# Change Request for the update of an External Code Set

Note: this document is to be completed by parties that request to either add new codes or clarify the definition of existing codes or replace existing codes by new one(s) or expire existing codes in one of the [*External Code Sets*](http://www.iso20022.org/external_code_list.page) used in ISO 20022 messages. All change requests conforming to this template that are received prior to the end of a quarter (31 March, 30 June, 30 September, 31 December) will be evaluated by the SEG and, if approved, incorporated in the following quarterly publication cycle of the External Code Sets (respectively, by end of May, August, November and February), unless otherwise specified by the SEG.

# Origin of the request:

## A.1 Submitter:

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| Name of the company, organization, group, initiative or community that submits the change request. | Reserve Bank of Malawi |

## A.2 Contact person:

Person that can be contacted for additional information on the request

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## A.3 Sponsors:

If the submitter acts on behalf of or has gained support from other organisations, groups, initiatives or communities, these should be listed as sponsors.

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| Reserve Bank of Malawi |

# Description of the change request:

Specify the request type: creation of new code set, update of existing code set, deletion of existing code set.

For the creation of a new code set or for updating an existing code set, also complete the table in section H below. For the addition of new codes, all the details must be specified, including a proposed code, a proposed code name, a clear definition, and any other indications, such as an example or format to be published with the code set.

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| Request type: creation, update, deletion | Creation |

# Related External Code Set:

For updating or deleting an existing code set, indicate the exact name of the code set as indicated in the [*External Code Sets*](http://www.iso20022.org/external_code_list.page)documents on iso20022.org. For creating a new code set, indicate a proposed name for the new code set.

A specific change request form must be completed for each code set to be updated.

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| Add **RBM** to external Cash Clearing System code list (ExternalCashClearingSystem1Code)  Definition: **RBM** = **Malawi** Interbank Transfer and Settlement System (MITASS) – a settlement system used by commercial banks to transfer money between themselves or the central bank in Malawi. In this case, it is particular to the form of electronic payment of Real Time Gross Settlement. |

# Purpose of the change:

Background, business context, community of users interested by the change and expected benefits/savings.

This section must explain why the existing code set needs to be changed. The reason for the update may be a business reason (e.g., evolution of market practice, or creation of new financial instruments), a technical reason (e.g., automation of the business process, or switch from a batch to a real time process), a regulatory reason (introduction, generally mandatory, of new rule/law) or the extension of the user community (newly identified business requirements).

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| The current RTGS is undergoing a migration from using MT messages to ISO 20022.  As the element of Cash Clearing System Code is mandatory for payment messages (e.g. pacs.008 and pacs.009) under the HVPS+ or Swift’s ISO 20022 Accelerator Package usage guidelines, it is necessary for **RBM** to register one for the Malawi RTGS |

# Urgency of the request:

By default, valid change requests, subsequently approved by the SEG will be included in the following quarterly publication of External Code Sets, unless decided otherwise by the SEG.

If there is a need to have the new version of the related code set published earlier, the reason for the urgency and the expected consequences of a delay should be described here. Acceptance of such an unscheduled publication is subject to approval by the SEG.

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| Normal request - Next quarterly update |

# Business examples:

Provide examples illustrating usage of the code set and indicate messages where the code set may be used.

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| N/A |

# SEG recommendation:

This section will be completed by the SEG in charge of the related External Code Set.

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| Accept | | X | Timing |
|  | | Next possible quarterly release | | X |
|  | | Urgent request | |  |

Comments:

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| Reject |  |

Reason for rejection:

# DESCRIPTION OF THE CHANGE REQUEST

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| Type | Code Value | Code Name | Code Definition | Replaced By | Additional Information |
| Addition | **RBM** | Reserve Bank of Malawi RTGS | Malawi – Malawi Interbank Transfer and Settlement System |  |  |
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