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## CIRCULAR 27 OF 2023

**Date:** 11<sup>th</sup> December, 2023.

**To:** ALL MCAZ Stakeholders

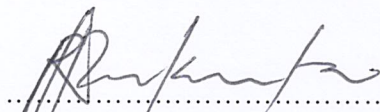
**RE: 2023 ANNUAL SHUTDOWN NOTICE**

The Medicines Control Authority of Zimbabwe would like to inform its stakeholders that the Authority will be closed for its annual shutdown from Friday, 15<sup>th</sup> December, 2023, and will reopen for business on Tuesday, 2<sup>nd</sup> January, 2024.

During this period, the clearance of medicinal consignments at the Robert Gabriel Mugabe International airport will be conducted on specific dates and times. Physical examination and clearing of consignments will take place on December 18<sup>th</sup>, 19<sup>th</sup>, 20<sup>th</sup>, 21<sup>st</sup>, 27<sup>th</sup>, 28<sup>th</sup> and 29<sup>th</sup>, between 10:30 hours and 12:30 hours. The Inspection team during this period can be reached on 0772262878.

Other services will still be accessible through online platforms; however, there will be a limited team available to assist in the office. The Authority would like to express its gratitude to all stakeholders for their support in 2023 and wishes everyone a wonderful festive season and a prosperous new year in 2024.

**MEDICINES CONTROL AUTHORITY OF ZIMBABWE**



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