

EISA Programme Manager pays a Courtesy Call on the ICGLR – LMRC Executive Director



LMRC Executive Director Dr. Frank Okuthe (2nd from right) with EISA Programme Manager, Ms. Cecile Bassomo (2nd from left) during the visit to the Centre on 7th November 2019 in Lusaka, Zambia.

Lusaka, 7th November 2019: The Electoral Institute for Sustainable Democracy in Africa (EISA) Programme Manager, Ms. Cecile Bassomo accompanied by Ms. Lenny Taabu, the Programme Assistant at EISA paid a Courtesy Call on the International Conference on the Great Lakes Region (ICGLR) – Levy Mwanawasa Regional Centre (LMRC)'s Executive Director, Dr. Frank Okuthe on 7th November 2019 in Lusaka, Zambia.

The main purpose of the visit was to discuss the best approach to Election Observation mission in the Great Lakes Region.

The Executive Director who was in the company of the Regional Centre's Head of Finance and Administration, Ms. Mareena Mawere, welcomed the EISA Programme Manager and expressed gratitude for the visit.

Dr. Okuthe explained the mandate of the Regional Centre and highlighted its importance in providing policy recommendations to the Member States in order to effectively implement the ICGLR Pact on Security, Stability and Development in the Great Lakes Region. Ms. Cecile Bassomo mentioned that EISA is glad to collaborate with the

Centre as partners in the areas of Democracy, Good Governance and Human Rights as they are within the mandate of the Centre.

In conclusion, Ms. Cecile Bassomo thanked the Executive Director for the warm reception accorded to them.