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BOARD NOTICE

BOARD NOTICE 127 OF 2011**BOARD NOTICE - SACPLAN NO 3 OF 2011****SOUTH AFRICAN COUNCIL FOR PLANNERS****PLANNING PROFESSION ACT, 2002 (ACT 36 OF 2002)****WITHDRAWAL OF THE BOARD NOTICE 51 OF 2008.****DETERMINATION OF PROFESSIONAL FEES IN TERM OF SECTION 29 OF THE PLANNING PROFESSION ACT, 2002.**

It is hereby notified, for general information, that the South African Council for Planners has determined professional fees in terms of Section 29 of the Planning Profession Act, 2002. These fees replace the fees advertised in Board Notice 51 of 2008. The provisions contained in the Schedule, which exclude value-added tax to the fee so calculated, come into effect on the date of proclamation of this notice and shall apply in respect of any stage of professional services, which is started with, on, or after the date of commencement of this Schedule.

SCHEDULE**TARIFF OF FEES**

The guideline hourly tariff charge for each of the defined categories shall be:

Category of staff	Indicative Rate per hour
A	R1 546
B	R1 315
C	R896
D	R665

For purposes of reference the definitions of categories A to D, are quoted below:

- (a) Category A in respect of a private consulting practice in Planning shall mean a top practitioner whose expertise and relevant experience is nationally or internationally recognized and who provides advice at a level of specialization where such advice is recognized as that of an expert or managing director or member of a company or close corporation who, jointly or severally with other partners, co-directors or co-members, bears the risks of the business, takes full responsibility for the liabilities of such practice, where level of expertise and relevant experience is commensurate with the position, performs work of a conceptual nature in Planning and development, provides strategic guidance in planning and executing a project and / or carries responsibility for quality management pertaining to a project. He or She shall have been

registered by SACPLAN as a Professional Planner in terms of the Planning Professional Act of 2002

- (b) Category B, in respect of a private consulting practice in Planning, shall mean all salaried professional staff with adequate expertise and relevant experience of performing work of a planning nature and who carry the direct technical responsibility for one or more specific activities related to a project. A person referred hereto shall be what is referred to in the Professional Planning Act of 2002 as a Professional Planner and shall have been registered by SACPLAN .
 - (c) Category C in respect of a private consulting practice in planning, shall mean all other salaried technical staff with adequate and relevant experience performing work of an Planning nature with direct and control provided by any person contemplated in categories A and B above. He or She shall have been registered with SACPLAN as a Technical Planner in terms of the Professional Planning Act of 2002
 - (d) Category D in respect of a private consulting practice in planning shall mean all other salaried professional or technical staff members who have not yet completed the 24 months registration requirements with SACPLAN in terms of the Professional Planning Act of 2002. He or She will be performing work of a Planning nature under direct supervision provided by any person contemplated in categories A and B above. He or She shall have been registered as a Candidate Planner in terms of the Planning Professional Act of 2002.
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