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## CUSTOMER NOTICE 20 OF 2023

31 MARCH 2023

### DEREGISTRATION OF COMPANIES AND CLOSE CORPORATION IN ANNUAL RETURN DEREGISTRATION PROCESS

Following **Notice 19 of 2023** to customers, CIPC deregistered **six hundred and forty seven thousand, eight hundred and fifty three (647 853)** of all companies and close corporations which have been in Annual Return Deregistration process for more than three (3) years and for which the notification process as per Companies Regulation 40 have been completed. The systematic final deregistration occurred on 30 March 2023.

E-mail notifications of such final deregistration will commence during the first week of April 2023, due to the CIPC annual financial year shutdown. Companies and Close corporations which has been finally deregistered may apply for re-instatement. For more information on how to apply for re-instatement kindly refer to the CIPC website, [www.cipc.co.za](http://www.cipc.co.za) / **Enterprise Maintenance / Select the Type of enterprise / Changes to Management, Admin & Governance / Re-instating a company.**

For any further enquiries, kindly log a ticket via [www.cipc.co.za/enquiries](http://www.cipc.co.za/enquiries)—select the Department as “Companies and Close Corporations” and Category as “Annual Returns”.

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