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**TRAINING PROGRAMME FOR THE PERIOD 1 JULY 2008 – 31 DECEMBER 2008**

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## 1. PURPOSE

- 1.1 The purpose of this circular is to inform departments of the training program and nomination process with regard to the financial systems, Logistical Information System (LOGIS), Basic Accounting System (BAS), Personnel and Salary Administration System (PERSAL) as well as Management Information System (Vulindlela) for the period 1 July 2008 – 31 December 2008.

## 2. NOMINATION PROCESS

- It is the responsibility of departments to ensure that the training needs of **officials who daily work on Financial Systems** are addressed as high priority. Provincial Treasury will in co-operation with Departments/Institutions determine the training interventions required.
- Departments must further ensure that these candidates are informed timeously to make the necessary arrangement to attend courses.
- Course nominations for the following systems should reach the Provincial Treasury on or before the **30 May 2008**. These nominations can be faxed to: **Ms C Grundling**, at Fax no. **(021) 483 7668** or e-mailed to **Cgrundli@pgwc.gov.za**
- The Provincial Treasury must be informed of any withdrawals at least 5 working days prior to the commencement of the course. Suitable replacements must be arranged in co operation with Provincial Treasury.
- **Please note that nominations are not confirmed until a confirmation letter from this office for the nominated official, is received.**
- **Attendance of courses must be confirmed at least 5 days prior to the commencement of the course.**
- It is of utmost importance that all nominated official's **Persal and Identity numbers, Race and Gender** be entered on the nomination list (attached as Annexure A). Reporting requirements with regard to the Workplace Skills Plan necessitates more detailed information regarding officials trained. This information has no influence on the selection criteria and will only be utilised for statistical purposes to update the database of Directorate: Supporting and Interlinked Financial Systems. Nominations without Persal numbers will **NOT** be considered.

## 3. SERVICE STANDARDS

The Provincial Treasury commits itself to ensure that:

- Letters of acceptance to courses will be issued 15 working days prior to commencement of the course.
- Certificates to successful candidates as well as result letters will be issued within 2 months after completion of the course, to all attendees.
- Certificates of attendance will be issued to all Vulindlela attendees within 2 months.

#### 4. TRAINING PROGRAMME

Attached hereto is the individual training programs and prospectus for LOGIS (Annexure B), BAS (Annexure C), PERSAL (Annexure D) and VULINDLELA (Annexure E) for the period 1 July to 31 December 2008. This program gives a clear indication of the various courses, relevant dates and venues of where the courses will be presented. Departments must ensure that their nominations correspond with the training program.

##### 4.1 LOGIS: (Annexure B)

Courses will be scheduled according to a training needs analysis that will be conducted as well as nominations received.

##### 4.2 BAS: (Annexure C)

As most Departments are on LOGIS, and all payments for goods and services should be paid through that system, courses in Sundry Creditors and Creditors Cycle for BAS, will be done by means of ad-hoc courses on request by Departments still utilizing this functionality on BAS.

##### 4.3 PERSAL: (Annexure D)

No specific courses has been scheduled for the dates and venues as indicated on Annexure D. Please complete nomination forms with the courses required or as per your Individual Development Plan. Nominees will then be grouped according to the needs (course required) and geographic location.

**Please note that the successful completion of the Persal Introduction course is compulsory, before attending any other Persal courses.**

#### 5. DEPARTMENTAL ARRANGEMENTS

5.1 Departments will be responsible for their own arrangements with regard to traveling, accommodation and meals at all venues except Kromme Rhee. Tea and coffee will be provided.

5.2 With regard to Kromme Rhee, the Provincial Treasury will be responsible for the arrangements of accommodation, tea/coffee and meals while the respective departments will be responsible for these costs. Should you require accommodation at Kromme Rhee, please indicate this on confirmation form.

6. Your assistance in ensuring that suitable candidates are nominated for courses and that nominees do attend will be greatly appreciated.



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SENIOR MANAGER: SUPPORTING AND INTERLINKED FINANCIAL SYSTEMS

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