

## FOR PSA MEMBERS: DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONAL SERVICES (DCS)

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## Update: What is happening in DCS?

## Re-employment of ex-officials' arbitration

In the previous *Informus* (copy can be obtained on the PSA's website or from PSA Provincial Offices), members were informed that the PSA is actively pursuing a dispute to ensure that members re-employed since 2019 are placed on the correct salary levels.

The arbitration resumed on 13 May 2025. The PSA was able to conclude the testimony of two witnesses but owing to the time the testimony took, the third and final witness could not be concluded. The GPSSBC has set down the matter for **17 and 18 July 2025** to conclude the arbitration process. The employer indicated that currently its only intends to call one witness and therefore the arbitration process should be concluded during the two days that it is set down for. Should it be concluded during the two days, the arbitrator will have 14 days in which the arbitration award must be issued to parties.

Members will be updated on developments.

Employees who want to join the PSA can visit the PSA's website, send an email to <u>ask@psa.co.za</u>, or contact PSA Provincial Offices.

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