Public Benefit Organisation (PBO)

Once your NPO is registered, you may consider becoming a Public Benefit Organisation (PBO). A PBO is any organisation which is a non-profit company (NPC) defined in section 1 of the Companies Act or a trust or an association of person that has been incorporated, formed or established in the Republic of South Africa. A PBO qualifies for Tax Exemption on Income. A PBO with 18A status is able to issue funders with an 18A receipt for tax relief. But please note, this is an additional registration to the initial registration of any given organisation.