

FOR PSA MEMBERS: DEPARTMENT OF HOME AFFAIRS (DHA) - NORTHERN CAPE

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## Northern Cape: Tragedy in Springbok

The PSA is concerned and condemns the senseless abuse and killing of women, even more so during the 16 Days of Activism for No Violence against Women and Children.

The killing of a female PSA member employed at the DHA in Springbok on 4 December 2021 in a tragic shooting incident, is a sad reminder of the perpetual gender-based violence our sisters, mothers, aunts, and grandmothers are subjected to.

The PSA condemns this act as it flows against the Constitutional provisions of section 11 in the *Bill of Rights*, which states: "*Everyone has a right to life*"

The PSA expresses sincere condolences to the deceased member's family, colleagues, and friends.

GENERAL MANAGER