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## TREASURY CIRCULAR NO. 16/2023

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## CENTRAL REGISTER ON DISMISSALS AND RESIGNATIONS OF EMPLOYEES

THE DEPUTY DIRECTOR-GENERAL: CORPORATE ASSURANCE, DEPARTMENT OF THE PREMIER (MS H ROBSON)

#### **PURPOSE**

1. The purpose of this circular is to inform Accounting Authorities of Public Entities of the National Treasury request for information listed in schedules 2 and 3 of the Public Finance Management Act, 1999 in relation to employees that have been dismissed or those employees that have resigned prior to the investigations or disciplinary process is being finalised.

#### **BACKGROUND**

- 2. The Judicial Commission of Inquiry into allegations of state capture, corruption and fraud identified that there is a lack of a centralised register of employees who have been dismissed from organs of state or those that have resigned to avoid being disciplined. In response the President noted "there is currently no centralised register of people who have been dismissed from organs of state or those that have resigned to avoid being disciplined. While the Department of Public Service and Administration (DPSA) tracks disciplinary action across National and Provincial departments and the Department of Cooperative Governance (DCoG) maintains a database of disciplinary actions at local government, there is no single register that covers all spheres of government and State-Owned Enterprises."
- 3. Treasury Regulation 33.3.1 requires the accounting authority to submit to the executive authority, the Provincial Treasury and the Auditor General on an annual basis a schedule of:
  - a) the outcome of disciplinary hearings and criminal charges,
  - b) the names and the ranks of employees involved, and
  - c) the sanctions and any further action taken against those employees.
- 4. Whilst the above information is currently reported in the annual report, it does not provide for detailed information of those employees that have resigned prior to investigations or a disciplinary process being finalised to avoid being disciplined.
- 5. The central register will provide specific information that will, among other things, assist organs of state in enhancing their administrative capacity for assessing new and existing public servants and enable the implementation of investigative and preventive mechanisms.
- 6. The central register will be developed and implemented in phases. Phase one will focus on collection and collation of baseline information dating five years back from 2018/2019 to 2022/2023 financial year in relation to:
  - a) dismissals of employees, and
  - b) resignation of employees prior to finalisation of investigations and/or disciplinary processes.
- 7. Phase two will focus on the regular and future collection and collation of information referred to in paragraph 7 above. The implementation of phase two will be communicated to all organs of state in due course.

### INFORMATION TO BE SUBMITTED FOR PHASE ONE

- 8. Accounting Authorities of public, trading and unlisted entities in terms of the PFMA are required to submit information referred to in paragraph 7 above in the template attached as Annexure A.
- 9. Accounting Authorities should submit the information as required above to <a href="mailto:dismissalregister@treasury.gov.za">dismissalregister@treasury.gov.za</a> and <a href="mailto:Jason.facoline@westerncape.gov.za">Jason.facoline@westerncape.gov.za</a>.

10. The date for final submission is **15 June 2023**. Your submission and co-operation will be appreciated.

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