

## **Communiqué from the Pharmacy Council of Mauritius**

The Pharmacy Council will receive fees from all registered pharmacists from the 3rd January and up to the 31st January 2018 for the renewal of their registration. The payment of an annual fee is mandatory for a pharmacist to retain his registration with the Council.

Pharmacists who fail to pay the annual fee within the prescribed period shall be liable to pay the annual fee, together with a 50 per cent surcharge.

The prescribed annual fee is MUR 2,000 as per the Pharmacy Council (Levying of Fees and Registration of Pharmacists) Regulations 2017.

The Council will be managing the renewal-of-registration exercise for the first time and, on that occasion, it invites all pharmacists to call in person at the seat of the Council, c/o level 10, Emmanuel Anquetil Building, Port Louis to renew their registration. Pharmacists, or any person delegated by them, should bring their national ID card, and the receipt of payment of their annual fee for 2017.

A simultaneous exercise of collection of pharmacists' particulars needed to constitute the register of pharmacist - as per Section 21 (2) of The Pharmacy Council Act 2015- shall be initiated by the Registrar on site. The filling and submission of particulars are however voluntary and do not in any way condition the renewal of registration.

The procedure for checking registration status and for payment at the Ministry of Health and Quality of Life cashier's office, c/o 3<sup>rd</sup> floor, Bacha Building, Port Louis remains unchanged.

Please address any queries to the Registrar of the Pharmacy Council, email address: <a href="mailto:regpcycouncil@gmail.com">regpcycouncil@gmail.com</a>, tel: 52 57 06 76 or 201 3493

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**Registrar Pharmacy Council**