HEALTH PROFESSIONS ACT 56 OF 1974

REGULATIONS RELATING TO FINES WHICH MAY BE IMPOSED BY A COMMITTEE OF ENQUIRY AGAINST PRACTITIONERS FOUND GUILTY OF IMPROPER OR DISGRACEFUL CONDUCT UNDER THE HEALTH PROFESSIONS ACT, 1974

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The Minister of Health has, in terms of section 61(1)(j) read with section 42(1)(d) of the Health Professions Act, 1974 (Act No. 56 of 1974), made the regulations in the schedule.

SCHEDULE

1. Definitions

In these regulations any word or expression to which a meaning has been assigned in the Act, shall have that meaning, unless the context otherwise indicates-

“the Act” means the Health Professions Act, 1974 (Act No. 56 of 1974) as amended;

“committee of enquiry” means a preliminary committee of enquiry or a professional conduct committee;

“rules” means the Ethical rules of conduct for practitioners registered under the Act.

2. Fines which may be imposed by a committee of enquiry

A committee of enquiry may impose a fine equal to or falling within the range of the minimum and maximum fines stipulated for each category of unprofessional conduct indicated below, against a registered person or a person who is legally required to be registered and who has been found guilty of unprofessional conduct after an inquiry held by such committee of enquiry under Chapter IV of the Act.

FINES

(Signed)
MINISTER OF HEALTH
DATE 24/4/2010