



FOR PSA MEMBERS: DEPARTMENT OF INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS AND COOPERATION (DIRCO)

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Feedback: Bargaining Forum meeting

Collective Agreement: New shift system

Parties are busy with negotiations on the new shift system. The collective agreement has not been finalised yet, and the task team will meet on a date to be confirmed for finalisation of the agreement. The PSA demanded that this matter be finalized.

Subsistence and travelling payments for international trips (S&T)

This matter was previously tabled by the PSA after receiving complaints from members about challenges experienced when withdrawing monies whilst on international trips. The employer reported that it has not received feedback from the CFO and feedback will be provided at the next meeting.

Policies

The policy task team could not meet owing to the unavailability of other members. The task team will meet on a date to be confirmed to discuss the following policies:

Placement Policy, Resettlement Policy, Funeral and Bereavement Policy, Record Management Policy, Bursary Policy, Acceptance of Gifts Policy, Recruitment and Selection Policy, and Skills Development Policy.

Organisational structure

The employer tabled the draft macro structure for consultation (*attached*). The Department will later consult on the functional structure. Members are requested to provide inputs **by 28 February 2020** to motjatji.maila@psa.co.za.

Members will be informed of developments.

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