

REGISTRATION FOR CONTRACTORS - 2025

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APPLICATION FORM FOR FIRST REGISTRATION OF CONTRACTORS

[In terms of the National Council for Construction Act No. 10 of 2020 of the Laws of Zambia]

INSTRUCTIONS TO APPLICANTS

THIS FORM SHOULD NOT BE SOLD

- a) This application is strictly for Contractors wishing to apply in grades 1, 2, 3, 4 & 5, and Class A & B only.
- b) This Form can be used for applying in more than one Category and payments can be made under one receipt. Please attach a separate sheet where space on the form is limited for additional information.
- c) Please fill in the form completely as provided and bind it in a spiral or better with all necessary attachments. Print clearly using ink. Incomplete and unbound applications will not be processed.
- d) All fees must be paid directly to the National Council for Construction (NCC) through its Bank accounts as provided herein.
- e) Present the original Bank deposit slips/transmission copies to NCC upon which a receipt will be issued.
- f) All fees paid to the NCC are NON-REFUNDABLE AND NON-TRANSFERABLE and will not be carried forward to the following year of registration. Ensure that you meet all the requirements for the Grade and Category that you are applying for before you make any payment.
- g) Electronic Bank transfers will only be receipted upon confirmation.
- Ensure that your application for EXPRESS registration is scrutinized and approved BEFORE Express registration fees are paid.
- i) At least one of the shareholders or Directors for applicants must have undergone formal training in a construction-related field. Training should be a minimum accredited certificate.
- *j*) Applicants must be a Limited Liability Company.
- k) Applicants should have completed one construction project whose value should not be less than the prescribed minimum tender value for the Grade and Category in which they wish to be registered (Refer to Appendix II). Shareholders with higher qualifications and experience in a relevant Construction-related field may be considered for higher grades.
- (Copies of all attached academic certificates must be "Certified True Copies of the original" and where applicable, translated into English language by the Zambia Qualifications Authority (ZAQA).
- m) A verification exercise to ascertain the capacity and credibility of the applicants may be undertaken
- n) Foreign contractors are restricted to register ONLY in Grades 1, 2, and Class A (in the case of Specialist Contractors), subject to meeting the registration requirements, further companies with mixed shareholding partnerships will be restricted to grade 4 and above.
- o) Submissions can be deposited at designated Regional Offices, whose addresses are indicated above.

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FOR OFFIC	CIAL USE ON	LY			
Date Applic	ation Form Re	eceived:	Fore	ign	Zambian
No. of Certi	ificates of Reg	istration Applied For:		Date of Approval:	<u></u>
APPROVED FOR REGISTRATION:			Remarks	Not Approved	Approved
Grade	Category	Sub Category (Mining - Specialist)			
					O:
			Name.		Signature:

1.0 COMPANY DETAILS

1.1	Registered Ph	ysical Office Address: -					
(Office			Worksho	p/ Yard		
7	Геl No/s:	Mc	bile Pho	ne No. /s		Posta	al:
Е	E-mail:					Town:	
1.2	Branch Office	/s Address/s in/or outside	Zambia (if different):-			
F	Physical Office				Postal		
T	Геl no/s:	Mobile Pho	ne No./s	.	E-ma	ail:	
1.3	State whether	Listed Company / Limited	Compar	ny / Partnership	or Sole Proprietor:		
1.4	Description of bus	siness / construction activities as	per PACF	RA registration:			
1.5	Shareholders and	Directors and /or partners of th	e compar	ny/Entity.			
		Name		Passport No./ NRC No.	Status (Citizen/ Non-Citizen)	Share- holding (%)	Academic Qualification
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						Variation (Contract)	
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	1.5.1 Ownership	o: Please tick appropriate box	<u> </u>				
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2.0	TECHNICAL	DATA					
2.1	KEY PERS	ONNEL - PROFESSIONAL		ects, Building Sc ntants etc.)	ientists, Engineers, G	Quantity Surve	yors, Surveyors,
(Attach s	eparate sheet w	here space is not enough):					
2.1.1	Name:			Qualificatio	n:		
	NRC / Passpor	t No.:		Mobile pho	ne:		
2.1.2	Name:			Qualificatio	n:		
	NRC / Passpor	t No.:		Mobile pho	ne:		
2.1.3	Name:			Qualificatio	n:		
	NRC / Passpor	t No:		Mobile pho	ne:		
2.2	KEY PERS	ONNEL - TECHNICIANS	(Consti	ruction/Engineeri	ng based Diploma /A	Advanced Cert	ificate qualification)
(Attach s	eparate sheet w	here space is not enough):					
2.2.1	Name:			Qualificatio	n:		
	NRC / Passpor	t No:		Mobile pl	hone:		
2.2.2	Name:			Qualificatio	n:		
	NRC / Passpor	t No:		Mobile pl	hone:		
2.2.3	Name:			Qualificatio	n:		
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2.2.4	Name:			Qualificatio	n:		
		t No:			ne:		

COMPANY'S FIXED (IMMOVABLE) ASSETS (Attach a separate sheet where space is not available) No. Name of Asset Value Type of Document Attached 1 2 Certificates/Documents which MUST be attached: a) Certified copies of documents proving ownership/Lease i.e. Title Deeds or Letters of Offer VEHICLES, PLANT, EQUIPMENT & TOOLS OWNED OR LEASED BY THE ENTITY (Attach separate sheet where space is not enough): TYPE MAKE **CAPACITY** CONDITION OWNED/ No (GOOD/FAIR) **LEASED** (m/ton/HP) 2 3 4

Certificates / Documents Which MUST Be Attached:

- a) Proof of ownership of all off-road vehicles, plant and equipment owned by entity (Copies of registration certificates/white books for all vehicles and plant owned by entity).
- b) Lease or hire agreements for vehicles, plant and equipment that are not owned by the entity.

2.5. CONTRACTS COMPLETED BY THE ENTITY WITHIN THE PAST FIVE YEARS

(Attach separate sheet where space is not enough):

Project Name	Contract Amount	Project Location	Start Date	End Date	Project Registration No.
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Certificates / Documents Which MUST Be Attached:

a) Copies of Completion or Final Payment Certificates of each completed project

2.6 CONTRACTS ON HAND (Attach separate sheet where space is not enough):

Project Name	Contract Amount	Project Location	Start Date	End Date	Project Registration No.
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Certificates / Documents Which MUST Be Attached:

- a) Copies of the latest Interim Payment Certificates for each project or
- b) Copies of contract acceptance from procuring entity or project owner of each contract agreement.

2.7 TECHNICAL REFEREES:

Name and contact numbers of traceable technical referees, i.e., Consulting Architects / Engineers / Quantity Surveyors, from whom references may be sought.

Consulting Architectural/ Engineering/ Quantity Surveying Entity	Contact Person	Telephone No.	Email

2.8 CLIENT REFERENCES:

Name and contact numbers of traceable **clients**, preferably established organizations, government bodies and institutions from whom reference may be sought regarding the entity's performance and reputation.

Client Organization	Contact Person	Telephone No.	Email

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	all the particulars and infor	rmation provided in	n this application are co	omplete, c	correct and tru	e and I/we agree tha	ıt in
4.0 DECLARATI	ON BY THE APPLICANT						
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GRADE (1, 2, 3, 4 or 5)	CATEGORY (B, C, R, E or ME)			M	CLASS A or B	SUB-CATEGORY SaSz	8
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Commissioner for Oaths/Notary Public

		CATEGORISATION OF CONTRACTORS
CODE	Type of Category	CONSTRUCTION ACTIVITY
В		General Building and Housing
		Construction of residential, commercial and Industrial buildings – single and multi-storey, together with various associated installations and external works.
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С		General Civil Engineering Works
		Bridges and other related ancillary works, Water Supply and Sanitation Works (Incl. Water, Drainage & Sewerage infrastructure), Dams, Irrigation systems and associated water works (Including ponds, swimming pools), Bore-hole Drilling and other related works and Railway Construction and Maintenance works.
R		General Road Works
		Road Surfacing & Paving Applications, Road drainage Structures, Off-carriageway
		Rehabilitation & Maintenance, On-carriageway Rehabilitation & Maintenance, and Road Furniture, signage & markings and other related ancillary works.
Е		General Electrical and Telecommunications
	M	Power Generation, Heavy current transmission & distribution power lines, Street and Area Electrification (e.g., street lighting, electric car charging ports), Solar, Wind and other alternative Energy Installations, ICT and Communication Infrastructure, Installation of CCTV, Access Control, Alarm and Fire Detection systems, Civil works to power stations, sub-stations, communication systems, Telecommunication network installations (including towers, optic fibre installation, etc.)
ME		Mechanical Engineering Works
	FIG	Conditioning (HVAC), Piping and associated works, Rigging, Boiler Installations, Conveyors and Material Handling installations, Mechanical Lift installation, Fire Fighting Installations, Installation of Cyclones, Other installations and maintenance works of mechanical nature and installation of continuous process systems, involving chemical works metallurgical works, Oil and Gas wells, Acid Plants, Metallurgical Machinery, equipment and apparatus, and works necessary for the beneficiation of metals, minerals, rocks petroleum and Organic substances and other chemical process infrastructure.
M	Sub-Category	Mining Services - Construction Works within the Mining Areas
		Choose ONE Sub-Category from the list below and clearly circle it in ink
	В	Mining – Building and Housing
	С	Mining – Civil Engineering Works
	R	Mining – Road Works (Including overburden striping)
	E	Mining - Electrical, Instrumentation & Telecommunication
	ME	Mining – Mechanical Engineering Works
	М	Mining - Quarrying (Including drilling, blasting and crushing)
S	Category Type	Specialist Works
		(Specialist Contractors cannot register in more than one specialty except in the case of general categories)
	Sa	Bricklaying, paving and masonry Works
	Sb	Plumbing Works
	Sc	Painting Works, Interior and Exterior Decorations
	Sd	Water supply, sanitation infrastructure and associated works
	Se	Electrical and instrumentation Works
	Sf	Quarrying and Crushing Works
	Sg	Heating, Ventilation and Air Conditioning (HVAC) Installations
	Sh	Flooring works
	Si	Steel fabrication and associated works
	Sj	Water proofing works
	Sk	Office fit outs; Carpentry & joinery works
	SI	Landscaping and Gardening Works
	Sm	Roofing works
	Sn	Solar, wind and other alternative energy sources installations

So	Aluminium Works, Partitions, Glazing works and Ceiling finishes
Sp	Premix, Precast and Prefabricated Concrete works
Sq	Road furniture, signage and Markings, Off Carriageway Rehabilitation and Maintenance
Sr	Rigging
Ss	Security installations (Access control, intruder alarms, fencing and CCTV installations)
St	Swimming pools, fish ponds, fountains and other water feature related installations
Su	Demolition and associated works
Sv	Firefighting Installation
Sw	Scaffolding Works
Sx	Chemical application (e.g., Termite control) and Specialized building cleaning services
Sy	Tunnelling and associated works
Sz	Other Specialist works - Specify

APPENDIX II

GUIDELINES FOR VARIOUS CLASSIFICATIONS

	CLASSIFICATION GRADE >	1	2	3	4	5	Α	В
1	Shareholder or Director construction related qualification	1 No.	1 No.	1 No.	1 No.	1 No.	1 No.	1 No.
2	Professional Staff - Reg. Arch./ Eng./ QS. (CVs to be included)	4 No.	3 No.	2 No.	- \	-	3 No.	-
3	Technical Staff - Technicians (Construction related qualification, Craft Certificates / Trade Test)	5 No.	4 No.	3 No.	2 No.	1 No.	4 No.	1 No.
4	Accounting Personnel (Higher qualification)	1 No.	1 No.	1 No.			1 No.	-
5	Accounting Personnel (Basic qualification)	-5	, - A.		1 No.	, / -	1 No.	1 No.
6	Audited Accounts to IAS in English	Yes	Yes	Yes	-	1 /- 1	Yes	-
7	Financial Statements Certified by ZICA Member	-	1	- Day	Yes	7/ - /		-
		700	>K25m-	>K13m	>K9m-	>K4m-		
8	Limitation on Contract Value to be Tendered – Category B	>K55m	K55m	-K25m	K13m	K9m		
0			>K30-	>K20m	>K13m-	>K4-	0.717	
9	Limitation on Contract Value to be Tendered – Category C	>K60m	K60m	-K30m	K20m	K13m		
10		/	>K60m-	>K30m	>K20m-	>K6m-		
10	Limitation on Contract Value to be Tendered – Category R	>K150m	K150m	-K60m	K30m	K20m		
11	Limitation on Contract Value to be Tendered – Mining		>K35m-	>K20m	>K13m-	>K4m-	//	
11	Services	>K150m	K150m	-K35m	K20m	K13m		
40			>K40m-	>K20m	>K13m-	>K6m-		
12	Limitation on Contract Value to be Tendered – Category E	>K150m	K150m	-K40m	K20m	K13m	1	
			>K40m-	>K20m	>K13m-	>K6m-		
13	Limitation on Contract Value to be Tendered – Category ME	>K150m	K150m	-K40m	K20m	K13m		
14	Limitation on Contract Value to be Tendered - Category S		A.A	11.	-	-	>K10 m	>K0.0 m- K10m

^{*}An allowance of K0.1 million will be considered for the above grades.

APPENDIX III

MINIMUM TURNOVER REQUIRED

Best annual turnover in any one year during the past 5 years (certified and/or invoiced) should not be less than 50% of the prescribed maximum tender value for the Grade and Category in which an applicant wishes to be registered.

		GRADES									
CATEGORY	1	2	3	4	5	А	В				
Category B	K27.5m	K12.5m	K6.5m	K4.5m	K0.00	-	-				
Category C	K30m	K15.0m	K10.0m	K6.5m	K0.00	-	-				
Category R	K75m	K30.0m	K15.0m	K10.0m	K0.00	-	-				
Category M	K75m	K17.5m	K15.0m	K6.5m	K0.00	-	-				
Category E	K75m	K20.0m	K15.0m	K6.5m	K0.00	-	-				
Category ME	K75m	K20.0m	K15.0m	K6.5m	K0.00		-				
Category S	-	-	-	-	-	K3.375m	K0.00				

TABLE FOR THE MINIMUM EQUIPMENT REQUIRED PER GRADE

EQUIPMENT RATING	GRADE 1	GRADE 2	GRADE 3	GRADE 4	GRADE 5	CLASS A	CLASS B
Heavy Duty	3	2	1	0	0	0	0
Medium Duty	4	3	2	1	0	1	0
Light Duty	5	4	3	1	1	2	0

EXAMPLES OF EQUIPMENT CLASSES

Heavy Duty Equipment (Above 40 tons)	Medium Duty equipment (Between	Light Duty equipment (Below
Bull dozer, Low bed, Cranes, Grader,	20 and 40 tons)	20 tones)
Excavator, Scrapper, etc.	TLB, Tipper, Light truck, etc.	Utility van, Concrete Mixer etc.

Note: Mining Services Contractors should meet the minimum equipment requirement applicable to the main categories and Specialist contractors should have equipment and tools applicable to their class

APPENDIX V

RECOMMENDED CPD COURSES

The following courses under the NCC National Construction School are among the recommended trainings for consideration.

1	BWS – Building Works Supervision Course at NCC or its Equivalent
2	RCMSC – Road Construction and Maintenance Supervision Course
3	MCP – Management of Civil Engineering Processes

4	OSHE – Occupational Safety, Health (OSH) and Environment
5	CDC - Culvert and Drainage Course

Built Environment related Training from recognized institutions shall be considered under CPD requirements for registration

APPENDIX VI

5.0 FEES

5.1 FEE STRUCTURE FOR FOREIGN CONTRACTORS

Grades	1	2	Verification Fees
Registration fee	K187,500.00	K140,625.00	Mandatory for all Foreign
			Registration
Express Registration fee	K375,000.00	K281,250.00	(In US Dollar or Kwacha equivaler

Verification Fees	Outside Africa	Within Africa
Mandatory for all Foreign Registration	\$ 7500	\$ 4200
(In US Dollar or Kwacha equivalent)		

5.2 FEE STRUCTURE FOR ZAMBIAN CONTRACTORS

	1	2	3	4	5
Application Form	FREE	FREE	FREE	FREE	FREE
Registration Fee	K17,500.00	K13,075.00	K8,750.00	K2,225.00	K1,150.00
Express registration Fee	K34.550.00	K25.875.00	K17.275.00	K4.285.00	K2.190.00

5.3 FEE STRUCTURE FOR FOREIGN SPECIALIST CONTRACTORS

K187, 500.00
K 107, 300.00
K375, 000.00

	Α	В
Registration fees	K8, 750.00	K2, 225.00
Express registration fees	K17,275.00	K4,285.00

Ensure that your application for EXPRESS registration is approved by NCC before Express registration fees are paid.

Please note that Express Registration takes up to a maximum of FIVE (5) working days

5.5. BANK DETAILS

5.5.1: ALL FEES MUST BE PAID DIRECTLY TO THE NATIONAL COUNCIL FOR CONSTRUCTION BANK ACCOUNTS HEREUNDER

Account Name: NATIONAL COUNCIL FOR CONSTRUCTION					
Bank: ABSA Bank Zambia PLC	Bank: Access Bank Zambia	Bank: First National Bank (FNB)	Bank: Zambia Industrial	Bank. Zambia National	
Branch: Longacres	Branch: Lusaka Corporate	Branch: Commercial	Commercial Bank	Commercial Bank (ZANACO)	
Account No:17-5121854	Account No:0010300544005	Account No: 0062668217998	Branch: Lusaka Business	Branch: Acacia Park	
Swift Code: BARCZMLXXXX	Swift Code: ZFBAZMLU	Swift Code: FIRNZMLX	Centre	Account No:	
			Account No:1010036463174	5833688300193	
			Swift Code: ZICBZMLU	Swift Code: ZNCOZMLU	

Verification Fees are mandatory for all foreign contractors

5.6 SCRUTINY CHECKLIST FOR VARIOUS GRADES FOR FIRST REGISTRATION (DOCUMENTS TO ATTACH)

GRADE 1 TO 4		GRADE 5		
1	Original Proof of Payment	1	Original Proof of Payment	
2	Certificate of Incorporation/ in the case of cooperatives, the registrar of society stamped copy of share register should be submitted	2	Certificate of Incorporation/ in the case of cooperatives, the registrar of society stamped copy of share register should be submitted	
3	Current (year) PACRA computer printout	3	Current (year) PACRA computer printout	
4	Valid ZRA Tax Clearance Certificate	4	Valid ZRA Tax Clearance Certificate	
5	Valid Workers Compensation Registration	5	Proof of Asset Ownership – Movable (1 utility vehicle)	
6	Valid NAPSA Registration	6	Proof of works done (Completion certificates or final payment certificate)	
7	Audited Accounts for Grades 1 to 3 and Certified Accounts by ZICA Member for Grade 4 (Any one year during the past 3 years)	7	Proof of a Company Bank Account (Bank Statement or a Bank Reference Letter) issued within the last 6 months	
8	Proof of a Company Bank Account (Bank Statement or a Bank Reference Letter) issued within the last 6 months.	8	Certificates and CVs for Technical Staff (Refer to Appendix	
9	Proof of works done (Completion certificates or final payment certificate)	9	All Copies of academic certificates to be Certified as True copies of the original	
10	Proof of Asset Ownership – Fixed/Movable (Refer to Appendix III)	10	Declaration to be signed by the applicant, witness and Commissioner for Oaths (Page 4)	
11	Certificates and CVs for Key Professionals Staff (Refer to Appendix II)	11	Letter of Power of Attorney if declaration is signed by anyone else other than a shareholder	
12	Certificates and CVs for Technical Staff (Refer to Appendix II)	NOTE:		
13	All Copies of academic certificates to be Certified as True copies of the original	Only select a Grade where all criteria can be met by the entity. Ensure that you meet all the requirements for the Grade and Category that you are applying for before you make any payment.		
14	Declaration to be signed by the applicant, witness and Commissioner for Oaths (Page 4)	No refunds will be allowed should you go ahead and pay for a Grade and Category that you do not qualify for. Any excess fees paid to NCC under		
15	Letter of Power of Attorney if declaration is signed by anyone else other than a shareholder	any circumstance shall not be carried forward to the next registration year		