

WHP CONSULTING PTY (LTD)

Recruitment and Staffing Services

PAIA MANUAL

Prepared in terms of section 51 of the Promotion of Access to Information Act 2 of 2000 (as amended)

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1. LIST OF ACRONYMS AND ABBREVIATIONS

1.1	"CEO"	Chief Executive Officer
1.2	"DIO"	Deputy Information Officer;
1.3	"IO"	Information Officer;
1.4	"Minister"	Minister of Justice and Correctional Services;
1.5	"PAIA"	Promotion of Access to Information Act No. 2 of 2000(as Amended;
1.6	"POPIA"	Protection of Personal Information Act No.4 of 2013;
1.7	"Regulator"	Information Regulator; and
1.8	"Republic"	Republic of South Africa

2. PURPOSE OF PAIA MANUAL

This PAIA Manual is useful for the public to-

- 2.1 check the categories of records held by a body which are available without a person having to submit a formal PAIA request;
- 2.2 have a sufficient understanding of how to make a request for access to a record of the body, by providing a description of the subjects on which the body holds records and the categories of records held on each subject;
- 2.3 know the description of the records of the body which are available in accordance with any other legislation;
- 2.4 access all the relevant contact details of the Information Officer and Deputy Information Officer who will assist the public with the records they intend to access;
- 2.5 know the description of the guide on how to use PAIA, as updated by the Regulator and how to obtain access to it;
- 2.6 know if the body will process personal information, the purpose of processing of personal information and the description of the categories of data subjects and of the information or categories of information relating thereto;
- 2.7 know the description of the categories of data subjects and of the information or categories of information relating thereto;
- 2.8 know the recipients or categories of recipients to whom the personal information may be supplied;
- 2.9 know if the body has planned to transfer or process personal information outside the Republic of South Africa and the recipients or categories of recipients to whom the personal information may be supplied; and
- 2.10 know whether the body has appropriate security measures to ensure the confidentiality, integrity and availability of the personal information which is to be processed.

3. KEY CONTACT DETAILS FOR ACCESS TO INFORMATION OF WHP CONSULTING PTY (LTD)

3.1. Chief Information Officer

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Fax Number:	N/A

3.3 Access to information general contacts

Email: info@whp-consulting.com

3.4 National or Head Office

Postal Address:	10 3 rd Avenue, Rondebosch East 7780
	Cape Town South Africa
Physical Address:	10 3 rd Avenue, Rondebosch East 7780
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Telephone:	+27 60 910 6858
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Website:	www.whp-consulting.com

4. GUIDE ON HOW TO USE PAIA AND HOW TO OBTAIN ACCESS TO THE GUIDE

- 4.1. The Regulator has, in terms of section 10(1) of PAIA, as amended, updated and made available the revised Guide on how to use PAIA ("Guide"), in an easily comprehensible form and manner, as may reasonably be required by a person who wishes to exercise any right contemplated in PAIA and POPIA.
- 4.2. The Guide is available in each of the official languages and in braille.
- 4.3. The aforesaid Guide contains the description of-
 - 4.3.1. the objects of PAIA and POPIA;
 - 4.3.2. the postal and street address, phone and fax number and, if available, electronic mail address of-
 - 4.3.2.1. the Information Officer of every public body, and
 - 4.3.2.2. every Deputy Information Officer of every public and private body designated in terms of section 17(1) of PAIA¹ and section 56 of POPIA²;
 - 4.3.3. the manner and form of a request for-
 - 4.3.3.1. access to a record of a public body contemplated in section 11³; and
 - 4.3.3.2. access to a record of a private body contemplated in section 50^4 ;

¹ Section 17(1) of PAIA- For the purposes of PAIA, each public body must, subject to legislation governing the employment of personnel of the public body concerned, designate such number of persons as deputy information officers as are necessary to render the public body as accessible as reasonably possible for requesters of its records.

 $^{^2}$ Section 56(a) of POPIA- Each public and private body must make provision, in the manner prescribed in section 17 of the Promotion of Access to Information Act, with the necessary changes, for the designation of such a number of persons, if any, as deputy information officers as is necessary to perform the duties and responsibilities as set out in section 55(1) of POPIA.

³ Section 11(1) of PAIA- A requester must be given access to a record of a public body if that requester complies with all the procedural requirements in PAIA relating to a request for access to that record; and access to that record is not refused in terms of any ground for refusal contemplated in Chapter 4 of this Part.

⁴ Section 50(1) of PAIA- A requester must be given access to any record of a private body if-

a) that record is required for the exercise or protection of any rights;

b) that person complies with the procedural requirements in PAIA relating to a request for access to that record; and

c) access to that record is not refused in terms of any ground for refusal contemplated in Chapter 4 of this Part.

- 4.3.4. the assistance available from the IO of a public body in terms of PAIA and POPIA;
- 4.3.5. the assistance available from the Regulator in terms of PAIA and POPIA;
- 4.3.6. all remedies in law available regarding an act or failure to act in respect of a right or duty conferred or imposed by PAIA and POPIA, including the manner of lodging-
 - 4.3.6.1. an internal appeal;
 - 4.3.6.2. a complaint to the Regulator; and
 - 4.3.6.3. an application with a court against a decision by the information officer of a public body, a decision on internal appeal or a decision by the Regulator or a decision of the head of a private body;
- 4.3.7. the provisions of sections 14⁵ and 51⁶ requiring a public body and private body, respectively, to compile a manual, and how to obtain access to a manual;
- 4.3.8. the provisions of sections 15⁷ and 52⁸ providing for the voluntary disclosure of categories of records by a public body and private body, respectively;

⁵ Section 14(1) of PAIA- The information officer of a public body must, in at least three official languages, make available a manual containing information listed in paragraph 4 above.

⁶ Section 51(1) of PAIA- The head of a private body must make available a manual containing the description of the information listed in paragraph 4 above.

⁷ Section 15(1) of PAIA- The information officer of a public body, must make available in the prescribed manner a description of the categories of records of the public body that are automatically available without a person having to request access

⁸ Section 52(1) of PAIA- The head of a private body may, on a voluntary basis, make available in the prescribed manner a description of the categories of records of the private body that are automatically available without a person having to request access

4.3.9. the notices issued in terms of sections 22⁹ and 54¹⁰ regarding fees to be paid in relation to requests for access; and

4.3.10. the regulations made in terms of section 92¹¹.

- 4.4. Members of the public can inspect or make copies of the Guide from the offices of the public and private bodies, including the office of the Regulator, during normal working hours.
- 4.5. The Guide can also be obtained-
 - 4.5.1. upon request to the Information Officer;
 - 4.5.2. from the website of the Regulator (<u>https://www.justice.gov.za/inforeg/</u>).
- 4.6 A copy of the Guide is also available in the following two official languages, for public inspection during normal office hours-
 - 4.6.1 English, Afrikaans

(c) any notice required by this Act;

⁹ Section 22(1) of PAIA- The information officer of a public body to whom a request for access is made, must by notice require the requester to pay the prescribed request fee (if any), before further processing the request.

¹⁰ Section 54(1) of PAIA- The head of a private body to whom a request for access is made must by notice require the requester to pay the prescribed request fee (if any), before further processing the request.

¹¹ Section 92(1) of PAIA provides that – "The Minister may, by notice in the Gazette, make regulations regarding-

⁽a) any matter which is required or permitted by this Act to be prescribed; (b) any matter relating to the fees contemplated in sections 22 and 54;

⁽d) uniform criteria to be applied by the information officer of a public body when deciding which categories of records are to be made available in terms of section 15; and

⁽e) any administrative or procedural matter necessary to give effect to the provisions of this Act."

5. CATEGORIES OF RECORDS OF WHP CONSULTING PTY (LTD) WHICH ARE AVAILABLE WITHOUT A PERSON HAVING TO REQUEST ACCESS

Category of records	Types of the Record	Available on Website	Available upon request
Fee Structure	Contract	No	By email
B-BBEE Certificate	Compliance Certificate	On website	No
Terms of Service	Contract	No	By email

6. DESCRIPTION OF THE RECORDS OF WHP CONSULTING PTY (LTD) WHICH ARE AVAILABLE IN ACCORDANCE WITH ANY OTHER LEGISLATION

Category of Records	Applicable Legislation
Memorandum of incorporation	Companies Act 71 of 2008
PAIA Manual	Promotion of Access to Information Act 2 of 2000

7. DESCRIPTION OF THE SUBJECTS ON WHICH THE BODY HOLDS RECORDS AND CATEGORIES OF RECORDS HELD ON EACH SUBJECT BY WHP CONSULTING PTY (LTD)

Subjects on which the body holds records	Categories of records
Strategic Documents, Plans,	Strategic Plan, Annual Performance Plan, Business
Proposals	Plan
Human Resources	- HR policies and procedures
	- Advertised posts
	- Employees records
	- Candidate records
Finances	- Income statements, Balance Sheets, Cash flow

Subjects on which the body holds records	Categories of records
	statements, Annual Return (Tax information)

8. PROCESSING OF PERSONAL INFORMATION

8.1 Purpose of Processing Personal Information

The company only processes information of job applicants through a talent pool in order to present them to clients or for the purposes of employment at our company.

8.2 Description of the categories of Data Subjects and of the information or categories of information relating thereto

The company processes client information for the purposes of recruiting and selecting candidates. We process candidate information for the purposes of recruitment and placement with clients or for the purposes of employment with the company.

Categories of Data Subjects	Personal Information that may be processed
Clients	name, address, contacts, email, designation
Candidates	names, ID, address, phone number, email, work experience/history, qualifications, employment status
Employees	address, ID, qualifications, contact info, work experience/history, employment status

8.3 The recipients or categories of recipients to whom the personal information may be supplied

Category of personal information	Recipients or Categories of Recipients to whom the personal information may be supplied
Identity number and names, for	South African Police Services

Category of personal information	Recipients or Categories of Recipients to whom the personal information may be supplied
criminal checks	
Qualifications, for qualification verifications	South African Qualifications Authority
Credit check	Transunion, Experian

8.4 Planned trans-border flows of personal information

The company has no plans for trans-border flows of personal information. All information obtained from data subjects is stored with the company in the republic. The company website is hosted in the USA and all company data is stored in data centres of the hosting company in the USA.

8.5 General description of Information Security Measures to be implemented by the responsible party to ensure the confidentiality, integrity and availability of the information

The company takes security very seriously. It employs Kaspersky Internet, cloud, anti-virus and anti-malware solutions to protect the company data as well as that of our clients and candidates. In addition, our website is protected by the hosts antihacking software. In addition all files and sensitive information our physical computer systems are password protected and backed up.

9. AVAILABILITY OF THE MANUAL

- 9.1 A copy of the Manual is available-
 - 9.1.1 on our website (<u>www.whp-consulting.com</u>)
 - 9.1.2 head office of the WHP Consulting Pty (Ltd) for public inspection during normal business hours;

- 9.1.3 to any person upon email request
- 9.1.4 to the Information Regulator upon request.
- 9.2 A fee for a copy of the Manual, as contemplated in annexure B of the Regulations, shall be payable per each A4-size photocopy made.

10. UPDATING OF THE MANUAL

The head of WHP Consulting Pty (Ltd) will on a regular basis update this manual.

Issued by

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