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Dear Stakeholder

## **UPDATE ON THE GUIDELINE SCOPE OF SERVICES AND PROFESSIONAL FEES**

Section 34 (2) of the Engineering Professions Act 46 of 2000 hereafter referred to as EPA, states that the Council must annually, after consultation with the voluntary associations, representatives of service providers and clients in the public and private sector, determine guideline professional fees and publish these fees in the Gazette.

ECSA previously gazetted the Professional Guideline Fees on the 26<sup>th</sup> March 2021 under gazette 44333. All the requirements contemplated in terms of the above provisions have been complied with regarding the Professional Guideline Fees for the year 2022 and ECSA Council has already approved these as provided for in the EPA. Unfortunately, there are some challenges that resulted to delays in publishing the approved Professional Guideline Fees as expected.

ECSA is attending to the challenges and is optimistic that they will be resolved soon. The stakeholders are advised to continue using the Professional Guideline Fees that were gazetted on the 26<sup>th</sup> of March 2021 until the Professional Guideline Fees for 2022 are gazetted.

Thank you.



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