

Martial Arts Instruction Regulations

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1. These Regulations may be cited as the Martial Arts Instruction Regulations.

Application for registration

2.—(1) An application for the registration of a martial art association under these Regulations shall be made to the Controller in such form as the Controller may require.

(2) The application shall be signed by 3 officers of the association, or where the association has fewer than 3 officers, by every officer of the association.

(3) In considering an application made under paragraph (1), the Controller may require any officer of the association or any person managing or assisting in the management of the association to furnish him with such information as he may require concerning the provision of instruction in any form of martial art at a place provided or

to be provided by the association, or with any document, account or book of the association relating thereto.

(4) Upon registering a martial art association, the Controller shall issue to such association a certificate of registration in such form as he thinks fit.

(5) The fee payable for the registration of a martial art association shall be \$210.

Replacement of certificate of registration that is lost, etc.

3.—(1) If a certificate of registration issued under regulation 2 is lost, destroyed or defaced, the martial art association to which the certificate was issued shall forthwith notify the Controller of the loss, destruction or defacement.

(2) The Controller if satisfied —

- (a) that the certificate has been lost or destroyed shall, on payment of a fee of \$30; or
- (b) that the certificate has been defaced shall, on payment of a fee of \$30 and after surrender to him of the defaced certificate by the association,

issue a copy certified under the hand and seal of the Controller.

(3) If the certificate of registration which has been lost and replaced under paragraph (2) is recovered by the martial art association to which it was issued, the association shall forthwith return it to the Controller.

Return of certificate of registration

4. Where —

- (a) a martial art association has ceased to exist under section 13 or 14 of the Act; or
- (b) the registration of a martial art association is cancelled under section 20 of the Act,

the association shall forthwith return to the Controller the certificate of registration or the certified copy issued under regulation 2 or 3, respectively.

Registration as trainee

5.—(1) An application for the registration of a person as a trainee under these Regulations shall be made to the Controller in such form as the Controller may require.

(2) Where a person who applies for registration as a trainee under these Regulations has not attained the age of 12 years, the application shall be made on his behalf by a

parent or lawful guardian.

(3) Upon registering a person as a trainee under these Regulations, the Controller shall issue to such person a certificate of registration in such form as the Controller thinks fit.

(4) The registration of a person as a trainee under these Regulations is valid for 2 years and may be renewed for 2 years each time.

(5) The fee payable for the initial registration of a trainee under these Regulations shall be \$43 and for every renewal shall be \$30.

Photographs

6.—(1) Every person who applies —

(a) for registration as a trainee under these Regulations; or

(b) for a certified copy of a certificate of such registration under regulation 7,

shall furnish to the Controller 3 photographs of the size and form used for passports of himself.

(2) The photograph of the trainee to whom a certificate of registration or a certified copy thereof is issued under regulation 5 or 7, respectively, shall be affixed to the certificate or certified copy, as the case may be.

(3) The registration of a person as a trainee under these Regulations shall cease to be valid on the date of expiry of the certificate of registration issued to him under regulation 5, if such registration has not been previously revoked, cancelled or suspended.

Replacement of trainee's certificate that is lost, etc.

7.—(1) If a certificate of registration as a trainee issued under regulation 5 is lost, destroyed or defaced, the trainee to whom the certificate was issued shall forthwith notify the Controller of the loss, destruction or defacement.

(2) The Controller if satisfied —

(a) that the certificate has been lost or destroyed shall, on payment of a fee of \$13; or

(b) that the certificate has been defaced shall, on payment of a fee of \$13 and after surrender to him of the defaced certificate by the trainee,

issue a copy certified under the hand and seal of the Controller.

(3) If the certificate of registration which has been lost and replaced under

paragraph (2) is recovered by the trainee to whom it was issued, the trainee shall forthwith return it to the Controller.

(4) A certified copy of a certificate of registration issued under paragraph (2) shall have the same effect as the original certificate of registration.

Return of trainee's certificate

8.—(1) Where a person who is registered as a trainee under these Regulations ceases to receive instruction in any form of martial art, he shall forthwith return to the Controller the certificate of registration or any certified copy issued to him under regulation 5 or 7, respectively.

(2) The registration of a person as a trainee under these Regulations shall, unless previously revoked, cancelled or suspended, continue in force until the date of expiry of the certificate of registration issued to him under regulation 5(3).

Application for instructor's certificate

9.—(1) An application for an instructor's certificate shall be made to the Controller in such form as the Controller may require.

(2) Every person who applies —

(a) for an instructor's certificate; or

(b) for a certified copy of an instructor's certificate under regulation 11,

shall furnish to the Controller 3 photographs of the size and form used for passports of himself.

(3) Where an application for an instructor's certificate is approved, the Controller shall issue to the applicant an instructor's certificate in the form set out in the Schedule.

(4) The instructor's certificate issued under this regulation is valid for 2 years and may be renewed for 2 years each time.

(5) The fee payable for the initial issue of the instructor's certificate shall be \$140 and for every renewal shall be \$40.

(6) The photograph of the instructor to whom an instructor's certificate or a certified copy thereof is issued under this regulation or regulation 11, respectively, shall be affixed to the instructor's certificate or certified copy, as the case may be.

Variation of location and form of martial art

10. Where an instructor desires to provide instruction —