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### **FUTURE OF WORK AND REGULATIONS REVIEW INDABA**

The Minister for the Public Service and Administration, Ms Ayanda Dlodlo, will host a “Future of Work Indaba” on the 14th and 15th March 2022 where she will deliver a keynote address on the optimization of the public service.

The inaugural two-day “Future of Work Indaba” is a response to the announcement by President Ramaphosa at the 2022 SONA that government should reduce red-tape in its dealings and should fast tract the leap into the digital transformation era.

Despite the disruptions caused by the outbreak of COVID-19, public servants are expected to navigate through technological developments that enables them to be innovative in delivering critical services to citizens. It is therefore important for government to prepare for this emerging technological revolution with the view of improving quality service delivery.

The Indaba will be attended by the Public Service and Administration Director-General, Ms Yoliswa Makhasi, Public Service Co-ordinating Bargaining Council Chairperson – Ms. Ingrid Dimo, Public Service Commission Acting Chairperson – Prof. Somadoda Fikeni, Public Sector Training Authority (PSETA) Chairperson – Mr. Thulani Tshefuta including policy makers, academics, senior government officials, Tshwane University of Technology and University of South Africa, National School of Government, the NYDA,

the UNDP and the PWC. All Provinces will be represented by their Office of the Premiers to share their 'implementer view' of the impact of Public Service Regulations, 2016 on their ability to recruit and manage human resources. Various research institutions will be exhibiting innovative solutions on the future of work including a simulation from Tshwane University of Technology where participants are allowed to competitively participate in running a department looking at future viability and employee satisfaction. The participants play roles as employees in four departments with interdependencies that need to cooperate to achieve the organisational goals.

**The Indaba will take place as follows: Hybrid**

- Date: March 14-15, 2022
- Time: 9:00 am
- Gallagher Estate and Conference Centre, Midrand
- Zoom: Register: <https://zoom.us/s/91778779008>

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