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## LEGAL NOTICE NO. 140 OF 2016

**Appointment of Ministers and Deputy Ministers and Allocation of Portfolios to Ministers and Deputy Ministers (Amendment) Notice, 2016**

**I, KING LETSIE III**, pursuant to sections 87(3) and (4), 89 and 93(1) of the Constitution of Lesotho, and acting in accordance with the advice of the Prime Minister, amend the Appointment of Ministers and Deputy Ministers and Allocation of Portfolios to Ministers and Deputy Ministers Notice, 2015<sup>1</sup> by -

deleting the portfolio "Minister of Gender, Youth and Sport" wherever it appears and substituting "Minister of Gender and Youth, Sports and Recreation".

**DATED:**

**LETSIE III  
KING OF LESOTHO**

**NOTE**

1. L.N. No. 48 of 2015

## LEGAL NOTICE NO. 141 OF 2016

**Council on Higher Education (Fees) Notice, 2016**

Pursuant to section 13(5) of the Higher Education Act 2004<sup>1</sup>, I,

**MATJATO MOTEANE**

Chairperson of the Council on Higher Education make the following notice:

**Citation and commencement**

1. This notice may cited as the Council on Higher Education (Fees) Notice, 2016 and shall be deemed to have come into operation on the 1st of April, 2016.

**Registration fee**

2. (1) An application for registration of a higher education private institution shall be accompanied by a non refundable fee of ten thousand Maloti to the Registrar in the Ministry of Education and Training.

(2) The Registrar shall not process application unless an applicant has paid the fee referred to in subsection (1).

**Quantity assurance fee**

3. (1) A higher education institution shall before the first day of April each year, pay an annual assurance fee in accordance with table 1 in the Schedule.

(2) Despite subsection (1) quality assurance fee shall be paid within three months of publication of this notice.

**Accreditation fee**

4. (1) A higher education institution that requires accreditation for a new programme shall pay an accreditation fee in accordance with table 2.1 in the Schedule.

(2) Where a member of the Council on Higher Education has to travel from office for purposes of accrediting a new programme, a higher education institution shall pay accreditation fee in accordance with table 2.2 in the Schedule.

(3) Where a member of Council on Higher Education conducts a partial review for purposes of accrediting on existing programme, a higher education institution shall pay accreditation fee in accordance with table 2.3 in the Schedule.

**Auditing fee**

5. (1) Auditing fee for higher education institutions is included in the quality assurance fee.

(2) Despite subsection (1) a higher education institution that voluntarily requests the Council on Higher Education to audit its quality assurance mechanisms, before a date set by the Council on Higher Education for this purpose, shall pay an audit fee in accordance with table 3 in the schedule.

**Payment of fee before processing**

6. The Council on Higher Education shall not process an application before applicant pays an applicable fee.

**DATED:**

**MATJATO MOTEANE**  
**CHAIRPERSON – COUNCIL ON HIGHER EDUCATION**

**NOTE**

1. Act No. 1 of 2004

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**SCHEDULE OF FEES****Table 1. Annual Quality Assurance fee**

<b>Number of Students</b>	<b>Fee (Maloti)</b>
Less than 300	50,000.00
301-800	100,000.00
801-1500	150,000.00
1,501-5000	200,000.00
5,001-10,000	250,000.00
Above 10,000	300,000.00

**Table 2.1 Accreditation fee (new programme-desk review)**

<b>Exit level</b>	<b>Fee (Maloti)</b>
Undergraduate Certificate	40,000.00
Undergraduate Diploma	50,000.00
Bachelors Degree	60,000.00
Honours Degree	70,000.00
Postgraduate Certificate	
Postgraduate Diploma	
Masters Degree	80,000.00
Doctoral Degree	90,000.00

**Table 2.2 Accreditation fee (where site visit is involved)**

<b>Exit level</b>	<b>Fee (Maloti)</b>
Undergraduate Certificate	75,000.00
Undergraduate Diploma	85,000.00
Bachelors Degree	95,000.00
Honours Degree	105,000.00
Postgraduate Diploma	
Postgraduate Degree	
Masters Degree	115,000.00
Doctoral Degree	125,000.00

**Table 2.3 Accreditation fee (partial review)**

<b>Exit level</b>	<b>Fee (Maloti)</b>
Undergraduate Certificate	20,000.00
Undergraduate Diploma	25,000.00
Bachelors Degree	30,000.00
Honours Degree	35,000.00
Postgraduate Certificate	
Postgraduate Diploma	
Masters Degree	40,000.00
Doctoral Degree	45,000.00

**Table 3. Audit fee**

<b>Number of Students</b>	<b>Fee (Maloti)</b>
Less than 300	80,000.00
301-800	100,000.00
801-1500	120,000.00
1,501-5000	140,000.00
5,001-10,000	160,000.00
Above 10,000	180,000.00