

including any other relative who resides permanently with that member and any other relative who is of necessity dependent upon the member;

**"learner"** means a person who is learning subjects and skills related to social service practice as set out and approved by the QCTO in accordance with the National Qualifications Framework Act, 2008 (Act No. 67 of 2008);

**"Mental Health Care Act"** means the Mental Health Care Act, 2002 (Act No.17 of 2002);

**"Minister"** means the Minister responsible for social development;

**"practice"** means a service or type of work identified within the approved scope of practice of a social service profession or a social service occupation in terms of section 48;

**"prescribed"** means as prescribed by rule or regulation;

**"prescribed qualification"** means a minimum qualification prescribed by regulation;

**"qualification"** means any designated and approved social service degree, diploma or certificate awarded after assessment of a person's competency in a particular subject;

**"Registrar"** means the person appointed as Registrar in terms of section 24;

**"regulation"** means a regulation made by the Minister in terms of this Act;

**"Republic"** means the Republic of South Africa;

**"rule"** means a rule made by the Council in terms of this Act;

**"SAQA"** means the South African Qualifications Authority contemplated in chapter 4 of the National Qualifications Framework Act, 2008 (Act No. 67 of 2008);

**"SETA"** means a sector education and training authority established in terms of section 9(1) of the Skills Development Act, 1998 (Act No. 97 of 1998);