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URGENT NOTICE :

CIPRO (Companies and Intellectual Properties Registration Office) Annual Returns

31 July 2025

Good day Training Providers and Members,

You should be aware that CIPRO (Companies and Intellectual Properties Registration Office) requires all registered companies to among other requirements submit annual returns with their offices. These according to our knowledge attracts a small levy payable to CIPRO. This enables CIPRO to keep your company registered on their system/profile.

CIPRO is and has been in the process of deregistering non-compliant companies. This is a courteous notification or awareness to you to ensure that your company is compliant with CIPRO (Companies and Intellectual Properties Registration Office), and therefore, is not de-registered, if de-registered, is re-registered and also has a current SARS TAX clearance certificate. Remember that your company is a registered entity and therefore, a legal entity that exists and transacts or conducts business as such. Your company legally transacts or operates as such because it is registered and therefore exists.

We urge you to ensure that your company which is used to trade or conduct the business of firearm training is compliant with CIPRO, remains in compliance, and has a TAX clearance certificate. Should you find that your company has been deregistered, you are required to urgently correct that either directly or through your accounting officers or accountants or other professionals who assists in re-registration processes or facilitate the re-registration of your company.

Please treat this as urgent as we may at some point in the future require from you to provide proof that your company is still registered with the CIPRO.

We wish you all the best in your training businesses.

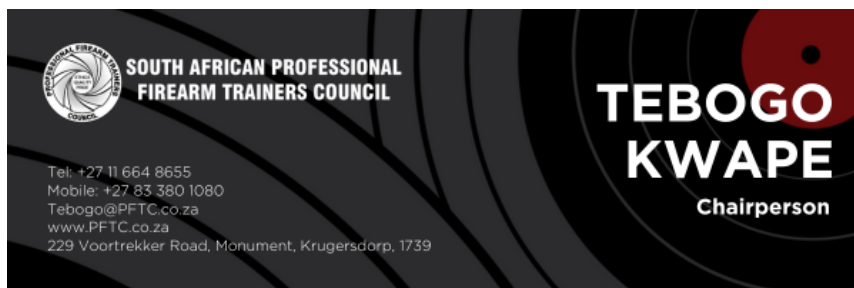




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