**Regulatory Impact Analysis: Value and Overview of Evidence-based Decision Making**

September 26, 2019

*Lusaka, Zambia*

**PROGRAMME FOR SENSITISATION OF MEMBERS OF PARLIAMENT**

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| **Time** | **Activity** |
| 08.15 – 08.30 | **Registration** |
| 08.30 – 09.30 | * National Anthem * Prayer * Welcome Remarks by the Clerk of National Assembly * Remarks by the BRRA Director and CEO * Message of Goodwill by ANSI * Statement by the Honourable Minister of Commerce, Trade and Industry * Keynote Speech by the Honourable Mr Speaker, Justice Dr Patrick Matibini, MP, SC, FCArb |
| 9.30 – 10.00 | **Overview of Regulatory Impact Assessment in Zambia**  **Presenter: BRRA**   * Legal underpinnings for RIA: Background of BR Act, 2014 * Value of RIA for parliament * Practical implementation challenges and strategies |
| **10.00 – 10.20** | **Health Break** |
| 10.20 – 10.45 | **The role of Regulatory Impact Analysis (RIA) in regulatory decision making**  **Presenter: Nathan Frey, RSS Group**   * How RIA produces optimal policy outcomes * Practical implementation challenges and strategies |
| 10.45 – 11.10 | **Global Perspectives on RIA Implementation**  **Presentation by Kees Jonkheer, Jonkheer Consulting**   * RIA, Good Regulatory Practices and the impact of international trade and investment |
| 11:10 – 11:30 | **Workforce Training in RIA**   * Roy Swift, Workcred |
| **11.30** | **Closing Remarks and End of Programme** |