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Moratorium on funeral policy deductions against children's grants

This letter serves to inform you that the South African Social Security Agency (SASSA) has noted that some of the funeral policy deductions are made from children's grants: child support grant, foster care grant and care dependency grant.

In order to ensure that protection against the rights of the children is adhered to, the Agency has placed a moratorium on the new funeral policy deductions from children's grants with effect from 01 January 2016. Therefore;

- Only the existing funeral policy deductions against children's grants will continue until the determination is made on the existing grant policies
- New funeral policy deductions against children's will not be accepted with effect from the date mentioned above.

Sincerely

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