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Dear Valued Members

**UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE FUND (UIF) OPENS CLAIMS FOR THE TEMPORARY EMPLOYER/
EMPLOYEE RELIEF SCHEME (TERS) FOR MAY 2020**

Please be advised that claims for Temporary Employer/Employee Relief Scheme benefits for the month of May 2020, can now be submitted through the normal avenues.

Members are reminded that if they are making use of the services of the Motor Industry Staff Association (MISA), to prepare and submit such claims, they can continue to do so in the same fashion as for March and April 2020.

Regrettably, Members that have submitted their own claims previously cannot use MISA for this purpose. MISA has however established a helpdesk that will assist Members that submit their own claims with the preparation and quality assurance of claims, in order to prevent them from being rejected by the UIF.

Any RMI Member that wishes to make use of this service, should direct such a request to MISA on the following email address: UIFClaim@ms.org.za

Although this service was specifically designed to assist micro, small and medium sized businesses, there is nothing that prohibits larger businesses making use of this **free, no-obligation benefit**.

This service applies to all the employees employed at an RMI Member businesses, and not just MISA members. All **information provided** to MISA by RMI Members, will in terms of a strict contractual provision, be kept **confidential**.

This service is part of the RMI's ongoing commitment to find and implement workable solutions for business challenges that Members may face during this disruptive period of lockdown, associated with the National State of Disaster. This service may continue after lockdown, provided that there is sufficient demand from RMI Members for the service.

In the event that you should have any questions or queries in this regard, please do not hesitate to contact any one of the RMI's IR Specialists deployed at our various regional offices.