

**LEGAL PROFESSION ACT
(CHAPTER 132)
LEGAL PROFESSION (PRACTISING CERTIFICATE)
RULES**

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SUBSIDIARY LEGISLATION

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Rules under sections 13(5) and 65(2) of the Act

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RULES**

Commencement: 1st January 1987

Citation.

1. These Rules may be cited as the Legal Profession (Practising Certificate) Rules.

Petition for Admission Form 1.

2. A petition for admission under section 5 of the Act shall be in Form I in the First Schedule to these Rules.

Form 2 and Form 3.

3. The certificates required under section 5(3) of the Act shall be in Form 2 and Form 3 in the First Schedule to these Rules.

Application for practising certificate Form 4.

4. An application for a practising certificate under section 13 of the Act shall be in Form 4 contained in the First Schedule to these Rules.

Declaration Form 5.

5. An application for a practising certificate shall be accompanied by a declaration in writing in Form 5 contained in the First Schedule to these Rules.

Form of practising certificate.

6. A practising certificate shall be in Form 6 in the First Schedule to these Rules.

Fees Second Schedule.

7. The fees set out in the Second Schedule shall be payable in relation to the matters specified therein.

FIRST SCHEDULE

FORM 1

Under section 5 of the Act

PETITION FOR ADMISSION

1. I hereby petition the Chief Justice to admit me as an advocate and solicitor of the Supreme Court of Brunei Darussalam.
2. There is annexed hereto an affidavit, exhibited to which is documentary evidence —
 - (a) that I am a qualified person within the meaning of the Act;
 - (b) that at the date thereof, no disciplinary proceedings are pending or contemplated against me and that my professional conduct is not under investigation.
3. I attach hereto 2 recent certificates of character. At least one of the certificates shall be given by a person who is ordinarily resident in Brunei Darussalam.
4. I attach certificates of diligence from those with whom I served a period of pupillage. (This paragraph can be deleted by a petitioner who is not required to serve a period of pupillage).

.....
(Petitioner)

FORM 2

Under section 5(3) of the Act

CERTIFICATE OF GOOD CHARACTER

I,
of.....
certify that I have known the petitioner personally for a period of years.

I know nothing to the detriment of the petitioner, whom I believe to be a man of good character, suitable for admission in Brunei Darussalam as an advocate and solicitor.

(Signature)

(Name)

FIRST SCHEDULE — (continued)

FORM 3

Under section 5(3)(d) of the Act

CERTIFICATE OF PUPILLAGE

I, of a member of the legal profession certify that served pupillage with me from to

During his pupillage with me, showed himself to be diligent and completed his pupillage to my satisfaction.

(Signature)

(Name)

FORM 4

Under section 13 of the Act

APPLICATION FOR A PRACTISING CERTIFICATE

I, (full name) of (professional address) hereby apply for a practising certificate, entitling me to act as an advocate and solicitor of the Supreme Court of Brunei Darussalam, to be issued to me for the year 20

I declare that my name is on the roll of advocates and solicitors maintained under section 10 of the Act.

I attach to this application a declaration (Form 5) containing the information required by section 13(2) of the Act.

(Signature)

(Name)

FIRST SCHEDULE — (continued)

FORM 5

Under section 13(2) of the Act

DECLARATION

I hereby provide the following information, required by section 13(2) of the Act, in support of my application for a practising certificate for the year 20..... .

My full name is

I practise under the name of

.....

OR

I am employed by the following firm of advocates and solicitors.

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An accountant's report as required by section 24 is attached.

OR

I hereby declare that such a report is unnecessary for the following circumstances —

.....

(Signature)

(Name)

FIRST SCHEDULE — (continued)

FORM 6

Issued under section 13

PRACTISING CERTIFICATE

FOR THE YEAR 20

IT IS HEREBY CERTIFIED that
having duly made application and satisfied the requirements of the Legal Profession Act
(Chapter 132) is hereby authorised to practise as an advocate and solicitor of the Supreme
Court of Brunei Darussalam during the calendar year ending 31st December 20

Dated this day of 20

.....
CHIEF REGISTRAR
SUPREME COURT
BRUNEI DARUSSALAM.

Ref:

SECOND SCHEDULE

FEES

The following fees shall be payable as specified hereunder —

On admission as an advocate and solicitor (section 4)	For citizen of Brunei Darussalam	\$250
	For non-citizen of Brunei Darussalam	\$750
For each practising certificate		\$500
For the grant of a provisional licence (section 8)		\$250
For an <i>ad hoc</i> admission (section 7)		\$100

