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LuSE Hosts Listed Companies for Breakfast

This morning the Lusaka Securities Exchange Plc led by its Board Chairperson Dr Kayula Siame, Director of the Board representing Listed Companies Mr. Ezekiel Sekele, and the Chief Executive Officer Mr. Nicholas Kabaso hosted representatives of the Listed Companies for breakfast. This is an ongoing attempt to improve the relationship between the Exchange and the listed companies and obtain feedback on any areas of improvement.

In her opening remarks Dr Siame, highlighted that the LuSE aims to position itself as a globally recognized Exchange in line with the LuSE's 5-year Strategic Plan and the Capital Markets Master Plan. In this regard, she emphasized that the LuSE has undertaken an increased focus on enhancing the regulatory environment by simplifying the Listings Rules and ensuring that all LuSE Rules are aligned with global best practice. She therefore called for collaboration and a deliberate step towards adherence by Listed Companies to the Listings Rules.

Mr Kabaso also took the time to avail a summary of the LuSE's Strategic Plan for the next five years which is themed "Sustainable Business Growth – Unlocking Economic Development and Growth in Zambia via Capital Markets". He also emphasized that for efficient capital markets there is a need for an enabling legal and regulatory framework. He indicated that LuSE targets to achieve a compliance rate of above 70% across all its rules with the Listed Companies.

Further, he indicated that work to commence the review of all LUSE rules will commence in the next half of the year and completion is expected by end of the year. He submitted to the meeting that the Listed Companies will be engaged to ensure comprehensive work is done on the current rules that have been seen to be onerous. The meeting was also informed that a training program designed to help Boards of Directors appreciate the listing rules have commenced and will be launched soon.

As part of the feedback, the Listed Companies present requested for increased fiscal incentives for listing on the market. They commended the LuSE for the engagement and welcomed it as a great initiative.

In closing, Mr. Sekele assured the listed companies that their interest was well represented on the Board of the LuSE and additional support will be provided to them over the period.

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About the LuSE: The Lusaka Securities Exchange Plc (LuSE) is Zambia's main securities exchange. We remain very central to the national economic aspirations of being a platform where ideas meet capital and anchor sustainable business growth and wealth creation. We offer our clients wide access to capital markets and liquidity across different asset classes. We operate a broad range of equity, fixed income, and exchange-traded funds/exchange-traded products. For 30 years now we pride in providing a platform that has connected buyers and sellers through financial products, supported by world-class technology and regulatory oversight.

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