



## IMPORTANT NOTICE: WARNING BEWARE OF FRAUDSTERS

It has come to the attention of PUTCO management that there are imposters claiming to be representing PUTCO and posting fake job vacancies in order to lure unsuspecting job applicants. These fraudsters make use of email addresses and cell phone numbers only, inviting applicants to apply for and respond to these fake job adverts.

They may claim to be offering job interviews, inviting applicants via SMS messages. The fraudsters request sums of money from applicants in order for them to proceed with the interview process.

Please remember:

- They are FRAUDSTERS and have nothing to do with PUTCO.
- PUTCO would never request money from a job applicant – this is illegal
- PUTCO does not respond to applicants via SMS, nor do we use cell phone numbers as the contact number were applicants can contact Putco.

**DO NOT LET ANYONE DECEIVE YOU.**

Our vacancies are advertised on the putco.co.za website and other recruitment portals. Our adverts will always have our email address and or company's land line contact numbers (not cell phone contact numbers).

Any other adverts claiming to be associated with PUTCO are fake.

The following are just few examples out of numerous fraudulent job adverts / announcements and SMS messages sent to unsuspecting applicants:

### 1. BUS DRIVERS WANTED(PUTCO)

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### Job Information

Category [Bus Drivers](#)

Location [Tshwane](#), [Gauteng](#) ([Arcadia](#))

Contract Full Time

Pay R10,800 per month (Negotiable)

Benefits medical aid

## 2. SMS sent to an applicant (Advert was placed on Gumtree)

Putco Ltd, Edenburg: You're step closer to work for us, come in on 2017.06.05 at 10:30 for a half a day interview at Putco Ltd, Edenburg in 5 Mimosa Way, Gallor Manor. Snacks will be provided. Position; Clerk. Bring ID, Cert, Licence copies. Drive comfortably. Call Mr Lebo: 0607666931

### **Please remember:**

- 1. PUTCO does not communicate with applicants via sms.**
- 2. PUTCO does not ask for money to secure employment.**
- 3. If anyone contacts you via cell phone call or sms, claiming to be representing PUTCO, know that you are dealing with a fraudster.**

If you have been the victim of any fraudulent Putco job advertisements or if you are suspicious of any job advert or in doubt about an advert, please call one of the following numbers: (010) 003 6832; (012) 003 1624; or (010) 003 3850, or report it via e-mail to [Yolandam@putco.co.za](mailto:Yolandam@putco.co.za) (Putco Recruitment Department - South Region); or [LebogangA@putco.co.za](mailto:LebogangA@putco.co.za) (Putco Recruitment Department - North Region, or [Rhonam@putco.co.za](mailto:Rhonam@putco.co.za) (PutcoHead Office Recruitment Department)).

Putco management reported these fraudulent job advertisements to the South Africa Police Service and are cooperating with authorities to expose these fraudsters and get them arrested.