

Rainosi Wins the Inaugural SAZ Standards Reporter of the Year

A young reporter from the New Ziana, Mr MacDonald Rainosi made history for himself by becoming the first winner of the inaugural SAZ Standards Reporter of the Year.

Mr Rainosi published two articles in The Business Herald during 2005 entitled '**SAZ targets small enterprises**' and '**SAZ embarks on feasibility study**'. Mr Rainosi was in constant contact with the SAZ during the year with enquiries on various pertinent issues regarding the SAZ's operations. Of importance to note is that this reporter always verified information before publication.

The winner of this prestigious award is selected by a SAZ panel based on the reports published in the various local media during the year. The selection criteria involve among other things, content, accuracy, readability and appeal of the published articles.

SAZ launched the Standards Reporter of the Year Award in order to create awareness on standardization and quality issues in the country. The award is aimed at creating the much needed awareness on standardization and quality issues amongst all stakeholders in Zimbabwe, as well as helping cement the already existing good working relationship between SAZ and the local media.