

# MEDICAL AID

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## Medical Aid Scheme for Members of the National Assembly, Judges and Other Office Bearers Act 23 of 1990.

**Summary:** This Act extends membership of the medical aid scheme established for the public service under the Public Service Act 2 of 1980 to members and former members of the National Assembly, judges and former judges of the Supreme Court and the High Court, certain other office-bearers and other persons, and to their surviving spouses.

**Regulations:** Certain officials are named as office-bearers for purposes of the Act from time to time, but these designations have not been recorded here.

## Medical Aid Funds Act 23 of 1995.

**Summary:** This Act regulates medical aid funds and establishes the Namibian Association of Medical Aid Funds. It replaces the *Medical Schemes Act 72 of 1967*. Part III came into operation on 1 February 1996 (GN 25/1996, GG 1255). The remainder of the Act came into force on 11 February 1997 (GN 11/1997, GG 1496). This Act replaces the *Medical Schemes Act 72 of 1967*.

**Amendments:** The Namibia Financial Institutions Supervisory Authority Act 3 of 2001 amends section 1 and substitutes section 3.

**Regulations:** Regulations are contained in GN 12/1997 (GG 1496).

The particulars of registered funds are listed in GN 280/1998 (GG 2001) and GN 64/1999 (GG 2083). See also GN 86/2000 (GG 2304) and GN 45/2001 (GG 2495) (name changes of registered fund).

General Notice 19/2007 (GG 3788) declares it an undesirable practice for medical aid funds to use certain game shows and other competitions as forms of advertisement.

See also Hospitals and Health Facilities Act 36 of 1994 (re: tariffs for state patients) (**HOSPITALS**).

See also *Employees Compensation Act 30 of 1941* (tariff of fees for medical aid) (**LABOUR**).

See also the Presidential Emoluments and Pensions Act 17 of 1990 and Former Presidents' Pension and Other Benefits Act 18 of 2004 (re: medical aid benefits for President and former Presidents) (**PRESIDENT**).

See also Social Security Act 34 of 1994 (re: Maternity Leave, Sick Leave and Death Benefit Fund; National Medical Benefit Fund) (**SOCIAL SECURITY**).