

**CESSION OF A PRACTICAL VOCATIONAL TRAINING CONTRACT**

**CESSION AGREEMENT**

**AGREEMENT CONCLUDED BETWEEN**

\_\_\_\_\_  
hereinafter referred to as the **CEDENT**

AND

\_\_\_\_\_  
hereinafter referred to as the **CESSIONARY**

AND

\_\_\_\_\_  
hereinafter referred to as the **CANDIDATE ATTORNEY**

The cedent as the principal, entered into a practical vocational training contract with the candidate attorney on ..... (*date of contract*), which contract was registered by the Legal Practice Council on ..... (*date of registration*) under number ..... (*number of contract*) in the ..... Province.

The candidate attorney has informed his/her principal of his/her intention to cede the practical vocational contract to the cessionary and the cedent and the cessionary have agreed to such a cession.

**THE PARTIES THEREFORE AGREE AS FOLLOWS:**

1. The cedent hereby cedes and transfers to the cessionary all his/her rights and obligations under the practical vocational training contract with effect from ..... (*date of commencement of contract with new principal*).
2. The cessionary hereby accepts the cession.
3. The candidate attorney agrees to the cession.

**SIGNED AT** ..... **ON THIS** ..... **DAY OF** ..... **20**.....

As witnesses :

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2. \_\_\_\_\_

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**CEDENT**

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**CESSIONARY**

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**CANDIDATE ATTORNEY**

**AFFIDAVIT BY CEDENT**

I, the undersigned

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*(name of cedent)*

declare hereby under oath that :

1.

I am an attorney of the High Court of South Africa, admitted to practise as such. I comply with the provisions of the Legal Practice Act, 2014 (as amended) and the Rules and Regulations promulgated in terms thereof, specifically Regulation 6(5).

2.

On ..... *(date of contract)* I entered into a practical vocational training contract with ..... *(name of candidate attorney)*, who has agreed to serve me as a candidate attorney for a period of ..... year(s) *(duration of the contract)*.

3.

The candidate attorney has served me properly and conscientiously in terms of the provisions of the contract. The service was without interruption and the candidate attorney was under my direct and personal supervision. The service of the candidate attorney at all times complied with the provisions of the Legal Practice Act, 2014 and the Rules and Regulations promulgated in terms thereof.

4.

The candidate attorney was in my service from ..... *(date of commencement of contract)* and left my service on ..... *(date)*.

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**CEDENT**

Signed and sworn to before me on this ..... day of .....20..... after the Deponent acknowledged that he/she is fully cognisant with this affidavit, that he/she understands it, that he/she has no objection to taking the prescribed oath and that he/she considers the oath to be binding on his/her conscience.

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**COMMISSIONER OF OATHS**

**AFFIDAVIT BY THE CESSIONARY**

I, the undersigned

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(name of cessionary)

declare hereby under oath that :

1.

I am an attorney of the High Court of South Africa, admitted to practise as such. I comply with the provisions of the Legal Practice Act, 2014 (as amended), and the Rules and Regulations promulgated in terms thereof, specifically Regulation 6(5).

2.

All rights and obligations in terms of the practical vocational training contract concluded between ..... (name of candidate attorney) and .....(name of cedent) were ceded to me in terms of Rule 22.1.6 of the Rules promulgated in terms of the Legal Practice Act, 2014.

3.

On .....(date on which the contract commenced with the cessionary) ..... (name of candidate attorney) commenced service with me as a candidate attorney.

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**CESSIONARY**

Signed and sworn to before me on this ..... day of .....20..... after the Deponent acknowledged that he/she is fully cognisant with this affidavit, that he/she understands it, that he/she has no objection to taking the prescribed oath and that he/she considers the oath to be binding on his/her conscience.

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**COMMISSIONER OF OATHS**