THE TANZANIA INSTITUTE OF BANKERS (TIOB)



CHANGES IN TIOB PROFESSIONAL BANKING EXAMINATIONS STRUCTURE

As part of Transformation of the Tanzania Institute of Bankers, the Institute has changed its Professional Banking Examinations Structure. Therefore, all new entrants, i.e. candidates who will sit for TIOB examinations for the first time in November 2016 will register under the "**New Structure**". All other candidates, i.e. candidates who have already attempted and passed some subjects examinations will continue to register under the "Old Structure" until they complete their respective Programmes.

New Structure for Banking Certificate and Certified Professional Banking Examinations

A: Banking Certificate (BC) Programme

The Banking Certificate programme will have seven subjects divided into two levels; BC I and BC II. A candidate will be allowed to sit for BC II examinations after passing all BC I subjects.

(i) Banking Certificate Level I (BC I)

- 1. Principles of Banking.
- 2. Principles of Marketing and Business Ethics.
- 3. Principles of Management.
- 4. Information Technology.

(ii) Banking Certificate Level II (BC II)

- Accounting
- 6. Principles of Economics.
- 7. Principles of Law

Award

On successful completion of the Banking Certificate programme; that is, after passing all BC I and BC II subjects examinations, a candidate will be awarded a **Banking Certificate** gualification.

B: Certified Professional Banking (CPB) Programme

The Certified Professional Banking (CPB) programme will have eight subjects divided into two levels; CPB I and CPB II. A candidate will be allowed to sit for CPB II examinations after passing all CPB I subjects.

i. Certified Professional Banking Level I (CPB I)

- 1. Law Relating to Banking Services.
- 2. Management Practice.
- 3. Strategic Marketing Management.
- 4. International Trade Finance.

ii. Certified Professional Banking Level II (CPB II)

- 5. The Monetary and Financial System.
- 6. Financial Services.
- 7.Lending.
- 8. Financial Analysis.

Award

On successful completion of the Certified Professional Banking Programme; that is, after passing all CPB I and CPB II subjects examinations, a candidate will be awarded a **Certified Professional Banker** qualification.

CPB Programme – New Entry Requirement

Direct entrants into a CPB Programme under the new structure will be holders of 1st Degrees or Advanced Diplomas in Banking, Accounting or Economics. Other Degrees / Advanced Diploma holders are required to pass BC II first before they proceed to CPB Programme.

Other entry requirements will remain as stated in the TIOB Transformation agenda.

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