



Insurance and Pensions Commission

Circular 30 of 2025

To:

Insurance Council of Zimbabwe (ICZ)
Zimbabwe Association of Reinsurance Organisations (ZARO)
Insurance Brokers Association of Zimbabwe (IBAZ)
Reinsurance Brokers Association (RBAZ)
Microinsurance Industry Association of Zimbabwe (MIAZ)
Life Offices Association (LOA)

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Principal Officers - All Short-Term Insurance Companies
Principal Officers - All Reinsurance Companies
Principal Officers - All Insurance and Reinsurance Brokers
Principal Officers - All Life Companies

Date: 30 October 2025

INVITATION TO PARTICIPATE IN STAKEHOLDER CONSULTATIONS FOR THE TOBACCO VALUE CHAIN TRANSFORMATION PLAN II STRATEGY FORMULATION (2026-2030)

1. The Insurance and Pensions Commission (IPEC) has received an invitation from the Tobacco Industry and Marketing Board (TIMB), on behalf of the Ministry of Lands, Agriculture, Fisheries, Water and Rural Development and Kutsaga Research Station, for the insurance industry to participate in key stakeholder consultations.

2. This initiative aims to inform the formulation of the Tobacco Value Chain Transformation Plan II (2026-2030) strategy. The consultations seek to engage key players to identify challenges, opportunities, and strategic interventions that will enhance value addition, competitiveness, and sustainability in the tobacco sector.
3. Your participation, given the critical role of insurance institutions in providing risk management solutions and promoting farmer resilience and investment confidence, is instrumental. The consultation details are as follows:

Date: 12 November 2025

Time: 0900 - 1015

Venue: TIMB Headquarters

Entities are urged to confirm their attendance using the TIMB contact details below:

- **Email: info@timb.co.zw**
 - **Telephone: +263 4 621740; 621743; 621744;666801,0772145166/9**
 - **Toll Free: 0731 999 999**
4. We kindly urge all insurance companies to attend this crucial consultation. Your input will be vital in developing innovative insurance frameworks and interventions that support the growth and sustainability of the tobacco sector.
 5. Please confirm your attendance to the TIMB or relevant industry association as soon as possible to facilitate planning.

Yours Sincerely



Grace Muradzikwa

COMMISSIONER OF INSURANCE, PENSIONS AND PROVIDENT FUNDS