

SHORT LEARNING PROGRAMMES (SLPs) OFFERED BY THE CENTRE FOR LAW IN ACTION
APPLICABLE SPECIFICALLY TO OPERATION PHAKISA INITIATIVE 5

COURSE NAME	COMPLEXITY LEVEL ^o	CONTACT HOURS	PURPOSE
ANTI-CORRUPTION			
Drafting of Anti-Corruption Legislation	M+4	80	To teach legislative drafters the techniques and conventions relating to the writing of policies and the techniques, conventions and linguistics relating to the drafting of anti-corruption legislation. A blended learning approach will be followed. This entails working on an e-learning platform augmented by contact sessions. Admission/entrance requirements: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A law qualification at Tertiary level.
NEW Prevention of Corruption in the Fisheries Sector	M+1	16	To upskill and provide guidance to enforcement officers on the use of anti-corruption techniques to more effectively prevent and combat fisheries crime. Admission/entrance requirements: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A National Senior Certificate (NSC)/A National Certificate (Vocational) Level 4 (NCV4); or • An appropriate Further Education and Training Certificate or equivalent.
GENERAL LEGAL TRAINING			
Legislative Drafting	M+4	80	To teach government officials and interested law graduates the techniques, conventions and linguistics relating to the drafting of municipal, provincial and national legislation. A blended learning approach will be followed. This entails working on an e-learning platform augmented by contact sessions. Admission/entrance requirements: A law qualification at Tertiary level.
LAW ENFORCEMENT			
A. Environmental Management Inspector (EMI) Training for Environmental Health Practitioners (EHPs)	M+1	40	To train EHPs (employed mainly at Municipalities) to be designated as Environmental Management Inspectors (EMIs). Admission/entrance requirements: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A National Senior Certificate (NSC). • A National Certificate (Vocational) Level 4 (NCV4); or • An appropriate Further Education and Training Certificate or equivalent;

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			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> At least 2 years work experience in the field of Environmental Health is recommended; EHPs must be registered with the HPCSA and should preferably have undergone Peace Officer training. <p>This SLP is accredited by the HPCSA.</p>
B. Introduction to Environmental Management Inspection (EMI) for Environmental Health Practitioners (EHPs)	M+1	16	<p>To provide EHPs with basic knowledge, skills and theoretical competence in EMI.</p> <p>Admission/entrance requirements:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> A National Senior Certificate (NSC); A National Certificate (Vocational) level 4 (NCV4); or An appropriate Further Education and Training Certificate at NQF level 4 or equivalent; At least 2 years relevant work experience in the field of environmental management, health or enforcement is recommended. <p>This SLP is accredited by the HPCSA.</p>
C. Introduction to the Principles of Law Enforcement for Peace Officers <i>(Aligned to US 377224 – Demonstrate an understanding of the role and functions of a Peace Officer and Traffic Warden)</i>	M	40	<p>To enable delegates to understand the legislation pertaining to peace officers, to apply the legislation and to perform the functions of a peace officer.</p> <p>Admission/entrance requirements:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> The course is aimed at employees who do not have matric/grade 12 but delegates would nevertheless require communication and language competencies at NQF level 4. <p>Note:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Successful completion is sufficient for the purposes of being appointed as a peace officer.
D. Law Enforcement by Peace Officers for Environmental Health Practitioners (EHPs) *	Credit bearing	40	<p>To provide Environmental Health Practitioners (EHPs) with the knowledge required to promote and enforce health legislation. It equips them with the knowledge to undertake inspections of premises and to stop or prevent damaging or harmful activities and to ensure compliance with notices and implementation of corrective or alleviating measures where necessary.</p> <p>Admission/entrance requirements:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> A National Senior Certificate (NSC)/A National Certificate (Vocational) Level 4 (NCV4); or An appropriate Further Education and Training Certificate or equivalent. <p>(12 credits towards the Higher Certificate: Criminal Justice and / or credits towards the Diploma in Law Enforcement).</p> <p>This course is accredited by the HPCSA</p>
E. Law Enforcement by Peace Officers for Fishery Control	Credit bearing	40	<p>This SLP is specifically adapted to the requirements of fishery control officers (FCOs) appointed in terms of section 9 of the Marine Living Resources Act 18 of 1998 (MLRA). Such officials are by</p>

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Officers (FCOs)			<p>virtue of section 51(5) of the MLRA “deemed” to be peace officers. It is also of value for officials clothed with the capacity to perform related functions, such as certain municipal officials, members of SAPs, metro police and SANPARKs.</p> <p>Admission/entrance requirements:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A National Senior Certificate (NSC)/A National Certificate (Vocational) Level 4 (NCV4); or • An appropriate Further Education and Training Certificate or equivalent. <p>(12 credits towards the Higher Certificate: Criminal Justice and / or credits towards the Diploma in Law Enforcement).</p>
F. Principles of Advanced Law Enforcement for Professional Municipal Staff	M+2	24	<p>To provide theoretical and practical knowledge required for professional staff of municipalities such as Town Planners, Building Control Officers and Environmental Practitioners to ensure compliance with the national, provincial and municipal legislation applicable to their functions as well as the implementation of administrative, civil and criminal enforcement measures available.</p> <p>Admission/entrance requirements:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • An NQF level 5 qualification is necessary; and • At least 3 years working experience in local government. • Applicants will be required to go through a selection process. <p>This course is accredited by the HPCSA.</p>
G. Visible Law Enforcement	M+1	40	<p>To specialise in the practice of visible policing and the role that this plays in crime prevention.</p> <p>Admission/entrance requirements:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A National Senior Certificate (NSC)/A National Certificate (Vocational) Level 4 (NCV4); or • An appropriate Further Education and Training Certificate or equivalent.

FISHERIES CRIME RELATED TRAINING

(The credit bearing SLPs earn credits towards the new Diploma in Law Enforcement offered by Nelson Mandela University's Law Faculty).

Admission/entrance requirements to the non-credit bearing SLPs:

- A National Senior Certificate (NSC)/A National Certificate (Vocational) Level 4 (NCV4); or
- An appropriate Further Education and Training Certificate or equivalent

Admission/entrance requirements to the credit bearing SLPs/Modules:

Access to these short learning programmes are granted to applicants who meet the following minimum admission requirements:

- A National Senior Certificate (NSC) granting access to a Diploma
- National Certificate (Vocational) Level 4 or
- An appropriate Further Education and Training Certificate or equivalent

Learning assumed to be in place

- It is assumed that the student would be competent in the language of instruction (English at NQF Level 4), Mathematical Literacy (NQF Level 4) and the theoretical knowledge and understanding accomplished at that level
- Ability to manage own time in a disciplined manner
- Be an independent learner who is able to keep to set deadlines

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1. Law for Fishery Control Officers <i>*Law for Fisheries Control Officials, Inspectors & other Enforcement Officials - credit bearing module</i>	M+1 Credit bearing	40	To empower officers/inspectors and enforcement officials in the field of fishery control to acquire the necessary knowledge, understanding and practical skills relating to the legislation dealing with fish and other related legislation to take appropriate enforcement action. <i>*(15 credits towards the Diploma in Law Enforcement).</i>
2. Detection and Monitoring of Fisheries Transgressions <i>*Enforcement of Marine and Coastal Legislation – credit bearing module</i>	M+1 M+1	40	To prepare, skill and train enforcement officers in the detection and monitoring of fisheries transgression by monitoring, control and surveillance (MCS). <i>*(15 credits towards the Diploma in Law Enforcement).</i>
3. Crime Scene Management & Investigative Support in Fisheries Crime <i>*Criminal Investigation I - credit bearing module</i>	M+1 M+2	40	To prepare law enforcement officers with the necessary skills and knowledge to effectively manage a crime scene in support of investigations in fishery crimes. <i>*(15 credits towards the Diploma in Law Enforcement).</i>
4. Species Identification & Fisheries	M+1	40	To prepare students in the identification and interpretation of commercially targeted fish

Technology <i>*Identification of Marine Species and Vessels and Gear used in Illegal Fishing - credit bearing module</i>	M+2		species both in South African and adjacent international waters, as well as the type of vessels and fishing gear used by local and international fleets to target these species. <i>*(15 credits towards the Diploma in Law Enforcement).</i>
Advanced SLPs Admission/entrance requirements to the non-credit bearing Advanced SLPs: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Students assessing this SLP must be in possession of a Further Education & Training Certificate at NQF level 5 or equivalent or • Successful completion of the first 4 core short learning programmes listed above prior to registering on the advanced short learning programmes (5-7 below). Admission/entrance requirements to the credit bearing SLPs as previously listed above.			
5. Conducting Advanced Investigations in Fisheries Crimes <i>*Criminal Investigation II - credit bearing module</i>	M+2 M+2	40	To facilitate the acquisition of knowledge, understanding and practical skills relating to major investigations in fisheries crimes. <i>*(15 credits towards the Diploma in Law Enforcement).</i>
6. Advanced Forensic Investigations in Fisheries Crimes	M+2	40	To acquire advanced knowledge, understanding and practical skills relating to the forensic aspects of an investigation into white collar crime within the fisheries crimes environment. To acquire knowledge, understanding and practical skills relating to major investigations in fisheries crimes.
7. Fisheries Trade Monitoring and Compliance	M+2	40	To acquire knowledge, understanding and practical skills relating to the international trade in fisheries products and major investigations in fisheries crimes.
8. *Law of Evidence	Credit bearing	40	To equip the students with practical knowledge relating to the aspects of the law of evidence which are pertinent to law enforcement. <i>*(15 credits towards the Diploma in Law Enforcement).</i>

NEW CRIMINAL LAW ENFORCEMENT PROGRAMME

The Nelson Mandela University's Centre for Law in Action (CLA) presents a **new formal learning programme** titled the **Criminal Law Enforcement Programme** on offer from 2019.

- Comprises 5 modules (4 core and 1 elective)
- Carries 54 credits towards the Higher Certificate: Criminal Justice (NQF 5) and or credits towards the new Diploma in Law Enforcement offered by the Nelson Mandela University's Faculty of Law

Purpose of the Programme

To provide a vocational, industry focused programme to employees in the law enforcement environment to equip them with the basic knowledge, tools and practical techniques to enable them to perform their functions in terms of the Criminal Procedures Act and other specific legislation that may be enforced by officials in certain job categories such as:

- Nature conservation officers
- Members of fire safety organisations
- Sea fisheries officials
- Law enforcement officials
- Municipal employees

Entrance Requirements

Access to this credit bearing short learning programme is granted to applicants who meet the following minimum entrance requirements:

- A National Senior Certificate (NSC) granting access to a Higher Certificate; or
- A National Certificate (Vocational) Level 4 (NCV4); or
- An appropriate Further Education and Training Certificate or equivalent.

COURSE NAME	COMPLEXITY LEVEL ^o	CONTACT HOURS	PURPOSE
Introduction to the Constitution and Bill of Rights*	Credit bearing	40	To provide sound knowledge of the basic principles of the Constitution and the Bill of Rights and its application in the criminal justice system (12 credits towards the HC: Criminal Justice Enforcement).
Introduction to Criminal Investigation*	Credit bearing	40	To enable students to secure a crime scene and to apply the basic techniques of criminal investigation (12 credits towards the HC: Criminal Justice and/or credits towards the Diploma in Law Enforcement).
Law Enforcement by Peace Officers (LEPO)*	Credit bearing	40	To enable students to enforce municipal by-laws and other legislation applicable to local government. . It is aimed at the training of any official who is responsible for the implementation and enforcement of by-laws or other legislation applicable to local government and for whom appointment as a peace officer in terms of Section 334 of the

			Criminal Procedure Act. 51 of 1977 is required (12 credits towards the HC: Criminal Justice and/or credits towards the Diploma in Law Enforcement).
Taking of Statements*	Credit bearing	40	To equip students to compile statements adhering to the requirements and standards set by the courts and the NPA (12 credits towards the HC: Criminal Justice and/or credits towards the Diploma in Law Enforcement).
Select 1 of belowmentioend elective modules			
Enforcement of Marine and Coastal Legislation*	Credit bearing	20	To understand and apply the principles of criminal and administrative justice in the enforcement of legislation applicable to marine living resources and protected areas (6 credits towards the HC: Criminal Justice)
or			
Enforcement of by-laws by Traffic Officials / Municipal Police / Municipal Law Enforcement Officers*	Credit bearing	20	To equip students to enforce municipal by-laws (6 credits towards the HC: Criminal Justice).
Proviso			
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Completion of the abovementioned programme will not lead to a formal qualification. • Students who have successfully completed this programme will not automatically be accepted onto the Higher Certificate or Diploma in Law Enforcement. They would have to meet the minimum entrance requirements of the Higher Certificate or Diploma in Law Enforcement to complete the formal qualification. • Students will not be allowed to complete more than 59 credits (50% of the 120 credits) of a formal qualification through a non-formal programme. • Students who may already have completed SLPs included in this programme will not be able to apply for more than 24 credits onto the Programme (2 core SLPs). 			

CREDIT BEARING SHORT LEARNING PROGRAMMES (SLPs) LINKED TO THE HIGHER CERTIFICATE: CRIMINAL JUSTICE AND / OR NEW DIPLOMA IN LAW ENFORCEMENT

(These SLPs earn credits towards the Higher Certificate: Criminal Justice and / or new Diploma in Law Enforcement offered by Nelson Mandela University's Law Faculty).

Admission/entrance requirements:

Access to this credit bearing short learning programme is granted to applicants who meet the following minimum entrance requirements:

- A National Senior Certificate (NSC) granting access to a Higher Certificate; or
- A National Certificate (Vocational) Level 4 (NCV4); or
- An appropriate Further Education and Training Certificate or equivalent.

Completion of the 8 below-mentioned credit bearing SLPs linked to the HC: Criminal Justice **will not lead to a formal qualification.**

Proviso: No more than 50% of the 120 credits of a formal qualification may be earned through SLPs

- Numbers 1-6 listed below are core modules linked to the HC: Criminal Justice
- Numbers 7-8 listed below are elective modules linked to abovementioned qualification.
- **Course no 4 (Law Enforcement by Peace Officers – LEPO) is a pre-requisite for enrolment to any of the elective modules**

COURSE NAME	COMPLEXITY LEVEL ^o	CONTACT HOURS	PURPOSE
Core	Credit bearing	40	To distinguish between common law and statutory crimes and to identify the elements of selected crimes (12 credits towards the HC: Criminal Justice and / or credits towards the Diploma in Law Enforcement).
1. Introduction to Common Law and Statutory Crimes*	Credit bearing	40	To provide sound knowledge of the basic principles of the Constitution and the Bill of Rights and its application in the criminal justice system (12 credits towards the HC: Criminal Justice).
2. Introduction to the Constitution and Bill of Rights*	Credit bearing	40	To enable delegates to secure a crime scene and to apply the basic techniques of criminal investigation (12 credits towards the HC: Criminal Justice and / or credits towards the Diploma in Law Enforcement).
3. Introduction to Criminal Investigation*	Credit bearing	40	To enable delegates to enforce municipal by-laws and legislation. It is aimed at the training of any official who is responsible for the implementation and enforcement of by-laws or legislation and for whom appointment as a peace officer in terms of Section 334 of the Criminal Procedure Act required (12 credits towards the HC: Criminal Justice and / or credits towards the Diploma in Law Enforcement).
4. Law Enforcement by Peace Officers (LEPO)*	Credit bearing	40	

5. Principles of Criminal Liability*	Credit bearing	40	To enable delegates to acquire an understanding of the principles of criminal liability of private individuals as well as corporate bodies and government in the SA criminal justice system (12 credits towards the HC: Criminal Justice) .
6. Taking of Statements*	Credit bearing	40	To equip delegates to compile statements adhering to the requirements and standards set by the courts and the NPA (12 credits towards the HC: Criminal Justice and / or credits towards the Diploma in Law Enforcement) .
<i>Elective</i> 7. Enforcement of Marine and Coastal Legislation*	Credit bearing	20	To understand and apply the principles of criminal and administrative justice in the enforcement of legislation applicable to marine living resources and protected areas (6 credits towards the HC: Criminal Justice) .
8. Enforcement by SANPark officials*	Credit bearing	20	To provide basic understanding of the principles of criminal and administrative justice in the enforcement of legislation applicable to national parks and protected areas (6 credits towards the HC: Criminal Justice) .

*The SLP is credit bearing towards formal qualifications offered by the Faculty of Law at Nelson Mandela University

° Level Descriptors	
M	Matric
M+1	First year post Matric Level
M+2	Second year post Matric Level
M+3	Third year post Matric Level
<p>° The descriptor indicates the complexity level of the programme i.e. the level at which the training is pitched. Prospective delegates must have this level qualification to attend. It does NOT indicate a qualification.</p>	

POST TRAINING SUPPORT

The purpose of the **FishFORCE Operational Secure Portal** (which is currently work in progress) is to provide agencies with **post-training support material**, i.e. assist delegates that have previously attended training by providing information such as:

1. Legislation
2. Fine schedules
3. Pro forma charge sheets
4. Powers and functions of the various agencies
5. International documents such as the Palermo Convention, ONODC and Interpol publications
6. Relevant academic articles
7. Reports in the press and other articles e.g. Tresfon, J (30 December 2018) "Shocking revelations about abalone poaching in South Africa" SA People or links to it.
8. Summaries of case law and the implications for law enforcement

The portal will be web based and available on mobile platforms as well (smartphones).

TRAINING DATES

Will be arranged on request at the premises of the Nelson Mandela University or

If there is a group booking interested parties are welcome to contact the service provider to schedule suitable dates for in-house training. (Conditions apply).

ADMISSION/ENTRANCE REQUIREMENTS

Please ensure that admission/entrance requirements are adhered to as per the course outlines or contact the coordinators as listed below for information.

VENUE

Nelson Mandela University, Port Elizabeth OR In-house training at the selected Institution or Municipality.

LANGUAGE POLICY

All short courses are conducted in English and students are encouraged to complete their assignments in English.

COURSE FEES/CANCELLATIONS/REFUNDS

Course fees are payable prior to attendance. No refund will be made for cancellations received less than 5 working days before the course. Applicants may however nominate a replacement.

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