



FOR PSA MEMBERS: LIMPOPO DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

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## COVID-19 Regulations – Phagameng High School

The PSA was alerted by concerned and frustrated members at Phagameng High School in Modimolle who experienced water shortage as water tank was not refilled. It must be noted that the access to clean running water is the basic requirement for infection control thus the non-availability of water poses a threat to employees. Further, only educators and learners were released whilst support staff was allowed to work in an unconducive environment with no access to water.

The PSA approached the principal who confirmed the water problem, however he also confirmed that the municipality filled the water tank on 9 July 2020. He further indicated that the discriminatory practice of allowing only educators to leave due to unconducive working conditions whilst support staff are not allowed, has been resolved, hence all staff will be released. Support staff's lives equally matter and the PSA will fight to ensure that they are respected and not ill-treated.

PSA is there to fight for the rights and interest of learners. Members experiencing problems of noncompliant can report to 082 880 8995 or 082 880 8957.

**GENERAL MANAGER**