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RTF's under Lockdown Regulations

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Register for Today's RTF representative

7. Which part of the Tripartite do you represent? If other ... Please type in the box who you represent e.g. Consultants, OEM, Suppliers, WiM etc.

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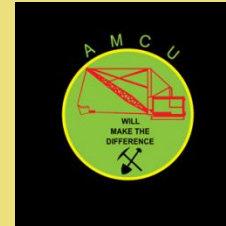
RTF Tripartism



NW (Klerksdorp)
OH&S
Tripartite Forum



Organised Labour



State



mineral resources
& energy

Department:
Minerals Resources and Energy
REPUBLIC OF SOUTH AFRICA



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Employers



MINERALS COUNCIL
SOUTH AFRICA



ASPASA

Extension of Tripartism



Health and Safety Representatives (Non Affiliated)

Contractors

Professionals from various disciplines

Suppliers



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Before Covid-19 Approx. RTF engagements

RTF Regions	Meeting Cycle	RTF	Approx. Attendance
Rustenburg NW	Monthly	11	140
Eastern Cape	Quarterly	4	50
Northern Cape Kimberley	Every 2nd Month	3	110
Western Cape	Quarterly	4	25
Free State	Monthly	11	95
Merafong GP	Quarterly	4	60
Ukhozi GP	Quarterly	4	50
Klerksdorp NW	Quarterly	4	110
KZN North	Quarterly	4	70
KZN South	Quarterly	4	80
Limpopo Open Cast	Quarterly	4	90
MP Surface Mines & Quarries	Quarterly	4	300
MP Underground Coal	Quarterly	4	250
MP Underground Hard-Rock	Quarterly	4	50
Namaqualand, Kendhardt & Calvinia NC	Quarterly	4	70
Chairperson Meeting	Quarterly	4	25
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RTF Influence in the SAMI

- **Created a Platform for sharing**
- **Allowed networking promotion of OHS initiatives**
- **Encourage Discussions**
- **Allowed Employees of any discipline or levels to attend and engage**
- **Expose the South Africa Mining Industry to different ideas**
- **Allowed the distributions of books, pamphlets, etc**
- **Build a database of people to allow the flow information and engagement**



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Effect Covid-19 on RTFs

- **Social Distancing**
- **Restriction on Travelling**
- **Sanitising need to be done continuously**
- **Screening and response**



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Issues in the new Normal

1. **Platforms** (which one do we use?)
2. **Resources** (do everyone have access and affordability to these platforms)
3. **Data** (availability and cost of data)
4. **Networking** (Do we create chats or **another** Whatsapp group)
5. **Sharing of information** (Ensuring information reach the target audience)
6. **Databases** (the right to use a database to share information)



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Possible Ways forward (discussion)

- **Find a Venue** that can accommodate the RTF under Covid-19 regulations
 - Must Allow social distancing for max of 50 people
 - Screening and hygiene
 - etc
- **Virtual RTFs** for each region to start up
- **Virtual National RTF** every quarter/twice year
- **Leverage** on
 - Virtual Steering Committee Meeting (less people and resources required)
 - Subcommittee Meetings (specialised groups for sharing)
- **Centralised Database** for all RTFs with certain criteria (discipline, etc)



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Lets Talk

about a new beginning of sharing

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EVERY MINE WORKER RETURNING FROM WORK UNHARMED EVERYDAY



**20 Years of Positive Contribution to Zero Harm for mine workers.
Pursuing Research Excellence**

