

INFORMUS



FOR PSA MEMBERS: DEPARTMENT OF HOME AFFAIRS (DHA)

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Registration of birth: Newborns

It has come to the PSA's attention that the DHA will embark upon a process of registering births of newborn babies during COVID-19 level 4 lockdown. The DHA is targeting the birth registration process that could not be processed between 27 March and 1 May 2020 owing to the lockdown. In addition, some staff will be deployed to Health facilities to process the registration of birth for newborn babies henceforth. Therefore, staff capacity for this service will be increased and will require the supply of more personal protective equipment (PPE).

The PSA had already raised the matter with the Departmental Steering Committee on COVID-19, however, members are requested to remain vigilant and continue to report any omission or dissatisfaction in this regard. Even though the PSA continues to support government in its endeavour to curb the spread of the virus, the health and safety of members will always be safeguarded.

GENERAL MANAGER