

## SENS ANNOUNCEMENT

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Real Estate Investments Zambia PLC.

Incorporated in the Republic of Zambia

Company Registration Number: 10951

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### AUTHORISATION

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Approval for this Announcement has been granted by:

- The Lusaka Securities Exchange
- The Securities and Exchange Commission Zambia
- Real Estate Investment Zambia PLC.

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ISSUE DATE: 23<sup>rd</sup> December 2024

## Cautionary Announcement

In accordance with the Lusaka Securities Exchange ("LuSE") Listings Requirements, the Board of Directors ("the Board") of Real Estate Investments Zambia plc (the "Company" or "REIZ") wishes to address its shareholders regarding recent news and speculation circulating on social media regarding an ongoing court case involving Forli Limited, the prior owners of Lewanika Mall, and the City of Lusaka Football Club. REIZ acquired Lewanika Mall in 2023 and hence the company is indirectly impacted through this case.

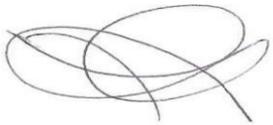
While the matter remains under consideration by the courts, the Company wishes to emphasize its commitment to operating transparently and in full compliance with all legal processes. To provide clarity on the matter, the Company will offer an update based on the most recent information from the ongoing case. The key points to address in the matter are as follows:

1. This is an on-going case where an appeal has been lodged against a recent decision by the High Court and as such there are no final decisions at this stage. The case involves an action filed by a Trustee of the City of Lusaka Football Club in which it is alleged that without the club's consent, Cavmont FMO Corporation Limited ("Cavmont") increased the share capital in City of Lusaka Football Club, made changes in directorship therein and illegally sold a shareholding to Forli Limited.
2. The Judgment on this case by the Honourable Justice S. Chocho dated 9th December, 2024, was partly in favour of the Trustee in so far as their claims against Cavmont failing to allegedly follow internal company procedures and judge reversed Cavmont's actions dating back to 1999/2000.
3. In this same judgement, the judge accordingly held that the Trustee and his club cannot be unjustly enriched. The Judge accordingly directed that Forli Limited ought to be restituted/compensated for all the developments on the Club property and that the Club and its members accordingly must pay 10% of the development costs to Forli Limited with Cavmont paying the remaining 90%, plus damages and costs. Lewanika Mall was acquired by REIZ in 2023 for a sum of USD 26,714,542.00.
4. Cavmont FMO Corporation Limited and Forli Limited have subsequently submitted an appeal against the decision, highlighting errors in the learned trial judge failing to consider all evidence correctly. This was filed in the Court of Appeal on the 11<sup>th</sup> of December 2024.
5. At this stage, the case is on-going and as such there are no current impacts on the operations of Lewanika Mall or REIZ.

Shareholders and stakeholders are advised to exercise caution and rely only on official communications from the Company, including updates issued through the Stock Exchange News Service (SENS), to ensure access to accurate and verified information. Further announcements will be made as and when appropriate.

**BY ORDER OF THE BOARD**

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