

FOR PSA MEMBERS: EASTERN CAPE – MTHATHA AREA

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Lockdown regulations relaxed under level-4 risk assessment on 1 May 2020

As members are aware, despite relaxation of lockdown regulations under stage 4, lockdown will continue, mostly in its current form, even when the country moves to level 4 on 1 May 2020. Members should note that the PSA wrote letters to Premiers, MECs, and HODs to confirm departments' readiness to reopen institutions and caution them to put measures in place to prevent the spread of COVID-19.

Departments are warned to ensure that all provisions related to COVID-19 regulations are implemented in level 4. The following measures should be put in place before the return of employees to work on 1 May 2020 to protect employees from contracting COVID-19:

- Testing of employees before they resume work.
- Fumigating of workplaces before employees go to work.
- Screening of employees and clients before they enter the premises.
- Provision of masks, sanitisers and gloves for those who work with the public.
- Proper monitoring of social distancing.
- Continuous tracking of availability or shortage of PPE and reporting tools.

Members who will be required to report for work under level-4 risk assessment and are not provided with the mentioned provisions can contact the following PSA officials: Samkelo Mzuku (072 625 9021), Kenneth Qikani (082 880 2936), or Gilbert Seakamela (082 903 6804).

GENERAL MANAGER