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FOR PSA MEMBERS: LIMPOPO DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

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What is happening at Limpopo Department of Education?

Members are aware that the issue of the transfer of educators to their schools of preference owing to their personal circumstances has been a challenge since the employer had embarked on a moratorium for employee-initiated transfers. Members have even approached the Union to assist them as they felt that they had compelling reasons for the employer to consider the request for a transfer.

Finally, the employer issued a circular (*attached* for ease of reference) on 27 May 2024 where the moratorium has been lifted, which paves the way for educators to now apply for transfers. It must be noted that although preference will be given to educators who were declared additional to the 2024 schools post establishment, it does not mean that other educators cannot initiate transfers.

PSA shop stewards at schools, circuits, and district levels are called upon to assist PSA members who might experience challenges in relation to the process as some circuit and district managers have previously shown hostility towards educators who belong to the PSA.

For further assistance and clarity, members can contact the Provincial Chairperson or Secretary: Cde Matlala on bophelobjannete@gmail.com and Cde Mahlare on mahlare.mahlare@gmail.com.

Employees who want to join the PSA or have work-related challenges can contact the PSA Provincial Organising/Marketing Officers at Paulina.moloto@psa.co.za and Lawrence.muvhango@psa.co.za.

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