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IN exercise of the power conferred on the Minister responsible for the Environment under section 28 of the Environmental Protection Agency Act, 1994 (Act 490) and on the advice of the Board these Regulations are made this 26th day of April, 2002.

L.I. 1652 amended

1. The Environmental Assessment Regulations, 1999 (L.I. 1652) referred to in these Regulations as the “principal enactment is amended.

(a) by the substitution for regulation 8 of the following :

“Fees and charges for environmental permits and certificates.”

8.(1) The fees and charges for permits specified in Schedules 2A and 2B to these Regulations shall be paid to the Agency in respect of the matters specified in relation to them in the Schedules.

(2) The certificate fees specified in Schedule 2C to these Regulations shall be paid to the Agency in respect of the matters specified in relation to them”,

(b) by the insertion after regulation 8 of the following new regulation 8A as follows:

“Publication of notice of environmental permit

8A. The Agency shall publish in the Gazette and the mass media and in such form as the Agency shall determine notice of every environmental permit issued within 3 months of the date of issue of the permit”.

Insertion of Schedules 2A, 2B and 2C

2. The principal enactment is amended by the insertion after Schedules 2A, 2B and 2C as follows:

“SCHEDULE 2A
(Regulation 8(1))

Environmental Processing charges and Permit Fees for the large scale undertaking

Scale of undertaking	Fees in US \$ or cedi equivalent
Undertaking with total development cost exceeding 10 million US Dollars	0.1% of total development cost and in any case not exceeding US 50,000 dollars (25% of which is payable upfront as processing fees

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SCHEDULE 2B
(Regulation 8(1))

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Environmental Processing Charges and Permit Fees other than
indicated in Schedule 2A

Sectors	Processing Charges	Environmental Permit Fee
A. MINING SECTOR PROPOSALS	¢	¢
1. Large "Impact Scale" Proposals	25,000,000.00	50,000,000.00
2. Medium "Impact Scale" Proposals	15,000,000.00	35,000,000.00
3. Small "Impact Scale " Proposals	5,000,000.00	20,000,000.00
4. Quarry "Impact Scale " Proposals	1,000,000.00	1,500,000.00
5. Minor "Impact Scale" Proposals	-	300,000.00
B. ENERGY AND TOURISM SECTOR PROPOSALS		
1. Large "Impact Scale" Proposals	14,000,000.00	30,000,000.00
2. Medium "Impact Scale" Proposals	7,000,000.00	18,000,000.00
3. Small "Impact Scale " Proposals	2,500,000.00	5,000,000.00
4. Minor "Impact Scale" Proposals	300,000.00	500,000.00
C. MANUFACTURING INDUSTRY AND GENERAL CONSTRUCTION SECTOR PROPOSALS		
1. Large "Impact Scale" Proposals	7,000,000.00	25,000,000.00
2. Medium "Impact Scale" Proposals	5,000,000.00	14,000,000.00
3. Small "Impact Scale " Proposals	1,200,000.00	5,000,000.00
4. Minor "Impact Scale" Proposals	300,000.00	1,200,000.00
D. OTHER PROPOSALS (AGRICULTURE, HEALTH, TRANSPORTATION, WILDLIFE & FORESTRY)		
5. Large "Impact Scale" Proposals	5,000,000.00	9,000,000.00
6. Medium "Impact Scale" Proposals	2,500,000.00	3,000,000.00
7. Small "Impact Scale " Proposals	600,000.00	1,200,000.00
8. Minor "Impact Scale" Proposals	120,000.00	500,000.00
9. Micro "Impact Scale" Proposals	-	100,000.00

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SECTORS	Processing	Environmental Permit
E. HOTELS	Charges ¢	Fee ¢
1. 5-10 Rooms	150,000.00	240,000.00
2. 11-15 Rooms	200,000.00	450,000.00
3. 16-20 Rooms	250,000.00	600,000.00
4. 21-25 Rooms	350,000.00	800,000.00
5. 26-30 Rooms	500,000.00	1,000,000.00
6. 31-35 Rooms	600,000.00	1,250,000.00
7. 36-40 Rooms	750,000.00	1,500,000.00
F. LPG RETAIL OUTLET	300,000.00	600,000.00
G. PETROL SERVICE STATIONS	800,000.00	1,350,000.00

SCHEDULE 2C
(Regulation 8(2))

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Environmental Certificate Fee

Environmental certificate for large scale undertaking

Scale of undertaking	Fee for certificate
Undertaking with total development cost exceeding 10million US Dollars	¢30 million

Sectors	Fee
A. MINING SECTOR PROPOSALS	¢
1. Large "Impact Scale" Proposals	25,000,000.00
2. Medium "Impact Scale" Proposals	20,000,000.00
3. Small "Impact Scale " Proposals	10,000,000.00
4. Quarry "Impact Scale " Proposals	1,000,000.00
5. Minor "Impact Scale" Proposals	-
B. ENERGY AND TOURISM SECTOR PROPOSALS	
1. Large "Impact Scale" Proposals	16,000,000.00
2. Medium "Impact Scale" Proposals	8,000,000.00
3. Small "Impact Scale " Proposals	2,500,000.00
4. Minor "Impact Scale" Proposals	250,000.00

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C. MANUFACTURING INDUSTRY AND GENERAL CONSTRUCTION SECTOR PROPOSALS	
1. Large "Impact Scale" Proposals	12,000,000.00
2. Medium "Impact Scale" Proposals	7,500,000.00
3. Small "Impact Scale " Proposals	2,500,000.00
4. Minor "Impact Scale" Proposals	650,000.00
D. OTHER PROPOSALS (AGRICULTURE, HEALTH, TRANSPORTATION, WILDLIFE & FORESTRY)	
1. Large "Impact Scale" Proposals	5,000,000.00
2. Medium "Impact Scale" Proposals	1,500,000.00
3. Small "Impact Scale " Proposals	650,000.00
4. Minor "Impact Scale" Proposals	250,000.00
5. Micro "Impact Scale" Proposals	100,000.00
E. HOTELS	
1. 5-10 Rooms	100,000.00
2. 11-15 Rooms	200,000.00
3. 16-20 Rooms	250,000.00
4. 21-25 Rooms	350,000.00
5. 26-30 Rooms	500,000.00
6. 31-35 Rooms	600,000.00
7. 36-40 Rooms	750,000.00
F. LPG RETAIL OUTLET	300,000.00
G. PETROL SERVICE STATIONS	650,000.00

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