



**CENTRAL BANK OF NIGERIA, ABUJA**

**NOTICE TO ALL MICROFINANCE BANKS ON CODE ALLOCATION**

*In response to the observations and comments arising from the earlier publication of the codes assigned to microfinance banks for the online rendition of their statutory returns, please find attached a revised list of MFBs with their corresponding codes. Kindly note that MFBs with approval-in-principle (AIP) are not yet expected to render returns until final licence is granted by the Central Bank of Nigeria. To this end, their names have not been included on the list.*

*Consequently, all licensed microfinance banks in Nigeria are expected to complete their monthly returns using the codes assigned and forward same to the CBN as earlier directed. Furthermore, this serves as a reminder setting June 2011 monthly returns as the cut-off date after which only electronic monthly returns will be acceptable.*

*Please refer to the attached list for details.*

**SIGNED**

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