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## GOVERNMENT NOTICE GOEWERMENTSKENNISGEWING

### DEPARTMENT OF SAFETY AND SECURITY DEPARTEMENT VAN VEILIGHEID EN SEKURITEIT

No. R. 1599

27 December 2002

#### AMENDMENT OF THE REGULATIONS FOR THE SOUTH AFRICAN POLICE SERVICE

The Minister for Safety and Security has, under section 24(1) of the South African Police Service Act, 1995 (Act No. 68 of 1995), made the regulations in the Schedule.



**C. NQAKULA,  
Minister for Safety and Security**

#### SCHEDULE

##### Definition

1. In these Regulations the "Regulations" mean the Regulations promulgated by Government Notice No. R. 203 of 14 February 1964, as amended.

##### Substitution of Regulation 11 of the Regulations

2. Regulation 11 of the Regulations is hereby amended by the substitution for regulation 11 of the following regulation:

##### "APPLICATION FOR APPOINTMENT

- 11 (1) (a) A person who applies to be appointed as a member must—
- (i) apply on the form determined by the National Commissioner and affirm under oath or by way of a solemn declaration that the particulars furnished in the application, are the truth and correct;
  - (ii) have permanent residence in the Republic of South Africa of which documentary proof must be furnished;
  - (iii) be at least eighteen (18) and under thirty (30) years of age of which documentary proof must be furnished;
  - (iv) submit himself or herself to a physical medical examination as determined by the National Commissioner and must be found to be physically and mentally fit for appointment in the post for which he or she applies;

- (v) undergo a psychological assessment as determined by the National Commissioner and be found to comply with the profile of a police official;
  - (vi) be in possession of a grade 12 school certificate or equivalent qualification of which documentary proof must be furnished;
  - (vii) be proficient in at least English and one other official language;
  - (viii) be in possession of a valid driving license for at least a light motor vehicle;
  - (ix) be prepared to take the oath of office;
  - (x) be prepared to undergo such training as determined by the National Commissioner;
  - (xi) not have any tattoo marks of which will be visible and irreconcilable with the objectives of the Service;
  - (xii) have no previous criminal convictions and such person shall allow his or her fingerprints to be taken and allow background enquiries to be made; and
  - (xiii) be prepared to serve anywhere in the Republic;
- (b) In the case of re-appointment of a former member of the Service the requirements for enlistment are those mentioned in subregulation (1)(a): Provided that such re-appointment member may not be older than 30 years of age.
- (2) Notwithstanding the provisions of subregulation (1), the National Commissioner may in his or her discretion and in exceptional circumstances, waive any of the requirements where and if such waiver will be in the interest of the Service."

#### **stitution of Regulation 12 of the Regulations**

Regulation 12 of the Regulations is hereby amended by the substitution for regulation 12 of the following regulation:

#### **"OATH OF OFFICE**

12. On enlistment a member must take the oath of office as contained in Schedule A.

**Schedule A****OATH OF OFFICE**

I, .....  
.....

\*swear/solemnly affirm that I —

- (a) will obey, observe, uphold and maintain the Constitution and all other law of the Republic;
- (b) will perform my duties as a member of the South African Police Service conscientiously and to the best of my ability; and
- (c) commit myself to abide by the provisions of the South African Police Service Act, 1995 (Act No. 68 of 1995), and any regulations made thereunder and to obey any orders or instructions issued in pursuance of the said Act and regulations.

.....  
**SIGNATURE OF WITNESS**

.....  
**SIGNATURE OF DEONENT**

I certify that the deponent has acknowledged that he/she knows and understands the contents of this oath of office, which was sworn to/affirmed\* before me on this ..... day of ..... 20. . and signed in my presence.

**DATE** .....

.....  
**SIGNATURE OF COMMISSIONER OF OATHS**

**PLACE** .....

**PLEASE PRINT:**

**NAME** .....

**DESIGNATION (RANK)** .....

\* Delete the words not applicable

**No. R. 1599****27 Desember 2002****WYSIGING VAN DIE REGULASIES VIR DIE SUID-AFRIKAANSE POLISIEDIENS**

Die Minister vir Veiligheid en Sekuriteit het kragtens artikel 24(1) van die Wet op die Suid-Afrikaanse Polisiediens, 1995 (Wet No. 68 van 1995), die regulasies in die Bylae gemaak.



**C. NQAKULA,**  
**Minister vir Veiligheid en Sekuriteit**

**BYLAE****Woordomskrywing**

1. In hierdie Regulasies beteken "Regulasies" die Regulasies aangekondig by Goewernmentkennisgowing No. R 203 van 14 Februarie 1964, soos gewysig.

**Vervanging van Regulasie 11 van die Regulasies**

2. Regulasie 11 van die Regulasies word hierby gewysig deur die vervanging van regulasie 11 deur die volgende regulasie:

**"AANSOEK OM AANSTELLING**

11 (1) (a) 'n Persoon wat aansoek om as lid aangestel te word moet —

- (i) op die vorm deur die Nasionale Kommissaris bepaal, aansoek doen en onder eed of by wyse wan 'n plegtige verklaring bevestig dat die besonderhede wat in die aansoek verstrekk is, waar en korrek is;
- (ii) permanente verblyf in die Republiek van Suid-Afrika hê, waarvan dokumentêre bewys voorgelê moet word;
- (iii) minstens agtien (18) jaar en onder dertig (30) jaar oud wees, waarvan dokumentêre bewys voorgelê moet word;
- (iv) homself of haarself aan 'n fisiese mediese ondersoek soos deur die Nasionale Kommissaris bepaal, onderwerp en moet fisies en geestelik geskik gevind word vir aanstelling in die pos waarvoor hy of sy aansoek doen;

- (v) 'n sielkundige evaluering soos deur die Nasionale Kommissaris bepaal ondergaan en bevind word te voldoen aan die profiel van 'n polisiebeampte;
  - (vi) in besit wees van minstens 'n graad 12 skool sertifikaat of gelykwaardige kwalifikasie, waarvan dokumentêre bewys voorgelê moet word;
  - (vii) ten minste bedreve wees in Engels en een ander amptelike taal;
  - (viii) in besit wees van 'n geldige bestuurderslisensie vir ten minste 'n ligte motorvoertuig;
  - (ix) bereid wees om die ampseed af te lê;
  - (x) bereid wees om sodanige opleiding soos deur die Nasionale Kommissaris bepaal, te ondergaan;
  - (xi) nie enige tatoeëer merke hê wat sigbaar en onversoenbaar met die doelstellings van die Diens is nie;
  - (xii) geen vorige veroordelings hê nie en sodanige persoon moet toelaat dat sy of haar vingerafdrukke geneem word en agtergrondnavrae gedoen kan word; en
  - (xiii) bereid wees om enige plek in die Republiek te dien.
- (b) In die geval van 'n heraanstelling van 'n voormalige lid van die Diens is die vereistes vir aanstelling die genoem in subregulasie (1)(a): Met dien verstande dat sodanige heraangestelde lid nie ouer as 30 jaar mag wees nie.
- (2) Ondanks die bepalings van subregulasie (1) kan die Nasionale Kommissaris in sy of haar goeddunke en in buitengewone omstandighede, van enige van die vereistes afstand doen waar en indien sodanige afstandoening in belang van die Diens sal wees."

#### **Vervanging van Regulasie 12 van die Regulasies**

3. Regulasie 12 van die Regulasies word hierby gewysig deur die vervanging van regulasie 12 deur die volgende regulasie:

#### **"AMPSEED**

12. By aanstelling moet 'n lid die ampseed soos in Bylae A vervat aflê.

**Bylae A****AMPSEED**

Ek, .....

\*sweer/verklaar plegtig dat —

- (a) ek die Grondwet en die ander reg van die Republiek sal gehoorsaam, eerbiedig, onderhou en sal handhaaf;
- (b) ek my pligte as lid van die Suid-Afrikaanse Polisiediens nougeset en na die beste van my vermoë sal uitvoer; en
- (c) ek my verbind tot die nakoming van die bepalings van die Wet op die Suid-Afrikaanse Polisiediens, 1995 (Wet No. 68 van 1995), en die regulasies daarkragtens uitgevaardig, en dat ek enige opdrag of voorskrif sal gehoorsaam wat kragtens die bepalings van genoemde Wet en regulasies uitgereik word.

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HANDTEKENING VAN GETUIE

.....  
HANDTEKENING VAN VERKLAARDER

Ek sertificeer dat die verklaarder erken dat hy/sy vertrouyd is met die inhoud van hierdie amseed en dit begryp.

Hierdie ampseed is beëdig/bevestig\* voor my op hede die . . . . dag van . . . . . 20 . . En in my teenwoordigheid onderteken.

DATUM . . . . .

.....  
HANDTEKENING VAN KOMMISSARIS VAN EDE

PLEK . . . . .

**IN DRUKSKRIF:**

NAAM . . . . .

AMP (RANG) . . . . .

\* Skrap die woorde wat nie van toepassing is nie