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It is hereby notified that the President has assented to the following Act which is hereby published for general information:—

No. 55 of 1997: National Advisory Council on Innovation Act, 1997

No. 1512. 14 November 1997

Hierby word bekend gemaak dat die President sy goedkeuring gegee het aan die onderstaande Wet wat hierby ter algemene inligting gepubliseer word:—

No. 55 van 1997: Wet op die Nasionale Adviesraad vir Innowering, 1997.

(5) NACI may, with the approval of the Minister, make rules relating to the procedure and quorum at its meetings and those of its committees.

Expenditure of NACI and remuneration of members

10. (1) Expenditure incidental to the performance of the functions of NACI shall be defrayed from money voted by Parliament as part of the appropriation of the Department. 5

(2) Any member of NACI, and any person designated in terms of section 8(4)(a) as a member of a committee, who is not in the full-time employment of the State, shall, in respect of services rendered by him or her in connection with the functions of NACI, be paid such remuneration, including reimbursement for travelling, subsistence and other expenses, as the Minister may determine with the concurrence of the Minister of Finance. 10

Chief executive officer and staff of NACI

11. (1) Work incidental to the performance of NACI's functions shall be performed by the chief executive officer of NACI and officers appointed in terms of the Public Service Act, 1994 (Proclamation No. 103 of 1994). 15

(2) The Minister may—

- (a) at the request of NACI, for a temporary period or for a particular matter which is being investigated by NACI, appoint any person with special knowledge of any matter relating to the functions of NACI, or obtain the services of any body, to advise or to assist NACI in the performance of its functions; and 20
- (b) on recommendation of NACI and with the approval of the Minister of Finance, determine the remuneration, including reimbursement of travelling, subsistence and other expenses, of such person or body. 25

Annual report

12. (1) NACI shall annually submit a report on its activities, including an assessment of the extent to which its objects have been achieved, to the Minister.

(2) The Minister shall cause the report to be tabled in Parliament within 14 days after receipt thereof if Parliament is then in ordinary session or, if Parliament is not then in ordinary session, within 14 days after the commencement of its next ordinary session. 30

Regulations

13. The Minister may, after consultation with NACI, make regulations with regard to any matter which is necessary or expedient to prescribe in order to achieve the objects of this Act.

Short title and commencement

14. This Act shall be called the National Advisory Council on Innovation Act, 1997, and shall come into operation on a date fixed by the President by proclamation in the Gazette. 35

(5) NARI kan, met die goedkeuring van die Minister, reëls maak in verband met die prosedure en kworum op sy vergaderings en dié van sy komitees.

Uitgawes van NARI en vergoeding van lede

10. (1) Uitgawes wat in verband staan met die verrigting van NARI se werksaam-
5 hede word gedelg uit geld bewillig deur die Parlement as deel van die begroting van die Departement.

(2) Aan 'n lid van NARI, en 'n persoon aangewys ingevolge artikel 8(4)(a) as 'n lid van 'n komitee, wat nie in die voltydse diens van die Staat is nie, word, ten opsigte van dienste gelewer deur hom of haar in verband met die werksaamhede van NARI, 10 sodanige besoldiging, met inbegrip van vergoeding vir reis-, verblyf- en ander uitgawes, betaal as wat die Minister met die instemming van die Minister van Finansies bepaal.

Hoof- uitvoerende beampte en personeel van NARI

11. (1) Werk wat in verband staan met die verrigting van die werksaamhede van
15 NARI word deur die hoof- uitvoerende beampte van NARI en beamptes wat ingevolge die Staatsdienswet, 1994 (Proklamasie No. 103 van 1994), aangestel is, verrig.

(2) Die Minister kan—

(a) op versoek van NARI, op 'n tydelike grondslag of vir 'n bepaalde
aangeleentheid wat deur NARI ondersoek word, iemand met besondere
20 kennis van 'n aangeleentheid wat betrekking het op die werksaamhede van NARI aanstel, of die dienste van enige liggaam verkry, om NARI te adviseer of behulpsaam te wees by die verrigting van sy werksaamhede; en

(b) op aanbeveling van NARI en met die goedkeuring van die Minister van
Finansies, die besoldiging, met inbegrip van vergoeding vir reis-, verblyf- en
25 ander uitgawes, van so 'n persoon of liggaam bepaal.

Jaarverslag

12. (1) NARI moet jaarliks 'n verslag oor sy werksaamhede, met inbegrip van 'n
waardering van die mate waarin sy oogmerke bereik is, aan die Minister voorlê.

(2) Die Minister moet die verslag binne 14 dae na ontvangs in die Parlement ter tafel
30 laat lê indien die Parlement dan in gewone sessie is of, indien die Parlement nie dan in gewone sessie is nie, binne 14 dae na die aanvang van sy eersvolgende gewone sessie.

Regulasies

13. Die Minister kan, na oorleg met NARI, regulasies uitvaardig betreffende enige
aangeleentheid wat nodig of dienstig is om voorgeskryf te word ten einde die oogmerke
35 van hierdie Wet te bereik.

Kort titel en inwerkingtreding

14. Hierdie Wet heet die Wet op die Nasionale Adviesraad vir Innovering, 1997, en
tree in werking op 'n datum wat die President by proklamasie in die *Staatskoerant*
bepaal.