

# INVESTMENT OPPORTUNITIES IN THE ZAMBIAN MANUFACTURING SECTOR

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## ABOUT US - INVEST IN ZAMBIA

Population: 16.79 million (2017)

Area: 752,614km<sup>2</sup>

Credit Ratings (2017):

Standard and Poor's: B

Moody's: B3

**Inflation:** 7.9% (Sept 2018)

Gross International Reserves: \$1.8

billion (July 2018)

#### **ECONOMIC STATISTICS**

**GDP:** \$25.81 billion

**GDP** per Capita: \$1,646.14

Projected GDP Growth: 4% from 3.4%

in 2017

GDP Composition By Sector:

Agriculture: 9.2% Industry: 29:2% Services: 61.7%

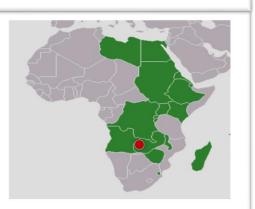
# Strategically Located – Land Linked



# Gateway to Three Regional Markets: SADC, COMESA & EAC Untapped growing regional market







#### **SADC - 2014**

Approx. 301 million people Real GDP US \$ 529 billion

#### **EAC - 2013**

Approx. 153.12 Million GDP \$108.98 Billion

#### **COMESA - 2014**

Approx. 482 million people Real GDP US \$ 353.8 billion

Zambia became the 17th country to sign the COMESA-EAC-SADC Tripartite Free Trade Area Agreement (TFTA) on 17 June 2016 in Lusaka, Zambia.

TFTA is an integrated market of 26 countries with a combined population of 632 million people which is 57% of Africa's population.



Other Market Opportunities include;

- EU through EBA
- USA through AGOA initiative
- Canadian, Chinese & Japanese Market Access Initiatives
- AfCFTA

# **Priority Sectors and Investment Opportunities**

Agriculture

Manufacturing

Energy











**Tourism** 

### SECTORS TO INVEST IN

- Agro-processing
- Building Products
- Beverages (Alcoholic & Non-Alcoholic)
- Electrical Engineering
- Explosives
- Gemstones
- Industrial Gases
- Leather & Leather Products
- Pharmaceuticals
- Wood & Wood Products

- Metal Fabrication & Engineering
- Milling
- Paints
- Paper/ Printing
- Petroleum Products
- Plastics
- Refractory/ Cement
- Rubber Products
- Soaps & Chemicals
- Textiles & Garments

### Business Climate in Zambia - POLICIES

#### DRIVERS OF SUCESSFUL ECONOMIC GROWTH

- Vision 2030
- Seventh National Development Plan (2017-2021)
- Industrial Policy (2018), Competition Policy, Local Content Strategy, Investment Promotion Strategy
- Companies Act, Business Names Act, Patents Act, Trademarks Act, Registered Industrial Designs Act

### Business Climate in Zambia - INSTITUTIONS

#### DRIVERS OF SUCESSFUL ECONOMIC GROWTH

- Ministry of Commerce, Trade and Industry
  - Quality and Standards Regulators: ZABS, ZCSA, ZMA
  - Technology and Innovation: NTBC
  - Productivity: KAIZEN Institute of Zambia
  - Investment Promotion: ZDA
  - Business Regulatory Review Agency (ZRA)
- Ministry of Labour and Social Welfare
  - Industrial Relations, Occupational Health and Safety, Labour Rights

# Business Climate in Zambia – SUPPORTING FOREIGN INVESTMENT

### • MFEZ, Industrial Parks, Farmblocks;

- 6 current, 2 new being developed Kalumbila and Iron and Steel MFEZ (Kafue)
- Affordable labor, vast raw materials, abundant land.
- Investment Incentives in Manufacturing (Tax and Non Tax)
  - E.g. zero import duty on raw materials, capital goods and machinery (first 5 years)
- Tax Policy Supporting Value Addition
  - 10% on Export Sakes manganese ore, gold, semi-precious stones and emeralds
  - Lower corporate tax rate of 10% in agro processing as compared to 35% for other.

#### Private Sector Development Reforms

## Manufacturing Sector Opportunities



- Food Processing Plants
- MFEZ Plant Investment
- Packaging Plants glass packaging, recyclable packaging/climate smart packaging
- Machinery Plants e.g. agro-processing machinery, manufacture of spare parts
- Alternative Energy Off grid solutions
- Sector Specific Skills Development Centres

# What are some recent examples of successful Foreign Investment Initiatives?

#### • AGROPROCESSING

- Fastest growing sub-sector (13%) despite recent slow down. Processed and refined foods, beverages
- AbInBev recently invested \$33million in a malt processing plant in LSMFEZ (Cassava Beer)



#### CEMENT & REFRACTORY

New Investments by Dangote Industries and Sinoma Manufacturing



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#### • TOBACCO PROCESSING

- Favourable Tax Policy Investments in processing plants by leading Tobacco Processing Companies.
- BAT \$25 million, JTI Leaf



#### ENGINEERING AND FOUNDRY

• Over \$70 million invested in Ferro Alloys Industry (4 plants) processing Managenese Ore into Silico Manganese



## Successful Investors in Zambia

























































Associated **British Foods** plc



- 1. Political stability, peace and democracy
- 2. Adherency to rule of Law, positive and investor friendly environment
- 3. Investment guarantees and Security
- 4. Abundant natural resources presenting excellent investment and trade opportunities
- **5.Private Sector driven Government Economic Development Policy in place**
- **6. Attractive Investment Incentives**
- 7.No exchange controls and repatriation of 100% of profits since 1994
- 8. Duty free access to regional, wider Africa, EU and USA Market.
- 9. Progressive Banking legal and Insurance Services of International standards
- 10.Good place to work and live, friendly people with rich culture.

### NEXT STEPS FOR INVESTORS

#### 1. To Invest Contact Zambia Development Agency



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#### 2. Contact ZAM to Join the Voice of Industry Once Registered!



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