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Trevor calls it a day after 42 years in public service

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After dedicating 42 years of his life to the public service, Deputy Director-General responsible for Strategic and Emergency Projects, Mr Trevor Balzer has called it a day at the Department of Water and Sanitation.

Mr Balzer is retiring at the Department after serving in different capacities since 1995, having joined the public sector in 1977.

Trevor has extensive experience in both Water Services provision and Water Resources Management, he also represented the Department on water matters in Africa and Globally. In 2007 he was appointed as Special Adviser to the Minister Lindiwe Hendricks and in 2009 appointed as Chief Operations Officer for the Department.

He is a Fellow of the South African Institution of Civil Engineers (FSAICE), and a Fellow of the South African Academy of Engineering (FSAAE).

"I really value the time spent at the Department of Water and Sanitation, in particular the friendships that I have made in the entire family. Remember that South Africa is depending on you to make sure that we have water security and dignified sanitation services to 2030 and beyond. Do not rest until you can declare that indeed we have universal access to water and sanitation services," he said.

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