

PUBLIC NOTICE

CALL FOR COMMENTS & INVITATION FOR PUBLIC PARTICIPATION ON THE DRAFT NATIONAL HEALTH INSURANCE FUND (NHIF) AMENDMENT ACT REGULATION, 2023 AND THE DRAFT REGULATORY IMPACT ASSESSMENT (RIA) REPORT ON THE NHIF ACT.

The National Health Insurance Fund (NHIF) is a State Corporation established in 1966 with a core mandate of providing medical insurance cover to all its members and their declared dependants. The original Act of Parliament that set up the Fund has, over the years, been reviewed to accommodate the changing healthcare needs of the Kenyan population and the restructuring in the health sector.

The NHIF Act (1998) was amended and passed in Parliament on 21st December 2021 and assented into law on 10th January 2022.

IT IS THEREFORE NOTIFIED for information to the public that following the public participation held on the draft regulations in 2022, NHIF has taken into account the feedback received and consolidated the draft Regulations, 2023 to facilitate implementation of the provisions of the NHIF Act No. 9 of 1998.

NOTE: This regulation is available at NHIF Website: www.nhif.or.ke

FURTHER, in compliance with Section 6 of the Statutory Instruments Act NO. 23 of 2013, a Technical Working Team including the Ministry of Health, the Attorney General, the Kenya Law Reforms Commission and NHIF prepared a Regulatory Impact Assessment (RIA) for the proposed Regulations. The Regulatory Impact Assessment is available at <https://www.nhif.or.ke/>.

NHIF invites interested members of the public, stakeholders, and organizations to submit any comments, views or make presentations regarding the draft regulation and the Regulatory Impact Assessment (RIA) report.

The comments, views, representation and any written memoranda may be forwarded to the Chief Executive Officer of the National Health Insurance Fund, P.O Box 30443-00100, Nairobi, by hand-delivery to the Office of the Chief Executive Officer on NHIF Building 10th Floor, Nairobi; or emailed to regulations@nhif.or.ke; or through the website www.nhif.or.ke, to be received on or before, 11th May 2023, by 5:00 pm.

NHIF shall communicate the dates and venues for the physical and virtual public participation through official emails, the NHIF website, phone calls and letters.

All interested persons should submit written comments on the draft Regulatory Impact Assessment in the prescribed format as follows: -

Regulation/Clause	Issues of Concern	Justification	Recommendation



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