

Examination of Competent Person

90. Panel of Examiners.

(1) For the purpose of this Part, there shall be appointed a Panel of Examiners (“the panel”) consisting of the Chairman, the Deputy Chairman and the person as may be appointed under regulation 91.

(2) The Panel shall hold examination referred to in regulation 92 and may recommend to the Director General the issuance of the Certificate of Competency to candidates who have passed the examinations.

(3) Any matter referred to the Panel shall be considered and decided by the Chairman and at least one member of the Panel.

(4) Notwithstanding subregulation (1), (2) or (3) the Chairman may permit one member of the Panel to conduct the examination of a Gas Fitter.

91. Appointment of members of the Panel.

(1) The Minister shall appoint the Director General as Chairman of the Panel.

(2) The Chairman of the Panel shall appoint----

(a) an authorized officer as Deputy Chairman; and

(b) at least two authorized officers, to be members of the Panel.

(3) The Director General may appoint a senior engineer from a relevant Government Department to be a member of the Panel.

(4) The member of the Panel shall hold office for a term as may be determined by the Director General.

92. Examinations.

(1) The Panel shall hold the following examinations:

(a) Gas Engineer examination;

(b) Gas Engineering Supervisor examinations;

(c) Class I Gas Fitter examination;

(d) Class II Gas Fitter examination; and

(e) Class III Gas Fitter examination.

(2) A Certificate of Competency awarded to successful candidate of the examinations in subregulation (1) shall be in Forms F and G as prescribed in the First Schedule.

(3) The Certificate of Competency shall remain valid until suspended or cancelled under the Act or these Regulations.

(4) A holder of a Certificate of Competency shall surrender the Certificate to the Director General for cancellation upon the issuance of a Certificate of Competency of higher grade for the same category of work.

93. Conduct of examination.

An examination shall be conducted in accordance with the directions given by the Director General.

94. Fee for examination for Certificate of Competency.

The fee for an examinations for Certificate of Competency shall be as prescribed in Part II of the Third Schedule.

95. Application to sit for examination.

(1) Any application to sit for examination shall be made in writing in the manner as may be determined by the Panel.

(2) An application under subregulation (1) shall be considered by the Panel who shall decide whether or not the applicant is eligible to sit for the examination and the Panel shall notify the applicant of its decision.

96. Failure in examination.

Where a candidate fails in an examination, the Panel may, in its discretion, refuse to grant permission to the candidate to sit for the examination again until the expiry of a period not exceeding six months as the Panel may deem appropriate.