



Social protection in Mozambique's media

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► **SISSMO seeks to adapt to the market dynamics**

22/08/2023 - The National Institute of Social Security (INSS) is in the process of updating its current management information system, the Social Security Information System of Mozambique (SISSMO). [Read more \(page 2\)](#).

► **Zimbabweans learn about services managed by INSS**

22/08/2023 - Officials from the labour and social security sector of Zimbabwe visited the district delegation of INSS in Matutuine, Maputo province, to see how the territorial expansion of the mandatory social security system is being implemented. [Read more \(page 8\)](#).

► **Basic Social Allowance: Pensioners receive six out of eight months overdue**

19/08/2023 - Pensioners from the Basic Social Allowance Program of INAS in Beira received benefits corresponding to six out of the eight months in arrears a few days ago. The process covers 23,970 beneficiaries. [Read more \(page 5\)](#).

► **Channelled through INSS: The details of the worker's social insurance**

18/08/2023 - A collection of stories from those who, in old age, are benefiting from their contributions to the mandatory social security system. [Read more \(page 12\)](#).

► **Nampula: INSS recovers debts**

18/08/2023 - INSS in Nampula recovered over 46 million meticaís in debts from contributing companies in the first half of the year, as disclosed by the provincial delegate during the dissemination seminar of the Journalism Prize on Mandatory Social Security. [Read more \(page 6\)](#).

► **INSS investment portfolio stands out at the National Institution Meeting**

17/08/2023 - The Minister of Labour and Social Security, Margarida Talapa, congratulated the INSS for the growth of its investment portfolio, whose reserve fund doubled in the current quinquennium 2020-2024, with the potential to reach new heights. [Read more](#)

► **INSS may register Mozambican workers in Zimbabwe**

15/08/2023 - According to Joaquim Siúta, Director-General of INSS, the institution is in a position to register Mozambican citizens who work and live in Zimbabwe in the Social Security System of their home country, as part of the process that the institution has been initiating in the diaspora. [Read more \(page 8\)](#).

► **Cabo Delgado: Growing social assistance to households in need**

15/08/2023 - Cabo Delgado is experiencing growth and improvement in assistance to vulnerable families, as well as in locating beneficiaries who, due to terrorism, have moved from their usual service points. In the first semester, PSSB covered 13,778 families, a growth rate of 10.7 percent.

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► **Nampula: Culture Festival Promotes Social Security**

14/08/2023 - Several artists in Nampula were made aware of the importance of enrolling in the Social Security System to ensure their social future and benefit from the benefits it provides to workers and pensioners, as well as to their dependents, especially when they are no longer able to work.

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► **Companies withhold workers' contributions to INSS**

07/08/2023 - More than four hundred companies from various sectors operating in the Province of Nampula do not channel the contributions of their workers to INSS. According to the INSS delegate in Nampula, some companies are currently in legal processes. [Watch video](#)

► **Social Security competition: Journalists in Gorongosa encouraged to apply**

07/08/2023 - Journalists from the Community Radio of Gorongosa met on July 31 of this year with the INSS delegation to learn about the National Journalism Prize in Mandatory Social Security (PNJSSO), which is in its third edition.

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► **Sofala: Stella Zeca Wants More Domestic Workers in the System**

07/08/2023 - The Secretary of State in the Province of Sofala, Stella Zeca, encouraged the Provincial Delegation of INSS to continue awareness and enrolment campaigns for young entrepreneurs and domestic workers in the Self-Employed Workers scheme. [Read more \(page 14\)](#).

► **Maternity leave extended to 90 days**

04/08/2023 - Parliament approved yesterday the proposal to amend the Labour Law, Law 23/2007, of August 1, which guarantees new rights, duties, and protection for workers and employers. Among the new rights is an extension of maternity leave from 60 days to 90 days, while for fathers, it increases from one to 7 days. [Read more \(page 8\)](#).



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