

Bafobekhaya Momoti

National Bar Council of South Africa

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Dear Adv Momoti

**APPLICATION FOR ACCREDITATION TO PRESENT PVT PROGRAMMES IN TERMS OF THE
LEGAL PRACTICE ACT, NO 28 OF 2014 (AS AMENDED)**

We are pleased to advise you that you have been accredited, in terms of the Legal Practice Act, 2014 as amended, to conduct Practical Vocational Training and Assessment for 2021. In terms of the LPC Norms and Standards Guidelines, para 2, this accreditation is for the PVT structured programmes.

You are requested to familiarise yourself with the Legal Practice Act, Rules, Regulations, and Code of Conduct which are critical to the effective regulation of the profession. You are required to comply with Regulation 6 or 7, being the Regulations under s109(1)(a) of the Legal Practice Act, and specifically Regulation 7(9), which deals with the structured course work modules.

Kindly take note of the following:

1. Your accreditation is for a period of one year, as we are currently awaiting possible amendments to Regulation 6 and 7, from the Minister of Justice and Correctional Services.
2. Your accreditation may be withdrawn during that period if it is found that you have contravened the Legal Practice Act, Rules, Regulations, and Code of Conduct.
3. The fact that you are accredited by the Legal Practice Council (LPC) to offer training does not create the expectation of funding from the LPC.
4. You will be subject to oversight from the LPC during the accreditation period, and representatives from the LPC may request to conduct site visits, upon reasonable notice, to verify that minimum standards are being met. Poor or indifferent quality may result in termination of accreditation.

5. The LPC requests that you acknowledge this accreditation on your website and marketing material.
6. In terms of the Norms and Standards Guidelines, you will be required to forward your training programme overview, timetable, outcomes, and course material to the Senior Manager: Education and Training to verify that minimum standards are being met.
7. Management accounts and/or financial statements may be requested by the LPC from time to time, as set out in the Norms and Standards Guidelines.

Please contact the Senior Manager: Education and Training on melissam@lpc.org.za or 087 898 7475 if there is anything you would like to discuss.

We look forward to working with you in the profession.

Kind regards



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Executive Officer
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