



## Maya Declaration

### The AFI member commitment to financial inclusion

#### Commitment made by the Reserve Bank of Malawi

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The Reserve Bank of Malawi is committed to financial inclusion and we want to associate ourselves to the Maya Declaration. Especially, we are committed to do the following:

Introduce agent banking by the first quarter of 2012.

Increase adult bankable population, from the present 19% to 40%, by 2014.

Continue promoting mobile payment solutions.

Develop and start collecting financial inclusion data.

Develop an optimal transparent pricing strategy to ensure affordable financially inclusive products and services.

And finally, we will develop a national financial literacy and consumer education strategy by June 2012.

So, we look forward to AFI's support and assistance as well as all the other stakeholders who are present here. I am talking about UNCDF, the Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation, of course, the World Bank, and many of our friends who have helped us in the past. We invite you to complete the journey together with us. I thank you.