



NATIONAL COUNCIL FOR HIGHER EDUCATION

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RESCHEDULING OF THE 2022/2023 PUBLIC UNIVERSITIES SELECTION SENSITISATION SESSIONS DUE TO CYCLONE FREDDY

The National Council for Higher Education (NCHE), in consultation with the six (6) public universities regrets to announce the rescheduling of the 2022/2023 Public Universities Selection sensitisation meetings which were scheduled to take place between Monday March 20th and Saturday March 25th, 2023 across the country.

The sensitisation meetings will now run from **Monday 3rd April to Saturday 8th April 2023**.

The nationwide sensitisation sessions are organised to orient prospective applicants on the online application system as well as programmes on offer in all the six public universities.

The rescheduling has been necessitated by the devastating effects of Cyclone Freddy which have led to loss of life and property, leaving thousands of households destitute, and most roads impassable, in the southern region districts of Malawi.

His Excellency the State President, Dr. Lazarus McCarthy Chakwera declared 14 Days of national mourning for those who have lost their lives due to the Cyclone and NCHE is therefore standing in solidarity with all Malawians as we pay our respects during these two weeks.

NCHE will further extend the window for receiving of applications to allow candidates in the affected districts to receive appropriate support for their university application. The period for receipt of applications will now run from **Monday 3rd April to Tuesday 16th May, 2023**.

NCHE sincerely apologises for any inconvenience caused due to the change.

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