

FOR PSA MEMBERS: DEPARTMENT OF EMPLOYMENT AND LABOUR - MPUMALANGA

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Non-compliance with COVID-19 Regulations

The PSA's Provincial Office in Nelspruit has been alerted by members that the Provincial Office of the Department of Employment and Labour in Witbank is contravening COVID-19 Regulations.

The PSA received information that one of the Senior Managers has been issuing fraudulent permits to non-essential workers and re-calling them from the lockdown to render services to the public, even after a directive was issued by the Director-General emphasizing which functions in the Department would be ascertained as essential. The permits can also be seen to be of a non-Departmental letterhead.

Such behaviour by a senior manager is appalling and the PSA thus sensitised the Director-General to correct such illicit acts. Failure to do so will compel the PSA to seek alternative remedies to protect members. The PSA is awaiting the response of the Director-General. Members will be informed of developments.

GENERAL MANAGER