



With DriveMoz you are NEVER Alone

**WELCOME to DRIVEMOZ,**

please read the ENTIRE DOCUMENT for your OWN BENEFIT, as well as for the rest of the MEMBERS

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## 1. What can DriveMoz mean for / to you?

- 1.1. Dirk Fourie from Centurion saw the need for communication between tourist travellers to, in and from Mozambique and then created DriveMoz in October 2013.
- 1.2. He is assisted by Admin members and Moderators. They all do the management of the group in their own time; they all have full time jobs (which is not DriveMoz)
- 1.3. By becoming a member, you are part of an exclusive group, not anyone can join or is allowed to join. By joining you agree to abide by the group's rules that may change from time to time. It's for the happiness of everyone in the group.
- 1.4. A DriveMoz Member's sticker is not a "Get-Out-Of-Jail-Free" token
- 1.5. We DriveMoz take no responsibility or accountability for posts / comments or reactions. We attempt to manage these within the rules and laws, but the member posting or commenting remains accountable and responsible for its actions. Members become part of a family, a community of Mozambique lovers (and visitors)
- 1.6. Being part of this group means that you **commit to behave responsibly**, to respect the Mozambique laws, the nature, the people and fellow holiday makers and road users. Leave the bad manners and hooligan styles at home if you do have **- relax** - we all worked hard to experience enjoyable times. Mozambique is not another province of SA or other country, it is a country on its own. We are visitors, we behave like good visitors and guests.
- 1.7. Members communicate and assist each other via the **Zello** Walky Talky App's DriveMoz Channels, as well as Facebook. The Telegram groups were closed as it becomes too many platforms to monitor .
- 1.8.
- 1.9. Members also assists each other in person, when the need arise in you getting stuck, during breakdown or even worse. We exercise camaraderie, we are a family.

- 1.10. Members should not only join when going on holiday, it is a give and take process - plough back what you learned. Maintain your membership of the Facebook Group. Proudly Display your membership token (Member Sticker) even if you are not in Mozambique, to show that you are part of the family.
- 1.11. Members get access to the **Members Area** on the [www.DriveMoz.co.za](http://www.DriveMoz.co.za) website where many Files with information is available, as well as maps, the laws, penalties and fines, etc.
- 1.12. Members of DriveMoz will easily obtain membership on the other DriveGroups like DriveBots, DriveNam, DriveZim, DriveZam, DriveTan, DriveMal, DriveSA and DriveAngo groups.
- 1.13. DriveMoz leaders have worked hard to improve on the solicitation of visitors. Although it's not perfect, it has much improved. We will thus not hesitate to **Name and Shame** members / people who blatantly ignore the laws and damage the good DriveMoz name. Displaying your member sticker set, means that you agree to what the DriveMoz endeavours are.
- 1.14. As member we do not BRIBE. We do not use "Facilitators" at the border as that is the source of solicitation and bribery. DriveMoz team has done lots to remove such criminals from the borders. Do NOT feed them.

**The DriveMoz name is well-known in Mozambique (frequently on TV) and being a proud member means that you receive respect and assistance, but also exercise respect and camaraderie.**



## 2. How to Find Information / advice from DriveMoz

We have several ways to convey the valuable and needed information to you. This is for your benefit, as we hate it when you are scammed or when money is solicited from you, where we have already experienced the same situations and learned to handle it.

**Some members learned the hard way, why must you too?** Here are the ways to access info:

2.1. At the TOP of the FB group or on the side if you use PC, is the Menu items **The "Featured" Tab** gets frequently updated with the latest verified info.



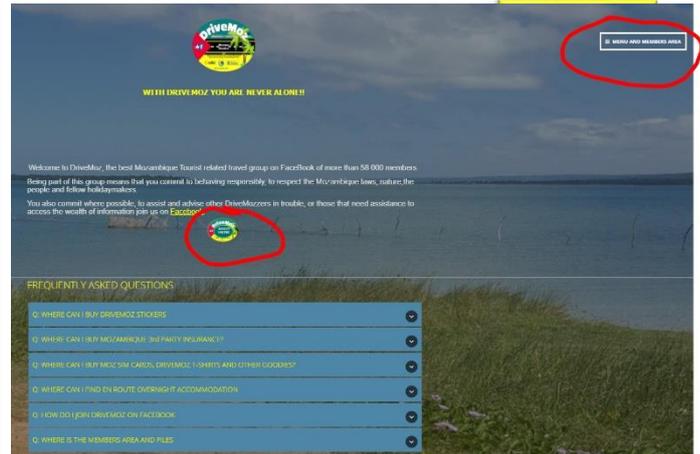
**Units (Learning Units)** is also a **Menu Item** - please Find it and **read it ALL**, there are several sections with videos of dangerous Mozzi Eye's (Camera) places.

2.2. Frequently check the **Featured Tab** at the top of the group or on Menu - we update changes there - like Meat Bans, Riots, washed away roads, cyclone warnings etc.

2.3. Only DriveMoz members can get access to all the valuable info in the **Members Area** on our Website [www.DriveMoz.co.za](http://www.DriveMoz.co.za) Here you will see all the requirements, border procedures and tips, checklists, how to complete forms, examples of affidavits needed, maps, routes etc.

**Please consult this special section**

2.4. Also, on the **Facebook group**, Scroll Down and read recent posts.



2.5. Use the Group **Search Button** or Field. On phone it's at the very top when you open the DriveMoz Group, on PC it is on the Left Side below the menu.

2.6. If you still have a question, please ask on the Group, many members will assist, (We are much more than 82,000 members.) Before you do that, please just check the advice above.

2.7. Check under **Members Area** on the Website [www.DriveMoz.co.za](http://www.DriveMoz.co.za), under **Communication** for more ways to get assistance and advice from fellow members. We use Zello, and the FB Group.

2.8. Please practice Zello before your trip. Instructions are as above. When you are in a difficult situation, immediately use the Zello app on DriveMoz Channel. Do not complain afterwards about how bad this or that is. If you are guilty of an offence, face it, pay the fine, get a receipt !!!!! and move on. **DO NOT BRIBE** - you are feeding the dragon. Through work of DriveMoz, our members have managed to cause corrupt officers to be jailed.



### 3. Where to get Member's Stickers?

- 3.1. Members proudly display their membership status. Not only when you visit Moz, but wherever you go. We saw member's sightings in Canada, Namibia, Germany etc.
- 3.2. We have more than 50 approved DriveMoz sticker distributors, from Cape Town up to Harare. These stickers and the name are Trade Marked and may not be copied.
- 3.3. Each sticker set comes with 2 stickers and instruction leaflet.  
The member sticker represents the country's flag colours, as well as well-known icons of the country and DriveMoz.
- 3.4. Each member sticker has a unique number. Instructions are provided with each sticker, on where to fit it, and how to register it so that you are eligible for prizes from time to time. It also gives us means to reach your family or friends should you be in unfortunate situations.
- 3.5. One big sticker high up on Right Side at rear of vehicle, e.g. next to ZA sticker. Not on the window or bumper as these are smashed in accidents. The Small one behind side mirror on right hand side so that police and members coming from the front, can recognise your membership.
- 3.6. Find your nearest distributor here (Right Click Link and Open in new Window, so not to lose your place here) [Sticker Vendors](#)

### 4. The Compulsory 3rd Party Insurance – Easy & safe Online option

- 4.1. This insurance is similar to the **South African Road Accident fund** and its NOT the same as 3<sup>rd</sup> party insurance you obtain from your insurance company. Your insurance company **CAN NOT PROVIDE** this, only Mozambique approved insurance companies.
- 4.2. All vehicles using a public road (including trailers) must have compulsory **Mozambican 3rd Party Insurance** in accordance with Article 157 of the Mozambican Road Law.
- 4.3. DriveMoz has agreed with approved Mozambique Insurance companies to sell the insurance from the DriveMoz portal. DriveMoz will obtain some portion from sales, some for its **Mozambique Charity campaigns**.
- 4.4. The **Price is the same** as anywhere else, **BUT**
  - 4.4.1. You will **safe time** at the border, no money payments and runners swamping you all the time.
  - 4.4.2. You can buy your insurance **long before the time**. You just enter the date of entering Mozambique.
  - 4.4.3. It is **quick**. It takes 5 minutes to complete the details. It will be emailed to you and you can print it, sign it and add to your travel folder. **(Check Spam Folder if you do not see it soon in your mail)**
  - 4.4.4. Should things **change** (trailer / car), you can contact the provider to change it for you.
  - 4.4.5. It gets **e-mailed to you**, so it's in your mailbox. (Check Spam if not in your mail after a few minutes). If you lose it, or your file gets stolen or gets lost .. all you do is re-print it
- 4.5. Right Click this link below and open in new window (so you do not lose your place here)

or



## HOLLARD 3<sup>rd</sup> PARTY INSURANCE



### 5. Sim-card & Data for Mozambique – where to get in SA.

5.1. Roaming is very expensive. Prevent shocking surprises when you return, buy a Mozambique Sim Card before you go.



5.2. All Mozambique Network Sim Cards to use in Mozambique, must be properly registered to the user's name (RICA). Please note these are checked. The registered name must use the SIM or be close to it.

5.3. DriveMoz has an agreement with Vodacom & Movitel Mozambique to RICA the Mozambique Sim Cards here in South Africa.

5.4. These SIM Cards will be registered (RICA) using your passport (Up to 5 sim Cards may be registered to one Sim Card)

5.5. The Sim Card will be tested, and a Mozambique Cell-phone number will be allocated to the SIM. You can, before you leave, provide the number to your work / friends / family or make it part of your message service on your normal number.

5.6. Because its Pre-Paid, DriveMoz will load data vouchers & airtime onto the Sim Card and provide instructions to convert it to Data. In busy times, you will have to load the airtime yourself, but instructions will be provided as the communication with Mozambique sometimes take long).

5.7. Please order your Sim Cards well in time, it may take time to register due to our communication with Moz, and the approval process.

5.8. We recommend that not all the airtime be used for data, so that you leave airtime to phone legal services / lodge / other necessities with the airtime. Normally, there is pre-loaded 1GB data and MT80 for airtime. More data vouchers can be purchased (5 GB & 10GB) and activated when required.

5.9. SIM Cards are sold ONLINE. Read instructions carefully Leave enough days (We take about 2 workdays to prepare, register and to courier the SIM. Delivery to cities take about 2 days, remote areas 4 days for delivery)

You can also buy **extra data, DriveMoz stickers, special DriveMoz ZA stickers and the DriveMoz Blue towing stickers** from the online shop, and other goodies.



### 6. COVID-19 RULES.

Please refer to the updated rules in the FAQ post under the FEATURED TAB on the FB Group



## 7. Group



## Rules.

Welcome to DriveMoz, the best Mozambique Group – If your post or comment disappears – read the rules again. If you continue to break the rules, you will be muted or removed from the group. These rules are for the benefit of all:

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### Use English Language only

THIS GROUP is ENGLISH ONLY (MULTI-NATIONAL footprint) - please adhere. Be Decent. 1000's read every post that is posted.

02

### Be Happy and Friendly

THIS is a Happy and Friendly group. If you are GRUMPY / NASTY, then leave or Don't post.

03

### No Advertising - No nasty stuff

NO SLANDERING, DEFAMATION, SWEARING, NASTINESS, RACISM or PERSONAL ATTACKS, DISRESPECT or SARCASM, **neither ADVERTISING.**

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### Remain with the theme - Travelling to, in and from Mozambique and related aspects

There are groups for general stuff, like Mozambique A-Z, Moz Forum, Mozambique for All where you can discuss non travel related issues like the illegal fishing vessels etc.

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### No Highlighted Posts (Coloured) only in Emergency

We keep these for EMERGENCIES and URGENCIES, so that it can be quickly attended to. If such URGENCY or EMERGENCY occurs, please start your coloured post with URGENCY or EMERGENCY thank you

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### No GIF images

GIF IMAGES - Don't use it - its so "Last Week" and irritating, over & over the same thing

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### Don't load your own Files, Events, Chats etc

Our files are categorised on the website, request admin to load new ones. Don't create your own Polls, Events, Chats, Watch Parties etc. Request from Admin, who will consider and place if approved.

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### Use information already asked / prepared for you

Mozambique is about proper preparing. Read the Learning Units at the top of DriveMoz Group, or Members Area on website <https://www.drivemoz.co.za> . Lots of info has been prepared for you, just read. Also use SEARCH function (select most recent)

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### Accommodation Offerings and Requests- Long Stay

Please use our DriveMoz Stay Group (<https://www.facebook.com/groups/DriveMozStayGroup>) to post requests or offerings of long stay accommodation (EN-Route Overnight remains a DriveMoz related aspect)

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### Adhere & to Posted Mozambique rules and directives

When Mozambique issues a rule or law like a meat ban, please do not blatantly advertise or state that you are going to break the rule, or that you did. When you joined you committed to adhere.

If you read up to here, please comment in the WELCOME POST with

**“Happy 2Ba DriveMozzer”**

Thank you for reading.

Mozambique greetings.

Dirk Fourie and Fellow Admin team