

DEPARTMENT OF LABOUR

NOTICE 468 OF 2017

Notice published by the Essential Services Committee ('the Committee') in terms of section 71, read with section 70(2)(a) of the Labour Relations Act, 1995 (Act No 66 of 1995 as amended)

A. Notice is hereby given in terms of section 71, read with section 70(2)(a) of the Labour Relations Act, 1995 (Act No 66 of 1995 as amended), that the Committee is in the process of conducting an investigation as to whether the following services are essential:

1. Lifeguards at beaches;
2. Radiology services;
3. Services in relation to the manufacture of total parenteral nutrition; and
4. Services performed by medical officers in public health care.

B. Notice is hereby given for the variation in terms of Section 71(9) of the following designations rendered by the Committee on:

1. 12 September 1997, under GN R1216 GG 18276, on following services provided by nursing homes which are registered as welfare organisations in terms of the National Welfare Act, 1978 (Act No. 100 of 1978), to patients in need of moderate (level 2) and maximum (level 3) care
2. 24 December 2004, under GN R1462 GG27104, on the whole of the services provided by old age homes registered in terms of the National Welfare Act (Act No.100 of 1978

The variations are occasioned by the repeal of the National Welfare Act of 1978 by the promulgation of the Older Person Act of 2006, and the requirement of registration of care institutions with the Department of Social Development falling under the Older persons Act.

C. Notice is hereby given that the Committee will hear oral representations on the above as follows:

- (i) Date: 13 July in George
Venue: 11 Cathedral Square, 62 Cathedral Street
Sector: Lifeguards at beaches @ 09h00
Services in relation to the manufacture of total parenteral nutrition @ 10h00
Radiology services @ 12h00
Variation of the above designation (National Welfare act No.100 of 1978) @ 13h00
Services performed by medical officers in public health care @ 14h00
- (ii) Date: 14 July in Cape Town
Venue: CCMA Offices, 78 Darling Street
Sector: Lifeguards at beaches @ 09h00
Services in relation to the manufacture of total parenteral nutrition @ 10h00
Radiology services @ 12h00
Variation of the above designation (National Welfare act No.100 of 1978) @ 13h00
Services performed by medical officers in public health care @ 14h00
- (ii) Date: 17 July in Port Elizabeth
Venue: CCMA Offices, 97 Govan Mbeki Avenue
Sector: Lifeguards at beaches @ 09h00
Services in relation to the manufacture of total parenteral nutrition @ 10h00
Radiology services @ 12h00
Variation of the above designation (National Welfare act No.100 of 1978) @ 13h00
Services performed by medical officers in public health care @ 14h00
- (iii) Date: 18 July in East London
Venue: CCMA Office, 31 Church Street
Sector: Lifeguards at beaches @ 09h00
Services in relation to the manufacture of total parenteral nutrition @ 10h00
Radiology services @ 12h00
Variation of the above designation (National Welfare act No.100 of 1978) @ 13h00
Services performed by medical officers in public health care @ 14h00

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- (iv) Date: 21 July in Durban
Venue: CCMA Offices, 1st & 3rd Floors, Aquasky Building, 275 Anton Lembede Street
Sector: Lifeguards at beaches @ 09h00
Services in relation to the manufacture of total parenteral nutrition @ 10h00
Radiology services @ 12h00
Variation of the above designation (National Welfare act No.100 of 1978) @ 13h00
Services performed by medical officers in public health care @ 14h00
- (v) Date: 24 July in Johannesburg
Venue: CCMA Offices, 28 Harrison Street, 8th floor
Sector: Lifeguards at beaches @ 09h00
Services in relation to the manufacture of total parenteral nutrition @ 10h00
Radiology services @ 12h00
Variation of the above designation (National Welfare act No.100 of 1978) @ 13h00
Services performed by medical officers in public health care @ 14h00

D. Any interested party requiring an opportunity to make oral representations must:

- (i) Indicate its intention to do so, in writing, to the ESC on or before 7 July 2017 (to either BeverlyR@CCMA.org.za or to fax: 086 660 6132);
- (ii) State the nature of the interest in the investigation;
- (iv) State whether it relies or intends to rely on any expert evidence, and if so, provide a brief summary of that expert evidence; and
- (v) Specify its address, telephone and telefax numbers and e-mail contact address.

For all inquiries, please contact Beverly Ramoncha on BeverlyR@CCMA.org.za.