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Notice to Legal Practitioners

Dear Legal Practitioners,

This notice serves as a reminder of the important requirement for candidate legal practitioners to disclose any pecuniary interests before the registration period of their Practical Vocational Training (PVT) contracts, as stipulated in the Legal Practice Council Rules.

In accordance with rule(s) 22.1.5 & 22.2.4 of the Rules:

Restriction on pecuniary interests of candidate legal practitioners

- A candidate legal practitioner may not have any pecuniary interest in the practice and service of an attorney or in the practice of an advocate.
- The prior written consent of the Legal Practice Council is required for a candidate legal practitioner to hold any office or engage in any business.

All candidate legal practitioners are required to declare any pecuniary interests and obtain the necessary written consent from the Legal Practice Council before the registration of their PVT contracts. Failure to comply with these requirements will result in the invalidation of the PVT contract unless the Court directs otherwise.

We appreciate your attention to this important matter and your cooperation in ensuring compliance with the Legal Practice Council Rules.

Legal Practice Council