## NOTICE TO STAKEHOLDERS

## Access to Confidential Information held by the Health Market Inquiry (Meeting with Stakeholders)

Dear Stakeholder,

- The Health Market Inquiry (HMI), on 27 January 2017, published a Notice on its website inviting stakeholders who have submitted confidential data and information to the Inquiry, to a meeting to discuss their respective attitudes towards granting third party access to their data.
- 2. The above Notice was further forwarded, via email, to 451 individual stakeholders registered on the HMI database.
- 3. The HMI had initially intended to hold the meetings grouped according to stakeholder categories, over a period of three days, from 6 to 8 February 2017. However, to date the HMI has only received positive responses to the meeting request from 19 stakeholders. A list of these stakeholder responses is attached hereto as "Annexure A."
- 4. Given the fewer number of attendees, and in the interests of time and efficiency, the HMI will now hold only one meeting, which will take place on Tuesday 7 February 2017, from 11:00 to 13:00. The meeting will be held at the HMI offices, located on the 4<sup>th</sup> Floor at the Trevena Campus, Meintjie Street, Sunnyside, Pretoria.
- 5. In preparation for these meetings, stakeholders are once again urged to reflect on their respective positions on the granting of access and are further requested to refer to the guidelines dealing with access to data.
- 6. A further Notice reflecting the outcomes of the 7 February 2017 meeting will be published on the HMI website subsequent to the said meeting, as a record of the discussions held on that day.

7. The HMI wishes to thank stakeholders who have to date provided their cooperation and assistance in this matter.

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Clint Oellermann Inquiry Director

## **Annexure A**

NO	STAKEHOLDER	RESPONSE
1	LIFE Hospital Group	Attending
2	Building and Construction Industry Medical Aid Fund	Attending
3	Cape Medical Plan	Attending
4	COSATU	Attending
5	Council for Medical Schemes (CMS)	Attending
6	Discovery	Attending
7	Discovery Medical Scheme	Attending
8	FIA National Technical	Attending
9	Johnson & Johnson	Attending
10	Libcare	Attending
11	Liberty	Attending
12	Massmart Health Plan	Attending
13	Mediclinic	Attending
14	MMI Holdings	Attending
15	National Renal Care	Attending
16	Netcare Limited	Attending
17	Ocularists Association of SA	Attending
18	CompCare Wellness Medical Scheme	Attending
19	Profmed	Attending
20	Pathcare	Unable to attend