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Dear Retired Stakeholder,

The Engineering Council of South Africa wishes to highlight the CPD requirements for retired registered persons.

As stipulated in rule 8(2) of the Rules on Continuing Professional Development and Renewal of Registration the following registered persons are exempted from obtaining CPD credits but not from applying for the renewal of their registration at the end of the cycle, as this remains compulsory for all registered persons:

- Registered persons who have retired completely and no longer carry out any engineering work in consulting capacity or in a salaried position and who are listed on the Council's register as "retired".
- Retired registered persons who are listed on the Council's register of retired persons, and who carry out part-time engineering work within the limits defined by the council for purposes of listing as a retired person (less than 300 hours per year), are exempted from the requirement to accumulate five credits in Category 1 specified in Table B: Category Activities, but must accumulate at least one (1) credit per year in any of the categories.
- Registered persons who are seventy (70) years of age or more, who remain active in engineering and carry out more than the 300 hours per year of engineering work are exempted from the requirement to accumulate five credits in Category 1 specified in Table B: Category Activities, but must accumulate at least three (3) credits per year in any of the categories.

Should an exempted registered person, listed in above resume engineering work or related activities, he/she needs to formally notify Council of such changes.

All documentation referenced above can be obtained electronically from our website (www.ecsa.co.za).

Yours sincerely,



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