



## REPORT NO. 2 OF 2015

### PUBLIC HEALTH AND SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT SECTORAL BARGAINING COUNCIL MEETING – HELD 27 AUGUST 2015

The issues listed hereunder were discussed and a brief report is given of the discussion, indicating the decisions taken.

- **Draft agreement on the averaging of hours:** This matter was deferred to the next meeting for the Employer to make a presentation at Council, and also to motivate the reasons why this matter is to be engaged on. Labour is of the opinion that this matter is a transversal one and needs to be discussed at the PSCBC.
  
- **Transfer and placement of inspections, compliance and complaints function to the Health Standards Compliance:** This matter has been deferred because Council has not yet received a consolidated report from the national chamber. The chamber was delegated the task of dealing with this matter and reporting back to Council.
  
- **Council adopted a timetable to deal with the following resolutions:**
  1. Res. 1 of 2001 – Establishment of Council committees
  2. Res. 2 of 2007 – Operations of Chambers
  3. Res. 7 of 2008 – Coordination of Caucuses
  4. Res. 2 of 2004 – Rural allowance
  5. Res. 1 of 2013 – Danger Allowance for Identified Emergency Medical Personnel

Council resolved that the list of resolutions to be negotiated is not conclusive, and Parties can still motivate for the inclusion of other resolutions. The adopted dates were between 21 September 2015 and 20 November 2015.

**Development and implementation of Health Workforce Normative Guides and Standards for fixed PHC facilities:** This item was placed by the Employer on the Agenda. The Employer indicated that the person who was supposed to present this issue was not available. The matter was deferred.

*– Issued by the Office of the General Secretary*