



# National Bank of Rwanda

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#### PUBLIC NOTICE ON THE MORATORIUM OF NEW INSURANCE COMPANIES

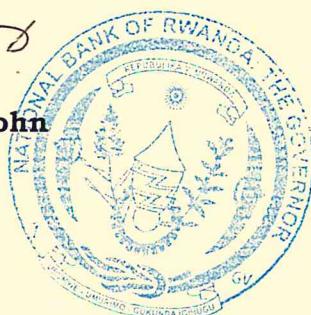
Given its mission to maintain a stable and sound financial sector as well as its duties to supervise and regulate the activities of financial institutions including Insurance Companies and;

Considering the need to streamline the Insurance Sector in a bid to strengthen financial stability and soundness, the National Bank of Rwanda informs the public that:

1. It has, with immediate effect, placed a moratorium on the licensing of new Insurance Companies until further notice;
2. This moratorium, however, does not apply to cases relating to amalgamation, takeovers, acquisition, transfer and purchase of shares of Insurance Companies, opening of new branches or approval of new products in existing insurance Companies;
3. BNR assures the public that it will continue to safeguard the stability and integrity of the financial sector;
4. For further inquiries, please contact the National Bank of Rwanda by calling +250788199000 or email [info@bnrrw](mailto:info@bnrrw).

Done at KIGALI, February 23, 2017

  
**RWANGOMBWA John**  
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#### ITANGAZO RIREBANA N'ISUBIKWA RY'UBUSABE BW'URUHUSHYA RWO GUKORA UMURIMO W'UBWISHINGIZI

Ishingiye ku nshingano zayo zirimo gushyiraho no kubungabunga imikorere ihamye y'inzego z'imari, no ku mirimo ishinzwe yo kugenzura no gushyiraho amabwiriza rusange agenga ibikorwa by'ibigo by'imari birimo ibigo by'ubwishingizi;

Ishingiye kandi ku kuntu urwego rw'ubwishingizi rukeneye kunozwa mu rwego rwo gukomeza kubungabunga imikorere iboneye kandi itajegajega y'urwego rw'imari, Banki Nkuru y'u Rwanda iramenyesha abantu bose ko:

1. Ibaye isubitse kwakira ubusabe bwo kwemererwa gukora umurimo w'ubwishingizi kugeza igihe muzamenyeshwa;
2. Iki cyemezo ariko ntikireba ibigo by'ubwishingizi bishaka kwibumbira hamwe, kwegukana isosiyete, kubona, guhererekanya cyangwa kugura imigabane mu bigo by'ubwishingizi, gufungura amashami mashya cyangwa kwemererwa gutanga serivisi nshya bikozwe n'ibigo bisanzwe bikora;
3. Banki Nkuru y'u Rwanda ikaba yizeza abantu bose ko izakomeza kubumbatira ukudahungabana n'ubusugire bw'urwego rw'imari.
4. Ku bindi bisobanuro mwakwifashisha uyu murongo wa telefoni +250788199000 cyangwa imeli ikurikira [info@bnrrw](mailto:info@bnrrw)

Bikorewe i Kigali ku wa 23/02/2017

  
RWANGOMBWA John  
Guverineri

