



FOR PSA MEMBERS: **DEPARTMENT OF WATER AND SANITATION (DWS)**

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Feedback: Special Departmental Bargaining Chamber - DWS

Draft transfer agreement: Catchment Management Agencies (CMAs)

Members were previously informed that parties are in consultation on the draft transfer agreement of the CMAs. Organised labour was astonished to hear that the number of employees who may be affected has risen from 600 to approximately 800 employees. Parties agreed to halt the road shows in engaging employees on the CMA but to focus on finalisation of the draft transfer agreement after the road show in KwaZulu-Natal collapsed.

The employer committed to sending out a communique to all employees, informing them of the decision to halt the road shows in the provinces. Furthermore, the employer committed to sending information on the exact number of employees and the updated draft agreements with inputs to organised labour by 28 January 2025. Parties agreed to engage further on the draft transfer agreement on 6 and 7 February 2025.

Members will be updated on developments.

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