

PROMOTION OF ACCESS TO INFORMATION ACT MANUAL

Promotion of Access to Information Act, 2000 (PAIA) Manual

for

Graça Machel Trust (GMT)

(Trust number: 3028/2010)

CONTENTS

- 1. Introduction and Contact Details
- 2. Guide on how to use PAIA and how to obtain access to the Guide
- 3. Records Available in terms of other Legislation
- 4. Schedule of Records
- 5. Form of Request
- 6. Availability of this Manual
- 7. Updating of this Manual

1. INTRODUCTION AND CONTACT DETAILS

Graça Machel Trust, a trust in South Africa working across Africa on women's rights, children's rights and governance and leadership.

Information Officer: Melizsa Mugyenyi Address: Investment Place Block C, 10th Road Hyde Park, 2196 Postal Address: Telephone Number: 011 325 0501

E-mail: privacy@gracamacheltrust.org



2. GUIDE ON HOW TO USE PAIA AND HOW TO OBTAIN ACCESS TO THE GUIDE

The Regulator has, in terms of section 10(1) of PAIA, as amended, updated and made available the revised Guide on how to use PAIA ("Guide"), in an easily comprehensible form and manner, as may reasonably be required by a person who wishes to exercise any right contemplated in PAIA and the Protection of Personal Information Act (POPI).

The Guide is available in each of the official languages and in braille.

The aforesaid Guide contains the description of-

- the objects of PAIA and POPI;
 - the postal and street address, phone and fax number and, if available, electronic mail address of-
 - o the Information Officer of every public body, and
 - every Deputy Information Officer of every public and private body designated in terms of section 17(1) of PAIA and section 56 of POPI;
- the manner and form of a request for
 - o access to a record of a public body contemplated in section 11; and
 - o access to a record of a private body contemplated in section 50;
- the assistance available from the IO of a public body in terms of PAIA and POPI;
- the assistance available from the Regulator in terms of PAIA and POPI;
- all remedies in law available regarding an act or failure to act in respect of a right or duty conferred or imposed by PAIA and POPIA, including the manner of lodging
 - o an internal appeal;
 - o a complaint to the Regulator; and



- an application with a court against a decision by the information officer of a public body, a decision on internal appeal or a decision by the Regulator or a decision of the head of a private body;
- the provisions of sections 14 and 51 requiring a public body and private body, respectively, to compile a manual, and how to obtain access to a manual;
- the provisions of sections 15 and 52 providing for the voluntary disclosure of categories of records by a public body and private body, respectively;
- the notices issued in terms of sections 22 and 54 regarding fees to be paid in relation to requests for access; and
- the regulations made in terms of section 92.

Members of the public can inspect or make copies of the Guide from the offices of the public and private bodies, including the office of the Regulator, during normal working hours.

The Guide can also be obtained-

- upon request to the Information Officer;
- from the website of the Regulator (https://www.justice.gov.za/inforeg/).

A copy of the Guide is also available in the following two official languages, for public inspection during normal office hours-

- English
- <u>Zulu</u>



3. APPLICABLE LEGISLATION

Certain records held by GMT are available in terms of legislation other than PAIA. The specific records which are available in terms of such legislation are set out therein and these records may in certain instances only be accessed by the persons specified in the relevant legislation. Such legislation includes:

- Income Tax Act 58 of 1962
- Tax Administration Act 28 of 2011
- Pension Funds Act 24 of 1956
- Unemployment Insurance Act 63 of 2001
- Basic Conditions of Employment Act 75 of 1997
- Employment Equity Act 55 of 1998
- Broad Based Black Economic Empowerment Act 53 of 2003
- Labour Relations Act 66 of 1995
- Compensation for Occupational Injuries and Diseases Act 130 of 1993
- Protection of Personal Information Act 4 of 2013
- Electronic Communications and Transactions Act 25 of 2002

4. SCHEDULE OF RECORDS

General information about GMT can be accessed via the internet on our website at https://gracamacheltrust.org/ and social media pages.

The subjects on which GMT holds records and the categories on each subject in terms of Section 51(1)(e) of PAIA are as listed below. Please note that a requester is not automatically allowed access to these records and that access to them may be refused in accordance with Sections 62 to 69 of PAIA and the Protection of Personal Information Act, 4 of 2013:

A. Human Resources:

- Employee records
- Contracts
- Guidelines, policies and procedure

mm



B. Trust Records:

- Trustee Formation Records
- Statutory records
- Trustee minutes and resolutions

C. Financial:

- Tax records (GMT and Staff)
- Annual financial statements
- Bank statements
- Purchase Orders/Invoices
- Asset Register
- Insurance information

D. Operational:

- Operational reviews
- Donor and donation records
- Beneficiary records
- Vendor records
- Guidelines, policies and procedure
- Contracts
- Internal and external correspondence
- · Records provided by a third party
- Databases
- Information technology



Please see our Privacy Notices for information regarding our practices with regard to personal information including:

- 1. The purpose of the processing of personal information;
- A description of the categories of data subjects and of information or categories relating thereto;
- Recipients or categories of recipients to whom personal information may be supplied;
- 4. Planned transborder flows; and
- 5. A general description of our security practices.

The Privacy Notice relating to third party data subjects can be located on our website.

The Privacy Notice relating to employees and contractors is available at our office and on request.

5. FORM OF REQUEST

A requester must comply with all the procedural requirements contained in PAIA relating to the request for access to a record.

A request for access to records held by GMT in terms of section 50 of PAIA must be made on the form contained in the Regulations regarding the Promotion of Access to Information (<u>Form 2</u>). The request must be made to GMT at the address or email address, specified in section 1 above.

A requester must provide sufficient detail on the prescribed form to allow GMT to identify the record or records which have been requested and the identity of the requester. If a request is made on behalf of another person or entity, the requester must submit details and proof of the capacity in which the requester is making the request, which must be reasonably satisfactory to GMT. The requester is also required to indicate the form of access to the relevant records that is required, and to provide his, her or its contact details in the Republic of South Africa.



6. AVAILABILITY OF THE MANUAL

A copy of the Manual is available-

- on our website;
- head office of the GMT for public inspection during normal business hours;
- to any person upon request and upon the payment of a reasonable prescribed fee; and
- to the Information Regulator upon request.

A fee for a copy of the Manual, as contemplated in annexure B of the Regulations, shall be payable per each A4-size photocopy made.

7. UPDATING OF THE MANUAL

The Information Officer will on a regular basis update this manual.

Information Officer
Date: 6/20/2022
Version 1

