

# MEMBER NEWSLETTER



## MESSAGE FROM THE PRINCIPAL OFFICER

#### Dear Member

Welcome to your first newsletter. The purpose of this communication is to update members with some information since 1 November 2018.

From my perspective, each journey begins with the first step and we look forward to the journey in accomplishing your retirement goals.

Yours faithfully

Andre Davids
Principal Officer

Audre Davids

## **BOARD OF TRUSTEE**

The following individuals represent your interests at Board of Trustees level and are detailed as follows:-

### **EMPLOYER REPRESENTATIVES**

- Mr. J.J.A. Claassen (Chairman)
- Mr. J.D. Mausling
- Mr. P.C. Grey
- Mr. G.R. Tarr
- Mr. C.J.C. Burger
- Mr. S.J. van Vuuren
- Ms. D.E. Radford
- Mr. R. Clark

### MEMBER REPRESENTATIVES

- Mr. W.W. Dyers (Vice-Chairman)
- Mr. G. van Rooyen
- · Mr. G. Shemunvoro
- Mr. O. Gasant
- Ms. D.C. Fredericks
- Ms. L.P. Matwele
- Mr. N.E. Settler
- Mr. A. Bondt

## INDEPENDENT TRUSTEE

Mr. A.J. Duminy

# **INVESTMENTS**

The Provident Fund Investments are held in the following entities:-

| ASSET MANAGER                     | <b>8 MONTH NET RETURN</b> | <b>ALLOCATION 2019-06-30</b> |
|-----------------------------------|---------------------------|------------------------------|
| Anchor Local Equity               | 5.70%                     | 10.95%                       |
| Anchor Global Equity              | 7.41%                     | 1.38%                        |
| Anchor Flexible Fixed Income      | 7.53%                     | 9.27%                        |
| Africa Fixed Income               | 9.29%                     | 5.21%                        |
| Coronation Balance Plus           | 4.86%                     | 14.15%                       |
| Foord Balanced                    | 3.70%                     | 13.62%                       |
| Old Mutual Absolute Stable Growth | 2.23%                     | 41.49%                       |
| RMB Note Structure                | 9.90%                     | 3.93%                        |
| Total Portfolios                  | *4.44%                    | 100%                         |

<sup>\*</sup> Net investment return is detailed and reflected from 1 November 2018 – 30 June 2019.

The Country has experienced some challenging times on the economic front during 2018. There has been some financial market relief and the 8 month net investment return was 4,44%.

## **GOVERNANCE**

The Fund aspires to put measures into place specifically catering for TCF (Treating Customers Fairly) as well as POPI (the Protection of Personal Information Act) and COFI (Conduct of Financial Institutions Bill).

The Fund has submitted Rule Amendments to accommodate Regulation 37, 38 and 39 which makes provision for:-

- Retirement Fund advice; and
- Purchasing annuities outside of the Fund.

Please remember that an accredited financial adviser may be provided, to facilitate your retirement consultation and assist you in your retirement journey.

## **SURPLUS**

The Fund has paid in excess of R50 million to qualifying members and continue to pursue and trace those qualifying members still due a benefit payment.

# **RISK BENEFITS**

The following risk benefits are offered by the Fund:-

| FUNERAL BENEFIT                                      |         |  |
|--|---------|--|
| Member   | R15 000 |  |
| Spouse   | R15 000 |  |
| Dependent child between the ages of 15 and 24        | R15 000 |  |
| Dependent child between the ages of 6 and 14         | R7 500  |  |
| Dependent child under the age of 6 or stillborn baby | R3 750  |  |

#### **DEATH BENEFIT**

A lump sum of 1 x your annualised normal income plus your accumulated credit as at date of death (Normal income is the amount on which your Provident Fund weekly or monthly contributions is calculated.)

## PROVIDENT FUND STATEMENTS

There are many member Provident Fund statements which remain uncollected and we encourage you to have your employer collect these.

#### NOMINATION OF BENEFICIARIES

Please remember to maintain your beneficiary nomination form and keep it up to date.

## **KEY CONTACTS**

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