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SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENT

My Dear Professional Colleagues,

We have observed that some people are still making direct payments to the CISON Account instead of going through the Web Portal. Please, we should desist from doing that henceforth.

However, all those who have done so should send an E-mail to info@cison.org.ng giving the details of what they paid for, the total amount, date of payment and preferred telephone number for CISON registration. The person should also attach the evidence of payment, such as the receipt from the bank. As soon as we receive the information we shall resolve it with the Web Master and get the person onto the CISON registration platform.

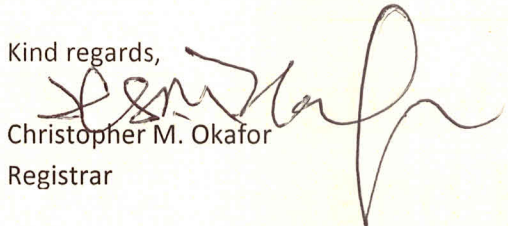
Let me also remind all prospective CISON members that everybody must first of all register as a Registered Statistician, irrespective of your previous status in NSA. It is only after that that we can begin to migrate people to various membership categories, following the laid down procedures. The only way you can transit to CISON is to register on our portal and get a CISON number. Moreover, we don't encourage any manual processes again. When you get to the portal, just read and follow the instructions carefully and you will navigate your way seamlessly. There is also an E-mail you can send enquiries to in case you need help. Alternatively, you can call 07014432794 for assistance.

All former NSA members who are interested in voting or being voted for in the coming elections on November 15, 2024, must pay at least their annual dues for 2023 and 2024, amounting to N40,000.00 plus the other ancillary fees, such as the membership transition fee of N20,000.00 and the development levy of N10,000.00, making a total of N70,000.00. This is especially so for the contestant and the two persons supporting his or her nomination. There are also guidelines for the elections which are already posted on the web. Both the nomination and election will take place electronically. Most of the information needed are already on the portal including the final call for papers, which has extended the submission of completed papers till October 15, 2024. Prospective new members are to pay N60,000.00, made up of N30,000.00 registration fee, N20,000.00 annual dues and N10,000.00 development levy.

The above provisions are irrespective of whether a person wants to attend the annual conference onsite or virtually, in which case s/he pays N100,000.00 or N80,000.00, respectively.

I hope you will comply to enable us serve you better and more importantly build a solid database from the very beginning.

Kind regards,


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Registrar