**LPEAC (Notaries Public) Rules 2019**

These Rules were made on 11th September 2019 (*Government Gazette* 19 September 2019, p. 3322)

**Rules of the Legal Practitioners Education and Admission Council for the Qualifications for Admission Enrolment and Post-Admission Education of Notaries Public 2019**

under the *Notaries Public Act 2016*

Pursuant to the *Notaries Public Act 2016* the *Legal Practitioners Education and Admission Council* makes the following rules:

**Part 1 – Preliminary**

**1 Citation**

These rules may be cited as the *LPEAC (Notaries Public) Rules 2019*.

**2 Commencement**

These rules will come into operation four months after the day on which they are made or on 15 January 2020, whichever is the later.

**3** **Interpretation**

(1) Terms used in these rules will have the same meaning in these rules as they have in the Act.

(2) In these rules, unless the contrary intention appears –

***admission*** means admission and enrolment under section 5 of the Act

***applicant*** means a person applying for admission under section 5 of the Act;

***Act*** means the *Notaries Public Act 2016;*

***LPEAC*** means the Legal Practitioners Education and Admission Council established under the Legal Practitioners Act 1981;

**Part 2 – Application for admission as a notary public**

**4 Professional requirements**

1. For entitlement to admission and enrolment as a notary public an applicant must have successfully completed a course of study related to notarial practice approved by LPEAC.
2. The following courses of study have been approved by LPEAC for the purpose of this Rule:
3. The Foundations of Notarial Practice Course provided by the Notaries’ Society of South Australia;
4. The Professional Course of Notarial Practice provided by the Sir Zelman Cowan Centre at Victoria University; or
5. The Notarial Practice Accreditation Course provided by the College of Law Limited.