



FOR PSA MEMBERS: **STATISTICS SOUTH AFRICA (STATS SA)**

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Feedback: Stats SA Special Departmental Bargaining Chamber (DBC) meeting - 20 April 2026

Working-from-home arrangement

The PSA tabled the matter following the excessive fuel-price increase, which poses significant challenges for employees. The PSA called on the employer to consider work-from-home arrangements as a measure to ease the financial burden on employees. The employer noted the PSA's submission and indicated that the matter would be discussed with its principals. Feedback will be provided to members as soon as there are developments.

Relocation: Regional and district offices

Members will recall that the Department took a decision to relocate various offices owing to limited space and OHS concerns. A task team was established to facilitate and implement the relocation process. At the said meeting the employer reported that the following offices will be relocated owing to expired lease agreements and office space:

- Kuruman office in the Northern Cape
- Provincial office in the Free State
- Mangaung metro office in the Free State
- Xhariep district office in the Free State

The PSA noted the report and urged the task team to start consultation processes with affected employees. Parties agreed to convene the task team meeting on 23 April 2026 to develop an action plan for the identified offices. Members will be informed of developments.

Employees who want to join the PSA can visit the PSA's website or contact PSA Provincial Offices.

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