

QUESTIONNAIRE

SUBJECT: COPYRIGHT REGISTRATION AND RECORDATION

1. The name of the Copyright Registering Body is Society of Authors and Artists. This is a statutory body created by the provisions of Section 31 (1) of Copyright Order No. 13, 1989.
2. The society is not yet in operation and therefore has no webpage and e-mail address.
3. Copyright registry is not interconnected to any other copyright Data System
4. Copyright Order No. 13, 1989 is the only legislation regarding copyright.
5. Works eligible for registration are literary Artistic and Scientific works. There is no difference at all in so far as the registration is concerned.
6. Related rights can be registered as well and the law does not provide for a different registration process.
7. There is no specific provision in our law regarding registration of transfer or licensing of copyright/related rights.
8. There is no specific provision regarding recording a security interest in the copyright/related rights. And as a result there are no legal requirements so far.
9. Registration is not a pre-requisite or protection of copyrighted works and as such it serves as evidence of ownership in case of dispute.
10. None because Registration/Recordation is not mandatory at all.
11. There is no specific provision in respect of recognition of foreign copyright registration. However, works of foreign creators are protected.

12. There are no requirements for registration as it is not mandatory.

13. There is no specific provision dealing with foreign creations.

14. No files are stored

15. Not applicable

16. Not applicable

17. Not applicable

18. Not applicable

19. Not applicable

20. Not applicable

21. There is no legislation dealing specifically with orphan works

22. There are no such industries

23. No

24. No

25. No

26. Not Applicable

27. LEGAL DEPOSIT

There is no provision dealing with legal deposit system in Lesotho therefore questions 28 to 45 are not applicable.