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GENERAL CIRCULAR NO. 1/2004

<p style="text-align: center;">RESTRICTIONS ON REGISTERED BUILDING DRAUGHTSMEN TO SUBMIT BUILDING PLANS</p>
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As you are aware, a registered Building Draughtsman is entitled to submit building plans subject to the restrictions as provided under Section 24(5)(i) or 24(5)(ii) of the Architects Act 1967.

Consequent to the amended Act which came into force on 1 December 2002, the Board is empowered to impose other restrictions as it deems fit.

The Board has taken into consideration application received from the Registered Building Draughtsmen Association of Malaysia and agreed to allow qualified registered Building Draughtsmen to submit plans exceeding the present restrictions.

For this purpose, the Board has decided that only those registered Building Draughtsmen who fulfill the following requirements would be considered :-

- (a) No record of disciplinary action.
- (b) Have been in practice after registration for a minimum period as follows :

Degree holder	-	5 years
Diploma holder	-	7 years
Others	-	10 years
- (c) Have displayed good practice.

Consideration for the review of restriction will be made based on the application received from any registered Building Draughtsman and an interview to be conducted by the Board. The Board has the right to seek views from the Registered Building Draughtsmen Association of Malaysia on the conduct and/or practice of an applicant if necessary.

Application for the above consideration can be made by using the attached Form.

Any registered Building Draughtsman whose application is approved by the Board will be allowed to submit plans for buildings up to 600 square meters in floor areas. The restriction on height of buildings shall remain at 2 storeys.

Thank you.

By Order of the Board of Architects Malaysia,



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(ZURAINA LEILY AWALLUDIN)

Registrar

Distribution :

All Registered Building Draughtsmen.
All Board members.

6 May 2004.