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Suspension of biometric verification (Finger print)

The GIPF hereby wishes to inform our annuitants and members that the biometrics verification is still suspended. Namibia has seen an alarming increase in Covid-19 cases, and as such, in the Fund's continued effort to protect our annuitants particularly our pensioners, and GIPF staff we hereby inform our annuitants that the biometrics verification remains suspended.

I would like to assure our various GIPF beneficiaries namely retirees, spousal, and child annuitants that this suspension will in no way affect their monthly annuities. Our annuitants can maintain peace of mind knowing that we continue to administer their benefits in the most prudent manner and can continue to expect that their benefits will be paid timeously as usual. In case of death of a beneficiary, family members are encouraged to immediately contact their nearest GIPF office and establish if there is a funeral benefit payable.

"It is imperative that GIPF adheres to regulations put in place to curb the spread of Covid-19. We apologize for any inconvenience caused and encourage members with enquiries to contact their nearest GIPF office.

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