



# UNITED TRANSPORT & ALLIED TRADE UNION

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## ALL EXECUTIVE COUNCIL MEMBERS AND TRADE UNION REPRESENTATIVES – TRANSNET

### DISCONTINUATION OF TRAVEL CONCESSION

Our circular letter reference: CL/TRAVEL.BEN/001/LFB/nzs dated 2011-08-05 refers.

UTATU received a communiqué on 5 August 2011 via e-mail from Me Sue Albertyn, General Manager, Group Employee Relations of Transnet with regards to the above - See quote below:-

*“Dear Colleagues*

*Transnet received on Monday 1 August 2011, a notice from PRASA advising of their intention to cancel travel concession entitlements on Metrorail and Shosholoza Meyl for all Transnet bargaining unit employees, effective 1 September 2011.*

*Transnet is aware that many employees rely on this benefit, particularly the daily Metro Rail Services to get to and from work.*

*The Transnet GCE has written to the PRASA CEO requesting PRASA to continue honouring the travel concession until such time that Transnet and PRASA are able to find a solution. Transnet management is taking the issue of the potential withdrawal of travel concessions very seriously and is doing everything possible to ensure that the travel concessions are reinstated.*

*We will keep you informed of developments.*

*Regards  
Sue”*

Members will be kept informed of any further developments.

UTATU greetings,

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GENERAL SECRETARY

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