

FOR PSA MEMBERS: WESTERN CAPE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORT AND PUBLIC WORKS (TRAFFIC)

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Update: Multilateral Forum meeting

The PSA attended a multilateral Forum meeting with Traffic (Department of Transport and Public Works) on 29 January 2019. The following items were discussed:

Fire-Arm Policy

The fire-arm policy was consulted in the multilateral and the Department advised that a workshop had been held for all Centre-Designated Firearm Officers. Members are advised to utilise departmental holsters only. A circular to this effect will be circulated.

Bullet-proof vests

The employer advised that a directive had previously been sent out, but there are still constant reports of non-compliance. Another circular will be sent out. Since this is a health and safety hazard, the employer indicated that it would be implementing disciplinary steps for non-compliance.

Grade progression

Labour raised concerns of members who qualified for grade progression, but which has not been implemented yet. The employer undertook to follow up and provide feedback to labour.

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