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REGISTRATION NOT A STAMP OF APPROVAL FROM THE MINISTRY

The Ministry of Social Development and Family Services wishes to advise the public that its registration process for Non-Governmental Organisations (NGOs) does not constitute an endorsement or the Ministry's mark of approval.

Registration with the Ministry is for the sole purpose of recording the organisation's existence and inclusion in the Ministry's NGO database. Registration does not endorse, validate, or legitimize any organisation or its activities. Moreover, the Ministry has no administrative or other operational role in NGOs.

As the Government's lead social sector organisation, the Ministry maintains accurate and current information on all relevant and potential stakeholders. In instances where the Ministry collaborates with stakeholders, those engagements are guided by legal and industry best practices.

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