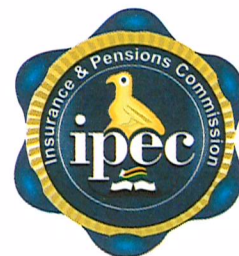


Insurance & Pensions Commission



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To: All Insurers

CC: Insurance Council of Zimbabwe

REF: MAKING ACCESS POSSIBLE REFRESHER PROGRAMME

1. You will recall that in 2015, Insurance and Pensions Commission in partnership with Reserve Bank of Zimbabwe participated in a Making Access Possible (MAP) programme.
2. MAP is a project aimed at expanding access to financial services for both individuals (consumers) and Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises (MSMEs) initiated by FinMark Trust in 2015.
3. The previous MAP programme informed the development of the National Financial Inclusion Strategy (2016-2020), which is currently being reviewed.
4. Finmark Trust will be conducting another MAP programme to refresh and update the 2015 programme. We request your Association to help with the distribution of the attached questionnaire and a spreadsheet to all direct insurers.
5. All insurers are required to provide the information requested in the attached questionnaire and accompanying spreadsheet by 16 September 2020 and return them to: nkosinathi@finmark.org.za and blissingm@finmark.org.za and copy fkagura@ipec.co.zw.
6. Kindly provide the team with all the support they require to make this a success.

Yours Faithfully

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