## CHRISBETH THOMAS Cell: (+255) 785 867 992

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I am a thorough and motivated professional with a strong desire to progress in insurance industry.

I am carrying over 12 years of experience in underwriting, reinsurance and claims management. I have had successful stints in u/w and claims at Reliance Insurance Company Tanzania Limited and ICEA Lion General Insurance Company Tanzania Limited for over 5 years before joining Mayfair Insurance Company Tanzania Limited in January 2016.

Well known in the local market for my strong customer centric approach and focus which is so well backed by my strong insight into insurance technical practices spanning Fire, Motor, Engineering and Marine Insurance

## Education:

Associate Diploma (AIII) (General Branch) – Insurance Institute of India (2021)

Advanced Diploma In Insurance and Risk Management (ADIRM) – Institute Of Finance Management (IFM) (2009) Lindi Secondary School (A-Level Education) – (2006)

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## Working Experience

July 2009 – July 2013: Assistant Insurance Officer (Claims)
Reliance Insurance Company (T) Ltd – Head Office, Dar Es Salaam

## Responsibilities:

- Thorough documentation and general claims administration from intimation of the claim to the payment stage
  of the claim.
- Ensure claims are settled in accordance with policy and company guidelines
- Promptly advise clients of decisions regarding claims
- Liaise with repairers or suppliers when needed
- Develop and maintain relationships with range of stakeholders
- Handle claims electronically on in-house data management system.
- Resolve queries and complaints in a professional and swift manner
- Coordinate underwriters, loss adjustors and claim officers to attend to claims

Effective August 1, 2013: Assistant Manager Claims

Reliance Insurance Company (T) Ltd - Head Office, Dar Es Salaam

## Responsibilities:

- Manage workflow of the claims department
- Thorough documentation and general claims administration from intimation of the claim to the payment stage
  of the claim and also post settlement activities including recovery from reinsurers.
- Draw up performance objective and standard for the department
- Monthly review of motor portfolio and suggestion to management for improvement
- Monthly claims provision review
- Portfolio analysis of major brokers in each guarter
- Conduct claim reconciliation with brokers every two weeks
- Plan and review resources for the department and agree with deputy director operations/director operations
- Monitor performance of the subordinates
- Design and review claim process and manuals

Effective October: 16, 2014: Assistant Manager Underwriting ICEA LION General Insurance Company Tanzania Limited

- Oversee the correctness of company's underwriting practices
- Process complex cover notes according to the laid down company policies
- Prepare reports on the performance of the company monthly, in terms of written premiums, major acquired accounts and accounts lost during the month
- Documents administration and processing not limited to signing of policies, endorsements or any other underwriting document within the scope of authority.
- Monitor data entry of documents (cover notes and risk notes) issued to clients
- Monitor stationery issuance to branches, brokers and agents and their recording
- Verifying documents for correctness
- Assessment of risk by scrutinizing all proposal forms, cover notes and/or risk notes received in the department.
- Prepare reports to the management and regulatory authority eg. TANRE Compulsory returns, COMESA Cards etc.
- Ensure that risks are reinsured outside the country are reported to TIRA and the relevant approval abstained
- Prepare quotations for clients and intermediaries
- Ensure risks are underwritten according to company's underwriting policy
- Assess, accept or reject direct or reinsured inward risks, specify underwriting terms and communicate with clients on any underwriting matter including providing quotations.
- Monitor renewal of all business monthly with a view of following up on un-renewed cases.
- Serving all customers effectively by correctly understanding accurately writing down and meeting their needs
  or, if unable to conclude the matter, quickly referring their enquiry, instructions or request to the relevant
  person for action.
- Arrange reinsurance on risks that exceed the company's retentions

Effective January 19, 2016: Manager Operations Mayfair Insurance Company Tanzania Limited

## Responsibilities:

Reporting to the Chief Executive Officer and providing operations management across a range of business classes. My role ranges from setting and managing KPIs/SLAs, checking quality of processing and operational procedures, management reporting as well as data analysis and reconciliation. Also, I am responsible in improving operational processes and efficiency as well as working with key senior stakeholders

## Underwriting Related Responsibilities

- General supervision of underwriting and customer service staff
- Preparation of regular management reports on production and other relevant reports.
- Ensure that all documentation in the underwriting department i.e policy documents, endorsements, renewal notices etc are correctly issued and dispatched to the intermediaries/insured/policyholders as applicable.
- To oversee the overall administration of timely issuance of policy documents, renewal confirmations and endorsements.
- Facilitate continuous underwriting staff training to create capacity
- Develop an underwriting manual and update it as and when need be.
- Reviewing sales audit reports from Senior Vetting officer and taking remedial actions where necessary.
- Management of motor certificates by ensuring proper records is maintained.
- Recommending to management effective underwriting systems and procedures for proposals and policies, drafting policies and endorsements and renewals.
- Work closely with risk manager to establish procedures for surveys, initiating risk management programmes and compliance with recommendations on risk improvement.
- Ensure that new risks accepted and/or renewed with the company are vetted to meet the basic quality standards.

- Prepare the table of minimum rates as required by the commissioner of insurance and ensure it is lodged with the office Ensure that ATI circulars and communications from the commissioner's office relating to underwriting functions are well attended to and responded to on time.
- Risk profiling on suspect claims to establish underwriting gaps.
- Developing among staff loyalty to the company personal integrity and adequate professional standards and a sense of satisfaction in the performance of their work.
- Ensure that vehicles insured by the company are subjected to the pre insurance valuations and those values /defects and /or any findings are communicated to policyholders /intermediaries on time.

## Reinsurance Related Responsibilities

- Analyze the risks accepted and ensure risks are ceded properly.
- Ensure that all acceptances are protected by proper reinsurance arrangement on a back to back basis without any gaps in risks accepted and reinsurance protection availed.
- Obtain all necessary underwriting information required to place the risk in the international/regional/local reinsurance market.
- Coordinate with reinsurance brokers for the placement of each and every declaration to the appropriate reinsurance arrangement
- Arranging proper reinsurance protection as and when required.
- Place reinsurance directly to the market or through the broker whether on facultative or any other basis depending on the need of the situation.
- Administration of the reinsurance program.
- Ensure timely submission of closing and accounting documents as well as for settlement of premium and recovery
  of claims from reinsurers.
- Ensure accuracy of reinsurance contract with reference to original terms at which reinsurance is accepted.
- Maintain efficient communication lines between the company and brokers.
- Prepare reinsurance underwriting and claims statistics including outstanding claims and reinsurance recoveries there from on a regular basis and update the same at periodic intervals as per requirement.
- Review reinsurance payments/recoveries relating reinsurance premium, commissioning and claims.
- Calculate reinsurance premium, profit commission and other reinsurance deductions and able to prepare relevant documentation.

Effective January 1, 2021: Assistant General Manager Mayfair Insurance Company Tanzania Limited.

## Duties and responsibilities are but not confined to assist General Manager to;

- Oversee Marketing daily operations of the company
- Establish policies that promote company culture and vision
- Improve and implement business strategies, plans and procedures
- Evaluate performance by analysing and interpreting data and metrics on Premium, Claims, Expenses
- Coordinate and manage compliance responsibilities
- Stay informed of Regulatory requirements in Tanzania and insurance in general
- Review and organize company approval evaluation for new business opportunities

## Computer skills:

Substantial working knowledge of most Microsoft Office products and different versions of the operating systems like Windows 9x, 200, XP and Vista

## Language(s)

Fluent in Swahili and English Language

## Professional Association:

An active member of the Insurance Institute of India (III) which is an organization that has provided me with quality information and technical skills in relation to this craft.

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# The National Examinations Council of Tanzania



# Advanced Certificate of Secondary Education

This is to certify that CHRISBETH THOMAS

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This is to certify that

# CHRISBETH THOMAS

is an Associate of the Insurance Institute of India

having passed the examination in

SEPTEMBER 2021. Diploma given

the seal of the Institute at Mumbai

30th day of SEPTEMBER 2021

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Secretary-General

Members of the Council

Signature of Diploma Holder

Diploma No: AS127767 Registration No: 09200769

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This is to certify that Mr. CHRISBETH THOMAS, Registration No. 09200769 has passed below mentioned subjects till date. As per the current examination guidelines, the credit points acquired by virtue of passing in subject's i.e. IC-11\*, IC-12\*, IC-57\*, IC-72\*, and IC-78\* has lapsed.

## Subject Details

ir.No.	Subject Name	Total Marks	Marks Obtained
1	(IC-01) Principles of Insurance (credit points 20)	100	78
2	(IC-11) Practice of General Insurance (credit points 20)*	100	60
3	(IC-12) Insurance Business Environment*	100	59
4	(IC-46) General Insurance Accounts and Regulation of Investment (credit points 30)	100	69
5	(IC-45) General Insurance Underwriting (credit points 30)	100	71
6	(IC-57) Fire and Consequential Loss Insurance (credit points 30)*	100	50
7	(IC-72) Motor Insurance (credit points 30)*	100	61
8	(IC-74) Liability Insurance (credit points 30)	100	83
9	(IC-77) Engineering Insurance (credit points 30)	100	
10	(IC-78) Miscellaneous Insurance (credit points 30)*		61
11	(IC-85) Reinsurance (credit points 40)	100	64
12	(IC-86) Risk Management (credit points 40)	100	66
13	(IC-76) Aviation Insurance (credit points 30)	100	72

## Diploma Details

Sr.No.	Exam	Exam Status	Diploma Number	Year Of Passing
1	Licentiate	PASS	4-14	OCTOBER - 2010
2	Associate	PASS	AS127767	SEPTEMBER - 2021

This certificate has been issued on request of the candidate.

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