13 July 2021

Dear valued member

URGENT REQUEST FOR DATA: IDENTIFICATION OF UNREST HOTSPOTS AND INFRASTRUCTURE UNDER THREAT

Business Unity South Africa (BUSA), of which the RMI is a member, has requested urgent feedback from business owners regarding the four elements cited below, as a consequence of the prevailing civil unrest taking place primarily in KwaZulu Natal and Gauteng. This information will ensure the relevant Ministers and NATJOINTS (National Joint Operational and Intelligence Structure) are provided with information, data and intelligence on an ongoing basis to help improve safety and security coverage by the law enforcement agencies.

We have been asked to provide details on:

1. **Property** that has been destroyed.
2. **Potential hot spots** you are concerned about.
3. **Critical assets** that need immediate protection. Please identify the priority assets only, with addresses, so that security forces can be deployed accordingly.
4. **Critical goods** that need to be delivered immediately.

If there are assets for protection and/or products for delivery that are not on the list below to this Newsflash, please add those.

Your feedback / responses can be sent directly to BUSA on the following email address: Cas.Coovadia@busa.org.za. **The deadline for feedback / responses is 17:00 on 14 July 2021.**

Yours faithfully,

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Key industrial infrastructure

1. Food value-chain

- Farming districts and infrastructure
- Larger food factories
- Manufacturers warehouses and distribution centers
- Trucks and truck routes, especially N3 and between key hubs
- Port access facilities
- Retail and wholesale distribution centers
- Fresh produce markets and transport systems

2. Key healthcare value-chain

- Critical pharmaceutical and medical manufacturers
- Cleaning materials producers
- Manufacturers warehouses and distribution centers
- Oxygen filling site
- Port access facilities
- Trucks, especially for oxygen
- Retail and wholesale distribution centers

3. Raw material suppliers and other critical products

- Chemical suppliers
- Fertilisers
- Fuel production, refineries and storage

4. Key Retail Distribution Centers

- Distribution Centers for Shoprite-Checkers, Pick ‘n Pay, Massmart, Spar
- Lines of access to small businesses and townships/spaza shops
- Shopping malls: LIST KEY ONES

5. Transport infrastructure

- Durban Port
- Richards Bay Port
- King Shaka International Airport

6. Electricity infrastructure

- Power generation, transmission and distribution
- Focus: Ekurhuleni
- Focus: Johannesburg power stations

7. Water infrastructure

- Water purification plants
- pipelines

8. Financial infrastructure

- Banks

9. Large and other critical industrial infrastructure

- Auto plants and components
- Dangerous products affecting health and safety