

**FSCA Press Release**

**31 March 2026**

**FSCA appoints curator for part of the financial services business of Mr Johannes Lodewicus Du Plessis and JLD Investments CC**

On 17 March 2026, the Financial Sector Conduct Authority (FSCA), by agreement with Mr Johannes Lodewicus Du Plessis (Du Plessis) and JLD Investments CC Registration Number 2010/171827/23 (JLD Investments), and without the intervention of the court, appointed a curator in terms of section 5(10) of the Financial Institutions (Protection of Funds) Act, No. 28 of 2001 (FI Act). The curator was appointed as such for a part of the financial services business of Du Plessis and JLD Investments.

The appointment of the curator forms part of the FSCA's investigation into Du Plessis and JLD Investments. The investigation commenced as a result of information received by the FSCA that Du Plessis, among other things, collected funds from the public and used these funds to trade in equities. Du Plessis further allegedly promised unrealistic returns to his clients. On 18 November 2024, the FSCA published a press release to this effect, which may be accessed by clicking on this [link](#).

The appointed curator is Mr Aubrey Magerman (Mr Magerman) of Magerman Attorneys. Mr Magerman is an attorney with over 18 years' post-qualification experience across commercial litigation, regulatory investigations, mining and administrative law. The objective of appointing a curator is to protect the interests of clients who invested with Du Plessis and JLD investments.

The powers of the curator are subject to the control of the FSCA in accordance with section 5(6) of the FI Act. The curator is also required to provide the FSCA with written monthly updates and/or reports on the progress of the curatorship.

Members of the public who invested funds with Du Plessis and JLD Investments or who have any information relating to the financial services business of Du Plessis and/or JLD investments are encouraged to contact Mr Magerman via email at [aubrey@magermans.co.za](mailto:aubrey@magermans.co.za) or telephonically on 083 461 5294.

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The FSCA is continuing with its investigation in respect of Du Plessis and JDL Investments. While the investigation is still ongoing and no findings have yet been finalised, the FSCA will continue to monitor the situation closely.

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