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**BOARD NOTICE 123 OF 2020****OFFICIAL NOTICE OF AMENDMENTS TO THE FORM AND TYPE OF  
CERTIFICATES FOR REGISTERED PERSONS****NEW SACLAP DIGITAL REGISTRATION CERTIFICATES POWERED BY  
PRIVYSEAL TO REPLACE HARD COPY CERTIFICATES AND LETTERS  
CONFIRMING REGISTRATION****Commencement date: 1 October 2020**

The document can also be accessed from [www.saclap.org.za](http://www.saclap.org.za)

The South African Council for the Landscape Architectural Profession (SACLAP), has in terms of sections 11(b) and 11(c) of the Landscape Architectural Profession Act, 2000 (Act No. 45 of 2000) (the Act) prescribed and decided on the following rules according to its powers with regards to registration.

With effect from 1 October 2020, all the old Hard copy Registration Certificates and Letters Confirming Registration/Good Standing for both Professionals and Candidates will become null and void, despite the validity date specified on the certificate. They will be replaced by the new digital certificates and seals as detailed below.

**The Digital Certificate and Letters of Good Standing**

New certificates which are more secure will be issued to all registered persons. The first date of issue is from 24 August 2020. The Digital Certificate and Letters of Good Standing are accessed via a unique url and will reflect the time and date of download eliminating the need for further certification. Registered persons have the option to provide any of the following to external parties in order to authenticate and confirm their registration:

- The unique URL
- A PDF certificate with current date and time
- A QR Code that can be scanned

**Added security features**

The new certification system has the following security features:

**1. Redacted Personal Information**

The recent effecting of the Protection of Personal Information Act, Act no 4 of 2013, has raised the bar in terms of what personal information can be safely displayed. It is in this light that SACLAP has followed the example of many other statutory and professional bodies and redacted some of the personal information such as the ID number, email addresses and the telephone numbers on the certificate by use of asterisks.

The addition of asterisks to redact part of the personal details is deemed necessary to protect these details from potential fraudsters wishing to impersonate Registered Persons. The redacted details can still be used, even with the asterisks, to validate that the certificate belongs to a particular registered person as the numbers that do reflect allow a sufficient opportunity to match with those provided to a genuine client of other third party. The redacted information is important because a certificate with no identifying elements can easily be used to impersonate a registered person.

**2. Unique Serial Numbers**

Clients and other third parties may check the legitimacy of the certificate by making enquiries with SACLAP using the serial number only.

**3. Date and Time stamp**

The digital certificate will always display with the current date of download. This feature eradicates the need for further certification



THE NEW SAQLAP REGISTRATION CERTIFICATE

**REGISTRATION CERTIFICATE**

THIS IS TO CERTIFY THAT  
**Thabo Moses Munyai**  
 IS REGISTERED AS A  
**Professional Landscape Architect**

In terms of the regulations of Section 19(2)(a) of the Landscape Architectural Profession Act, 2000 (Act No 45 of 2000)

**REGISTER PARTICULARS**

REGISTRATION NUMBER	0035086	Unique serial number
ID NUMBER	0035086	
REGISTRATION F.	025-08-01	Redacted details
CERTIFICATE SER.	PRCL 2008001	
CERTIFICATE DATE	ISSUE: 2020-08-24	

**CONTACT DETAILS**

EMAIL ADDRESS:	thabo.se*ver@*mai*.com	Redacted details
MOBILE:	076 *26 8*87	

**PROMOTE - GROW - TRANSFORM - SUSTAIN**

**Mr T. M. Munyai**  
PRESIDENT

**Mrs C. E. Chinga**  
REGISTRAR

**SAQA**  
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SOUTH AFRICAN QUALITY ASSURANCE

SAQLAP has confirmed the above information, for digital certification and signing by PrivySeal Limited, at 09:27 AM (Africa/Johannesburg) on 21 Sep 2020

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Real date and time stamp for authentication.

NEW DIGITAL SEAL CONFIRMING REGISTRATION


Registered persons will also be able to add the digital seals in their email signature, websites and important documents such as plans and reports. The digital seal also has the digital time and date stamp for authentication purposes.

PROFESSIONAL LANDSCAPE ARCHITECT

**THABO MOSES MUNYAI**

09:12 AM (Africa/Johannesburg) on 21 Sep 2020

## THE NEW CONFIRMATION OF GOOD STANDING CERTIFICATE



## CONFIRMATION OF GOOD STANDING

Registration Category: **Professional Landscape Architect**  
 Registration Number: **20230**  
 Certificate Expiry Date: **2025-07-30**

**The South African Council for the Landscape Architectural Profession certifies that:**

**FULL NAME:** Thabo Moses M<sup>u</sup>nyai

**IDENTITY NUMBER:** \*\*051\*001

SAMPLE

- Is in good standing with the South African Council for the Landscape Architectural Profession;
- Registration with the South African Council for the Landscape Architectural Profession has not been suspended or cancelled and there are no proceedings pending by SACLAP to cancel or suspend his/her registration with SACLAP;
- In terms of Section 27(3) of the Act, a Registered Person must comply with the Code of Conduct and failure to do so constitutes improper conduct;
- Please note that only a Registered Person in Good Standing will appear in the database of Registered Persons, which may be accessed on [www.saclap.org.za](http://www.saclap.org.za);
- Continuing Professional Development (CPD) requirements are applicable to all Registered Professionals in terms of Sections 13(k) and 22(2) of the Act and the SACLAP CPD Policy.


**IMPORTANT NOTICE**

1. The South African Council for the Landscape Architectural Profession (SACLAP) is a statutory body established in terms of section 2 of the Landscape Architectural Profession Act, Act No 45 of 2000 (the Act) with powers, objects and authority to regulate and administer registered persons under its jurisdiction in terms of Section 18 - 24 and Section 27 to 29 of the Act.
2. Any fraudulently obtained Letter of Good Standing shall constitute a criminal offence and SACLAP shall institute criminal proceedings against any perpetrator/s. It is a criminal offence to unlawfully alter or deface this letter with the intent to defraud or misrepresent facts contained herein.
3. SACLAP reserves the right to withdraw this letter at any time should the Registered Person not follow applicable policies and guidelines.
4. This confirmation of good standing must be read in conjunction with the Certificate of Registration.

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Scannable  
QR Code

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## NEW DIGITAL SEAL CONFIRMING GOOD STANDING



For further information and enquiries, contact  
**The Registrar**

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