 1965**

### *AMENDMENT OF SCHEDULE 6 REGARDING CANNABIS*

The Minister of Health intends to update the Schedule 6 of the Act. Interested persons were invited to submit any substantiated comments or representations on the proposed update to the Director-General of Health, within two months of the date of publication of the Notice in the Gazette.

Published under Government Notice 4251, Government Gazette 50001 of 15 January 2024.

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## GENERAL LEGISLATION

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### NOTICES:

#### CIVIL AVIATION ACT 13 OF 2009

##### *CIVIL AVIATION REGULATIONS, 2011*

The Minister of Transport intends, in terms of Section 155(1) of the Civil Aviation Act, 2009 (Act No. 13 of 2009) and on the recommendation of the Civil Aviation Regulations Committee (CARCom), to amend the Civil Aviation Regulations, 2011, by the Amendment of the following Parts:

- Schedule 1 Part 1 Definition and Abbreviations
- Schedule 2 Part 106 Licensing for Paragliders and Hang-gliders
- Schedule 3 Part 135.07.20 Flight Operations
- Schedule 4 Part 121.07.21 Flight Operations
- Schedule 5 Part 135.07.1 Flight Operations
- Schedule 6 Part 121.07.1 Flight Operations
- Schedule 7 Part 1.01.1 Definition and Abbreviations (relating to Part 139)
- Schedule 8 Part 91.04.30 Instrument and Equipment
- Schedule 9 Part 121.05.4 Aeroplane Instruments and Equipment
- Schedule 10 Part 135.05.4 135.05.5 Aeroplane Instruments and Equipment
- Schedule 11 Part 91.01.17 General Aviation and Operating Flight Rules
- Schedule 12 Part 173.01.7 Flight Procedure Design (Training and Checking)
- Schedule 13 Part 101 Remotely Piloted Aircraft Systems
- Schedule 14 Part 173 Flight Procedure Design

The Director of Civil Aviation intends, in terms of Section 163 of the Civil Aviation Act and on Recommendation of CARCom, to amend the Technical Standards by the Amendment of the following Parts:

- Schedule 15 SA CATS 121.07.13 Operational Control and Supervision of Flight Operations
- Schedule 16 SA CATS 106 Licensing for Paragliders and Hang-gliders
- Schedule 17 SA CATS 135.07.13 Operational Control and Supervision of Flight Operations
- Schedule 18 SA CATS 93.07.13 Operational Control and Supervision of Flight Operations
- Schedule 19 SA CATS 140 Safety Management
- Schedule 20 SA CATS 121.02.13 Air transport operations
- Schedule 21 SA CATS 173 Flight Procedure Design
- Schedule 22 SA CATS 173.01.7 Flight Procedure Design (Training and Checking)

Interested persons are hereby invited to submit written comments on these draft Amendments on or before the 30 January 2024 to the Chairperson: CARCom.

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#### NATIONAL LAND TRANSPORT ACT 5 OF 2009

##### *DRAFT SECOND NATIONAL LAND TRANSPORT REGULATIONS*

The abovementioned draft regulations were published for public comment in terms of section 8(2) of the National Land Transport Act 5 of 2009. Interested persons were invited to submit comments relating to the draft regulations within 30 days from the date of publication in the Government Gazette.

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## MARITIME LEGISLATION

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### NOTICES:

#### MERCHANT SHIPPING ACT 57 OF 1951

##### *THE DRAFT SAFETY OF NAVIGATION AMENDMENT REGULATIONS, 2023*

The Minister of Transport in terms of section 356(1) of the Merchant Shipping Act, 1951 (Act No. 57 of 1951), published for comments the draft Safety of Navigation Amendment Regulations, 2023 as indicated in the Schedule. Interested persons were invited to submit written comments on this draft Safety of Navigation Amendment Regulations, 2023, within 30 days from the date of publication of this notice in the Government Gazette. All comments should be posted or emailed to the Director-General Department of Transport.

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