



FOR PSA MEMBERS: **DEPARTMENT OF LAND REFORM AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT
(DLRRD)**

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Progress: DLRRD Realignment Programme – Deeds Registry

Members were previously advised that a Realignment Task Team has been established to:

- Oversee the relocation of the North West Deeds Registry from Vryburg to Mahikeng;
- Oversee the implementation of approved amendments to the jurisdictional boundaries of the North West, North Gauteng, and South Gauteng Deeds Registries; and
- Provide oversight to ensure compliance with the realignment programme with constitutional, legislative, and administrative requirements.

The Terms of Reference and the project plan were presented and subsequently shared with members through an *Informus* to solicit inputs and obtain a mandate before endorsement. A follow up meeting was convened on **26 March 2026**, during which the employer presented a draft circular intended for publication after consultation with organised labour.

Organised labour noted that inputs relating to the terms of reference and the project plan had already been submitted, but these inputs had not yet been incorporated by the employer. Labour further emphasised that both documents remain unendorsed, as endorsement is dependent on mandates from members and principals. Organised labour therefore proposed that the employer put the circular on hold and first circulate revised versions of the documents reflecting the submitted inputs. In response, the employer acknowledged the urgency of the programme but agreed to place the circular on hold. The employer also accepted the proposal to revise and circulate the updated terms of reference and project plan incorporating labour's inputs.

The parties agreed to reconvene on **8 or 13 April 2026**, at which the terms of reference and project plan are expected to be endorsed, subject to organised labour securing the necessary mandates. Members will continue to be informed of developments and will receive regular updates on the progress of the realignment programme.

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

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