



**HELSB**  
Higher Education Loans  
and Scholarships Board

## CUBAN GOVERNMENT SCHOLARSHIPS

Applications are invited from suitably qualified Zambian nationals that meet the **minimum** requirements outlined here below to contest for **One (01)** scholarships under the **Cuban Government** Scholarship Scheme for the **2022/2023** Academic Year. Available is an **undergraduate programme** in the following desired field of study: **Medicine**

### ELIGIBILITY

#### Applicants should:

- Be Zambian citizens with Green National Registration Cards (NRC)
- Have a Birth Certificate;
- Have a Zambian Passport valid for at least One (1) year.
- Be school leavers who completed Grade **12** in **2020 and 2021**;
- Have Grades **1-3** in English, Mathematics and subjects relevant to the intended field of study;
- Have **Pure Sciences** (Physics, Chemistry and Biology); and
- Be between 19 and 23 years by October 2022.

### CONDITIONS OF THE SCHOLARSHIP

#### Candidates should meet own cost towards:

- (i) Expenses to and from the airport; and
- (ii) Any short fall not adequately covered by the scholarship;

### DURATION

This is dependent on the programme to be pursued, however, all programmes include One (1) year of French language (5 to 8 years).

### METHOD OF APPLICATION

#### Applicants should submit:

- A **typed** application letter responding to the advertisement, clearly stating the field of study desired, age and mobile phone number for easy communication;
- Curriculum Vitae, copies of Statement of Results, NRC, certified copy of applicant's birth certificate, Two (2) colour passport size photos and **colour photocopy of pages 2 and 3 of applicant's passport**;
- A study plan or synopsis of summarized details of the preferred course and how the intended course of study will enhance one's contribution to Zambia's development **(200 words)**;
- A clear copy of the deposit slip for application fee from NATSAVE.

Nominated candidates will be required to undertake a French language course at Alliance Française in Lusaka.

It is a requirement by the host country that all nominated candidates undergo comprehensive medical examinations including the **HIV test, Tuberculosis (TB) test, Hepatitis B tests and Covid-19 vaccination.**

Nominated candidates must note that **last-minute withdraw will attract serious sanctions from HELSB which may include being blacklisted.**

Application fee of **K100** should be deposited at any NATSAVE branch.

| Applications should be addressed to:  | or | Hand delivered to:  |
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| The Chief Executive Officer,<br>Higher Education Loans and Scholarships Board,<br>P.O. Box 320298,<br>LUSAKA. |    | <b>The Reception</b><br>Higher Education Loans and Scholarships Board,<br>2nd Floor United Church House,<br>No. 8 Mosi-oa-Tunya Road,<br>Woodlands, LUSAKA. |
|   |    | <b>Or</b> The Higher Education Loans and Scholarships Board, C4 Copperbelt University Riverside Campus, Kitwe.  |

## Closing date: Friday 16th September, 2022

For any clarification, contact us on:

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#### Note:

- i. Only **shortlisted** candidates will be contacted. Any applicant who would not hear from us by **Friday 28th October 2022** should consider his/her application as unsuccessful;
- ii. Applicants should apply only in **one** programme of study.

#### Floyd K. Ndabulula (Mr.)

Acting Chief Executive Officer

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