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MONEY SMART WEEK SOUTH AFRICA POSTPONED UNTIL LATER IN THE YEAR

In light of the evolving situation regarding COVID-19 in South Africa, and in support of government's decision to stop any public gathering of more than 100 people; the organising committee for Money Smart Week South Africa 2020 (MSWSA 2020) have taken the decision to postpone this event until later this year. MSWSA 2020 is in support of Global Money Week; similarly, all Global Money Week activities are postponed.

The interest in Money Smart Week SA 2020 has far surpassed any of our expectations, with over 80 participants having registered to host events or initiatives during the week of 23-28 March 2020. Financial literacy, and creating a money smart South Africa, is still our priority and we look forward to running an even broader campaign later in 2020, which will enable us to reach even more people with our messages of responsible money management.

We encourage all South Africans to check our website at www.mswsa.co.za for updates regarding the campaign as well as to continue to follow us on our various social media platforms.

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