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FOR PSA MEMBERS: **CIVILIAN SECRETARIAT FOR POLICE SERVICES (CSPS)**

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## Feedback: Departmental Bargaining Chamber Meeting – 5 May 2022

### Relocation of CSPS to new building

Members were previously informed that the PSA tabled this matter wherein it pushed the employer to prioritise the safety of workers as directed by the *OHS Act*. Clause 8 of *OHS Act* places a legal obligation on the employer to provide and maintain workplace that is safe and without risk to the health of its employees. The building was not in compliance with safety standards, which posed risks to workers. Subsequently, the employer started the process to secure an alternative safe building, whereby Fedsure Building was identified. The employer had previously reported that the move would take place on 28 March 2022. The employer reported that the relocation was finalised on 1 April 2022 and indications are that members are satisfied with the new building. The PSA urges members who are experiencing problems to urgently contact shop stewards to ensure prompt intervention as the safety of members remains a priority.

### COVID-19

The employer reported that all employees have reported back at the office, except employees with co-morbidities. It was further stated that employees with co-morbidity are allowed to work from home but they should submit the application for those arrangements, with supporting documents.

Members will be informed of developments.

Employees who want to join the PSA can visit the PSA's website ([www.psa.co.za](http://www.psa.co.za)), send an email to [ask@psa.co.za](mailto:ask@psa.co.za), or contact PSA Provincial Offices.

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