Imposition of Penalties on List Applicants and Others Pursuant to Sections 56(2), 92(2), 96(6), 181(2) or 183(6)

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IMPOSTION OF PENALTIES ON LIST APPLICANTS AND OTHERS PURSUANT TO SUBSECTIONS 56(2), 92(2), 96(6), 181(2) OR 183(6)

1. Citation of Standard

This Standard may be cited as Standard GEN. 10-16

2. Interpretation of Standard

This Standard applies to:

- (a) all list applicants, listed individuals and listed companies;
- (b) all authorised users and authorised representatives referred to in subsection 95(1) of the Act; and
- (c) all authorised representatives and designated representatives referred to in subsection 182(1) of the Act.

3. Penalties

- (1) Where NAMFISA is satisfied that the circumstances described in section 56(1), 92(1) or 181(1) exist, NAMFISA may impose on the List Applicant a penalty:
 - (a) not exceeding 2 percent of its revenues earned from its business activity in its immediately preceding financial year; or

- (b) suspending part or all of its business activity for which it is registered for a period not exceeding one month.
- (2) Where NAMFISA is satisfied that the circumstances described in subsections 96(1) and (6) exist, NAMFISA may impose on the authorised user or authorised representative, as applicable, a penalty:
 - (a) not exceeding 1 percent of its revenues earned from its business activity in its immediately preceding financial year; or
 - (b) suspending part or all of the business activity of the authorised user or authorised representative for a period of 3 months.
- (3) Where NAMFISA is satisfied that the circumstances described in subsections 183(1) and (6) exist, NAMFISA may impose on the authorised representative or designated representative, as applicable, a penalty:
 - (a) not exceeding 1 percent of its revenues earned from its business activity in its immediately preceding financial year; or
 - (b) suspending part or all of the business activity of the authorised representative or designated representative for a period of 3 months.