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TO: ALL HEADS OF NATIONAL AND PROVINCIAL DEPARTMENTS AND GOVERNMENT COMPONENTS

SUBJECT: EARLY RETIREMENT WITHOUT A REDUCTION OF PENSION BENEFITS IN TERMS OF SECTION 16(6) OF THE PUBLIC SERVICE ACT, 1994

The Early Retirement without a reduction of pension benefits in terms of section 16(6) of the Public Service Act, 1994 as communicated in DPSA's circular dated 29 March 2019, closed on 30 September 2019.

Public servants are advised that all applications from national departments received by the closing date have been finalised and communication has been sent to respective departments. All queries from employees at national departments are to be directed to HR units of the respective departments and not to the Department of Public Service and Administration.

With respect to provincial applications, the Technical Committee on Finance has taken a decision to have provincial cases processed at the respective provinces. All provincial applications have therefore been handed over to the respective Provincial Treasuries. Employees from provinces are advised to consult with the relevant Treasury through their intergovernmental representative from their respective departments for the status of their applications.

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