

**DATES AND VENUES FOR NATIONAL AND PROVINCIAL PUBLIC HEARINGS ON THE NATIONAL SKILLS DEVELOPMENT PLAN (NSDP) AND SETA LANDSCAPE**

The National Skills Authority (NSA) invites skills development stakeholders from Quality Councils SETAs, Government, Business, Labour, Education and Training Providers, Community Constituencies, Research Institutions, Professional Bodies and the general public to attend public hearings on the NSDS and SETA landscape beyond 2020 (Re-establishment of SETAs).

The NSA is a statutory advisory body established in 1999 in terms of Chapter 2 of the Skills Development Act (SDA) No 97 of 1998. The primary functions of the NSA are to advise the Minister of Higher Education and Training on matters of skills development in accordance with section 5 of the Skills Development Act.

Kindly receive the below dates and venues for each Province.

<b>PROVINCE</b>	<b>DATE</b>	<b>VENUE</b>	<b>CONTACT</b>
EASTERN CAPE	25 SEPTEMBER 2018	Hotel Osner, Court Crescent, Esplanade, East London	Mr H Luiters (040) 609 6121
LIMPOPO	25 SEPTEMBER 2018	Polokwane Royal Hotel, Cnr. Jorrisen & Dorp St	Ms S Mokgaphane (015) 287 6559
NORTH WEST	26 SEPTEMBER 2018	Mmabatho Palms, Cnr Nelson Mandela & Albert Luthuli, North West	Ms T Thlale (018) 388 1076
FREE STATE	26 SEPTEMBER 2018	Protea Hotel, 202 Nelson Mandela Drive, Brandwag, Bloemfontein	Ms S Kabane (051) 409 8027
GAUTENG	27 SEPTEMBER 2018	The Parktonian Hotel, 120 De Korte Street, Braamfontein	Ms L Ramsey (011) 556 9037

KZN	27 SEPTEMBER 2018	ILembe Hall, ArchieGumede Conference Centre KZN Department of Public Works Offices, Mayville	Mlekeleli Masondo (031) 274 4144
NORTHERN CAPE	27 SEPTEMBER 2018	Protea Hotel, Hadison Park, Kimberly, West Circular Road	Ms R Benjamin (053) 802 5013
MPUMALANGA	28 SEPTEMBER 2018	Ingwenyama Conference and Sports resort, White River	Mr K Matsane (013) 766 2386
WESTERN CAPE	28 SEPTEMBER 2018	Southern Sun, Cape Sun Hotel, Strand Street VOC Room on the 3rd Floor, Cape Town	Mr M Apollis (021) 483 9124

The NSA will be visiting your Province as per the above schedule. All the hearings will be starting at 09:00-17:00. The discussion document can be accessed on the NSA website. Contact the NSA on [www.nationalskillsauthority.org.za](http://www.nationalskillsauthority.org.za), 012 312 5420 or [Letsietsa.T.@dhet.gov.za](mailto:Letsietsa.T.@dhet.gov.za) for enquiries and more information.