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NEWSLETTER No 105 OF 2017 PFTC SPECIAL GENERAL MEETING (SGM)

Dear PFTC Member,

The PFTC has made excellent progress since our last general meeting; it would not have been possible without your continued involvement and support - thank you for this.

As part of our continuous communication and involvement of our members, it is necessary for us to have a general meeting to discuss some of the PFTC's achievements and progress, as well as to share and obtain input on some of the proposed strategies for our way forward.

These are very important meetings as it demonstrates and enforces the fact that although our industry is diverse, we are united when it comes to maintaining standards and quality and we serve as an example to other industries!

It is therefore imperative that as many members as possible be in attendance.

We have scheduled a **Special General Meeting (SGM)** for
Wednesday; 22 November 2017
10h30-12h00
PFTC Offices
31 Voortrekker Road
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The agenda for the meeting will be finalised and forwarded to you together with a proxy form in the next 7 days. Agenda points amongst others will include: feedback on memberships, membership cards, election/re-election of the board, and Professional Designations.

Please remember this is part of the PFTC's voluntary membership (Professional Body) and **should not** be confused with the accreditation of training providers (ETQA function). This meeting is not aimed at accredited training providers, but at voluntary PFTC Members.

That being said, Accredited Training Providers are most welcome to attend the meeting. Booking is essential, please do not arrive unannounced.

(Please also note that accreditation with the PFTC as a training provider DOES NOT automatically make you a member of the PFTC.)

During the meeting we will share and endorse the voting results that were conducted during the road show on the nominations for re-election of the National Executive Board (The suggestion that the board be re-elected for another term was unanimously accepted).

Due to the PFTC being a dynamic organisation that requires adoption to a constantly changing environment, we need to make a couple of small changes to our constitution that will be discussed during the meeting.

If you submitted a PFTC Membership Form at any stage in the past few years, you are still recognised as a Member. This means that you are eligible to vote and we would hope to see you at the meeting.

Should you not be able to attend the meeting you could still vote by submitting a Proxy Form that will be forwarded together with the Agenda in the next week.

The current Board:

President	Mac McGuire
Vice President	Du Toit Lambrechts
Research & Development Co-Coordinator	Nic Roets
Member Representative	Winton Africa
Provincial Representatives:	Keith Biermann
	Stuart Affleck

The entire Board will stand for re-election with each member maintaining their current position.

I request that you make every effort to attend this meeting as this is our industry's organisation and it cannot function effectively without your involvement.

Please confirm your attendance by sending an e-mail to carrie@pftc.co.za by no later than 17 November 2017.

Should you have any queries in the meantime, please contact our office.

Kind regards,



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