

PLEDGE OF SECRECY, ICT POLICY AND ACCEPTABLE USE STANDARD

Applicant ID	
Employee ID	

Applicant / Employee Details			
Full Names	Identity No		
Division/Cluster/Portfolio	Passport No		

Declaration - Pledge of Secrecy

- 1. I hereby declare that I am aware that:
- a) by virtue of my duties as an employee of the CSIR I may acquire knowledge of a secret or confidential nature relating to a National Key Point or any other classified task that may have been assigned to the CSIR;
- b) it is an offence under Sections 3, 4 and 5 of the Protection of Information Act, 1982 (Act No 84 of 1982) for any person to, amongst others, obtain or retain for any purpose prejudicial to the defence, security or interests of the Republic, information pertaining to security or military matters or the prevention or combating of terrorism or to disclose or publish such information otherwise than in the course and scope of his/her employment;
- c) it is an offence under Section 10 of the National Key Points Act, 1980 (Act No 102 of 1980) to, amongst others, furnish in any manner whatsoever any information relating to the security measures applicable at or in respect of a National Key Point or in respect of any incident (**) that occurred there without being legally obliged or entitled to do so, or on the authority of the Minister of Defence, except as may be strictly necessary for the performance of his/her functions in regard to his/her employment with such National Key Point by virtue of the provisions of the Conditions of Service of the CSIR an employee may not disclose to any person not entitled thereto secret or confidential information relating to the work or activities of the Council
- d) I shall be liable for prosecution under the above Acts and to summary dismissal from the Council's service if I fail in the undertaking given below.
- 2. I accordingly undertake, while I am in the employ of the CSIR or after my service has been terminated, not to publish or to disclose to any unauthorised person in any matter whatsoever, otherwise than in the course and scope of my duties, any information or knowledge contemplated by the Protection of Information Act; the National Key Point Act or the CSIR's Conditions of Service.
- 3. I acknowledge that I have familiarised myself with the provisions of the above-mentioned Acts and I hereby confirm that I will abide by the terms and conditions thereof insofar as it may apply to me.
- (**) "incident" means any occurrence arising out of or relating to terrorist activities, sabotage, espionage or subversion

Declaration – ICT Policy and Acceptable Use Standard

I acknowledge that I have familiarised myself with the provisions of the ICT Policy and ICT Acceptable Use Standard and I hereby confirm that I will abide by the terms and conditions thereof insofar as it may apply to me.

Signature	Date	
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