



FOR PSA MEMBERS: PUBLIC SERVICE COORDINATING BARGAINING COUNCIL (PSCBC) 16/2019

15-07-2019

## Early Retirement: Misinformation provided by employers

It has come to the attention of the PSA that in some cases where members apply for early retirement, employers inform members that they must resign the PSA and submit proof of the resignation before the applications can be processes.

Nothing is further from the truth and this is pure intimidation by employers. It is a well-known fact that the PSA was very vocal on the reduction of government services, staff establishments and the offering of early retirement to members above the age of 55.

Members must note that resignation from the PSA during the period that the employer still considers and/or processes the applications, will leave members vulnerable and unprotected. Members who applied for early retirement and who are intimidated to resign the PSA first must urgently contact their closest PSA Provincial Office.

Ivan Fredericks
GENERAL MANAGER