SUBSIDIARY LEGISLATION 496.02

TIMEFRAMES FOR LODGING COMPLAINTS AND REQUESTS FOR INVESTIGATION AND REVIEW REGULATIONS

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LEGAL NOTICE 159 of 2010.

1. The title of these regulations is the Timeframes for lodging Complaints and Requests for Investigation and Review Regulations.

Citation.

2. In these regulations, unless the context otherwise requires, "the Act" means the Freedom of Information Act, and words and expressions which are also used in the Act shall in these regulations have the same meaning assigned to them in the Act.

Interpretation. Cap. 496.

3. An applicant who considers that a public authority did not meet the requirements set out in the Act in respect of his request in terms of the Act may address a complaint to that public authority within a maximum of thirty days from the date of the last relative communication from the public authority or the act or omission giving rise to the complaint, whichever is the later date.

Addressing complaints to public authorities.

4. Complaints or requests for investigation and review addressed to the Commissioner in terms of the Act shall be lodged by the applicant within a maximum of sixty days from the receipt of the final communication from the public authority concerned.

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^{*}see regulation 1(2) of these Regulations, as originally promulgated.