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FOR PSA MEMBERS: LIMPOPO TECHNICAL AND VOCATIONAL EDUCATION AND TRAINING (TVET)

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Update: COVID-19

Lephalale TVET College

A student tested positive for COVID-19 after attending classes on Friday last week and the student is currently self-isolating, whilst the process to identify close contacts, has commenced. The college has further ensured the implementation of safety measures to protect fellow students and employees. Furthermore, the process of arranging counselling for employees and students as part of psychosocial support, is underway. Management is commended for ensuring that safety measures are implemented by following the health and hygiene protocols, as outlined by the Higher Health on institutional response to a COVID-19 case, within Post-School Education and Training (PSET) institutions.

Vhembe TVET College

Vhembe TVET College recorded a COVID-19 case resulting in the suspension of campus activities at Makwarela Campus. The suspension of the activities seeks to ensure compliance with health and safety protocols for the containment of the spread of the virus.

Local shop stewards in these institutions, are thus urged to monitor compliance with COVID-19 Regulations, in order to protect students and employees from further spreading of the virus. The employees must exercise extra caution when executing their duties and are within their rights to refuse to work in an unsafe work environment. Furthermore, the constant wearing of masks, washing or sanitising of hands and observation of social distance, will assist in the protection of employees and learners hence it should not be compromised.

Members will be kept abreast of further developments.

GENERAL MANAGER