



Republic of Namibia  
Annotated Statutes

## REGULATIONS

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REGULATIONS SURVIVING IN TERMS OF

# Health Professions Act 16 of 2024

section 95(10)

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## Regulations relating to Additional Examinations to be Conducted by Allied Health Professions Council of Namibia in respect of Registration of a Person as Environmental Health Practitioner

Government Notice 143 of 2014

(GG 5553)

came into force on date of publication: 8 September 2014

These regulations were made in terms of section 55 read with section 22(1)(b)(ii) of the Allied Health Professions Act 7 of 2004, which was repealed by the Health Professions Act 16 of 2024.

Pursuant to section 95(10) of the Health Professions Act 16 of 2024,  
they are deemed to have been made under that Act.

The Government Notice which publishes these regulations notes that they were made  
on the recommendation of the Allied Health Professions Council of Namibia.

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### Definitions

1. In these regulations any word or expression to which a meaning has been given in the Act has the same meaning and unless the context otherwise indicates -

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“applicant” means a person registered conditionally as an environmental health practitioner, and who has applied for full registration;

“conditional registration” as an environmental health practitioner means the conditional registration, under section 22(2)(a) of the Act, of a person as an environmental health practitioner, and “registered conditionally” has a corresponding meaning;

“full registration” as an environmental health practitioner means the registration under section 21(2)(a) of the Act of a person as an environmental health practitioner and does not include conditional registration as an environmental health practitioner; and

“the Act” means the Allied Health Professions Act, 2004 (Act No. 7 of 2004).

[The Allied Health Professions Act 7 of 2004  
has been replaced by the Health Professions Act 16 of 2024.]

**Prescribed additional examinations for environmental health practitioners**

2. (1) A person registered conditionally as an environmental health practitioner under section 22(2) of the Act, must pass, in addition to the other requirements prescribed by or under the Act and to the satisfaction of the Council, the additional examinations prescribed by subregulation (2).

(2) The prescribed additional examinations referred to in subsection (1)(b)(ii) of section 22 of the Act and in subregulation (1), are examinations in each of the following domain:

- (a) the relevant legislation and policies relating to -
  - (i) communicable disease and vector borne disease control;
  - (ii) occupational health and safety;
  - (iii) environmental pollution control;
  - (iv) food and meat hygiene;
  - (v) community development; and
  - (vi) management practice,
- (b) Jurisprudence and Ethics relating to Environmental Health; and
- (c) the Allied Health Professions Act, 2004 (Act No. 7 of 2004), including the Regulations made in force under the Act, relating to environmental health practitioners.

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**Conducting of examinations**

3. (1) The examinations prescribed by regulation 2 -

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- (a) must be conducted -
    - (i) by the Council; or
    - (ii) for and on behalf of the Council by a person or institution, whether in Namibia or elsewhere, appointed by the Council for that purpose; or
    - (iii) by an institution outside Namibia recognised by the Council as competent to conduct examinations in the in the domain prescribed by regulation 2;
  - (b) may be -
    - (i) written, oral or practical examinations; or
    - (ii) written, oral and practical examinations; and
  - (c) must be taken by the applicant on the date and at the time and venue notified in writing by the Council to the applicant.
- (2) A notice by the Council under paragraph (c) of subregulation (1) must be sent to the applicant -
- (a) by pre-paid registered post, addressed to his or her postal address as it appears on his or her application for registration; and
  - (b) not less than 30 days and not more than 60 days before the date of the examinations prescribed by subregulation (1).