

## FOR PSA MEMBERS: LOCAL GOVERNMENT SECTOR EDUCATION AND TRAINING AUTHORITY (LGSETA)

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# LGSETA wage negotiations: REQUEST FOR MANDATE

Members are aware that the PSA has been engaged in salary and conditions of service negotiations with LGSETA. The employer has now tabled what it considers to be its final offer, which serves as a counterproposal to the PSA's demands. Members' mandate is required to determine the way forward.

### Employer's offer is as follows:

ltem	PSA demands	Employer's offer (14 March 2025)
Salary	Option 1: 6.5% (2025/26)	Multi-Term Agreement:
increase	Option 2 (Multi-Year):	• 2025/26: 6%
	• 2025/26: 6.5%	• 2026/27: 5.75%
	• 2026/27: CPI-based (5%-6%)	• 2027/28: 5.75%
	• 2027/28: CPI-based (6%-7%)	• 2028/29: 6.25%
		• 2029/30: 6.25%
Compulsory	Three days in December were not	Agreed, but 4 hours off on payday
Leave	deducted from annual leave	Fridays will be removed
Closure		
Medical-aid	Adjustments aligned to Medical	No additional increase: Medical aid remains
adjustments	Price Index (MPI)	part of Total Cost to Company (TCTC)
Housing	R1 500 across-the-board	Not affordable, but the employer will negotiate
Allowance		better home loan interest rates with Liberty
		Life and Standard Bank.

The employer has indicated its intention to finalise and sign the wage agreement **before the end of March 2025**. The PSA now seeks members' mandate on whether to **ACCEPT or REJECT** the employer's offer as a complete package.

## **MANDATE REQUIREMENTS**

If **accepted**, the offer will be **binding in full**. If **rejected**, all elements of the offer will be **declined**.

## Voting details

Voting period: 19 March 2025 (09:00) – 25 March 2025 (15:00).

#### How to vote

• Complete manual voting forms (available via shop stewards or PSA Provincial Officials).

#### Important

- Each member may vote only once.
- Non-PSA members may participate after completing membership forms to join the PSA.

Your participation is essential to ensure that your voice is heard. Make your vote count!

Employees who want to join the PSA can visit the PSA's website, send an email to <u>ask@psa.co.za</u>, or contact PSA Provincial Offices.

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