



This will be done through the implementation of the public service regulations to deal decisively with applicants holding fraudulent qualifications.

South Africans are also urged to be cognisant of unscrupulous higher education providers who are not registered with the Department of Higher Education and not accredited by official quality assurance bodies.

Liphoko also reiterated the call by Minister of Higher Education, Blade Nzimande, for the establishment of a national fraud register and the proposed strengthening of key pieces of legislation to address this fraudulent activity.

These interventions, he said, will serve to strengthen measures that the SAQA has already put in place to ensure a verification service for existing employees, prospective employees, and high-level appointments.

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