

## Interview of AFRINEX CEO with Frontier Africa Reports

Mr. Thapelo Tsheole, CEO of AFRINEX Limited, in an interview with [Frontier Africa Reports](#) on **March 18, 2026**, for their 'Money Moves' series discussed a pivotal moment for [AFRINEX](#) Exchange and the broader financial corridor between Africa and India.

### Key Interview Highlights

- **AFRINEX as an Investment Bridge:** Mr. Tsheole highlighted that the US\$12 billion Mauritius-based bourse is designed as a primary financial services bridge connecting India and the wider Asian region with mainland Africa.
- **Strategic Partnerships:** The exchange has solidified its position by signing deals with the India International Exchange (India INX) to leverage its location and facilitate increased capital flows into African markets.
- **Plug-and-Play Access:** He emphasized AFRINEX's "plug-and-play" model, which simplifies entry into African capital markets for international investors.
- **Regional Experience:** The discussion also touched upon Mr. Tsheole's transition from previous leadership roles at the Botswana Stock Exchange (BSE) and the Rwanda Capital Market Authority (CMA) to leading the AFRINEX Limited.

### Current Leadership Context

Mr. Tsheole assumed his role at AFRINEX Limited in early 2026 after completing a successful tenure in Rwanda, where he was credited with driving legal reforms and innovation.

Mr. Tsheole is widely recognized for his role in transforming African capital markets conceptualising new product development, driving market liquidity, technological innovation, cross-border integration, market development, corporate governance, finance and regulatory policies.

You can view the full interview of Mr. Tsheole with Mr. Boason Omofaye on Youtube [http://youtube.com/post/Ugkx36KjkmHDtCUYE\\_k-wQbfL\\_MT3fGkaqc9?si=zPj8\\_cgruMBisjf1](http://youtube.com/post/Ugkx36KjkmHDtCUYE_k-wQbfL_MT3fGkaqc9?si=zPj8_cgruMBisjf1)

### About AFRINEX

AFRINEX is a pan-Africa focused international securities exchange in Mauritius with USD 12.4+ billion in market capitalization of listed securities. AFRINEX supported by BSE Technologies (Bombay Stock Exchange) established as an initiative of Government of Mauritius supported by Government of India offering platforms for listing, trading and capital raising across asset classes. Afrinex Clearing House Ltd., subsidiary of AFRINEX offers depository, clearing & settlement services.