Deferment Policy

1. Deferment to a next cycle is granted once only, pending confirmation of deferment compliance as per par. 2 below.
2. If deferment is granted by the SAVC then the applicant must comply with the conditions of deferment as follows:
   2.1.1 On an annual basis, within the cycle to which the CPD points was deferred, submit proof of 13.3 CPD structured points [a total of 40 CPD structured points within the deferred cycle]; and
   2.1.2 Submit confirmation at the end of the deferred cycle of 60 unstructured points obtained;
3. Only once conditions of deferment in par 2 above have been complied with/met; will a registree again qualify for deferment.
4. Exceptions to the policy could be medical-or compassionate grounds. Each such application will be considered on its own merits, provided that substantiated proof of circumstances was received.

Note: Par 2 relates to veterinarians. For para-veterinary professionals the same principle applies of double the required points at the end of the deferred period.