

REGULATION C/REG.16/12/99 APPROVING THE BUDGET OF THE EXECUTIVE SECRETARIAT FOR THE 2000 FINANCIAL YEAR

THE COUNCIL OF MINISTERS

MINDFUL of Articles 10, 11 and 12 of the Revised Treaty establishing the Council of Ministers and defining its composition and functions;

MINDFUL of the provisions of Article 69 of the Revised Treaty which relates to the budget of the Community;

MINDFUL of the Financial Regulations and Manual of Accounting Procedures of the Institutions of ECOWAS adopted in Lomé through Council Decision C/DEC.4/11/89 dated 30th November, 1989;

HAVING CONSIDERED the budget proposed by the Twenty-fourth meeting of the Administration and Finance Commission, held in Lomé from 27th November to 3rd December, 1999.

ENACTS

Article 1

The budget of the Executive Secretariat for the 2000 financial year, balanced in income and expenditure at ten million three hundred and ninety-one thousand three hundred units of account (UA 10,391,300) is hereby approved.

Article 2

An amount of seven million two hundred and one thousand units of account (UA 7,201,000) shall be derived from the annual contributions of Member States. Another sum of one hundred and ninety thousand three hundred units of accounts (UA 190,300) shall be derived from the internal resources of the Executive Secretariat, while the balance of three million units of accounts (UA 3,000,000) shall be obtained from arrears paid in respect of past budgets.

Article 3

This Regulation shall be published by the Executive Secretariat in the Official Journal of the Community within thirty (30) days of its signature by the Chairman of the Council of Ministers. It shall also be published in the National Gazette of each Member State within the same time-frame.

**DONE AT LOME,
THIS 7th DAY OF DECEMBER, 1999.**



**ABDOUL HAMID S. B. DURODJAYE
CHAIRMAN,
FOR COUNCIL.**

REGULATION C/REG.17/12/99 AUTHORISING THE RECRUITMENT OF A PERMANENT GENERAL SERVICES STAFF GRADE IN THE AUDIT DEPARTMENT OF THE EXECUTIVE SECRETARIAT

THE COUNCIL OF MINISTERS,

MINDFUL of Articles 10, 11 and 12 of the Revised Treaty establishing the Council of Ministers and defining its composition and functions;

CONSIDERING the grossly inadequate staff strength in the Audit Department of the Executive Secretariat;

ALSO CONSIDERING the large volume of work in the above-mentioned Department;

ON THE RECOMMENDATION of the twenty-fourth meeting of the Administration and Finance Commission held in Lomé from 27th November to 3rd December, 1999;

ENACTS

Article 1

1. The Executive Secretariat is hereby authorised to recruit, on a permanent basis, a General Services staff (G4) within the Audit Department.
2. Authorisation is hereby also given for the promotion from level G4 to G5 of the incumbent General Services staff member in the Department.

Article 2

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**DONE AT LOME,
THIS 7th DAY OF DECEMBER, 1999.**



**ABDOUL HAMID S. B. DURODJAYE
CHAIRMAN,
FOR COUNCIL**

**REGULATION C/REG.18/12/99 RELATING TO THE
RENEWAL OF LEASE AGREEMENTS ON THE
RESIDENCES OF EXECUTIVE SECRETARIAT STAFF
IN ABUJA**

THE COUNCIL OF MINISTERS

MINDFUL of Articles 10, 11 and 12 of the ECOWAS Revised Treaty establishing the Council of Ministers and defining its composition and functions;

CONSIDERING that the completion date for the construction of official residences for the staff of the Executive Secretariat at Katampe, Abuja has been moved forward from December 1998 to June 2000 as a result of delays in the commencement of construction works;

NOTING that the leases on most of the residences rented for the staff of the Executive Secretariat in 1998 are due to expire in February 2000;

AWARE of the need to renew the lease agreements on the staff residences in Abuja and make funds available

to the Executive Secretariat for this purpose;

On the recommendation of the Twenty-fourth Meeting of the Administration and Finance Commission held in Lomé from 27th November to 3rd December, 1999;

ENACTS**Article 1**

An amount of 707,000 UA representing the current cost of rent paid for staff accommodation plus a maximum increase of 10% is hereby granted for the renewal of the leases on the residences of ECOWAS Secretariat staff in Abuja for a period of two years.

Article 2

A meeting of the ad hoc ministerial committee on construction of staff residential accommodation shall be convened in Abuja no later than February 2000 to assess progress on the construction works and to examine the problems of infrastructure and security at the location.

Article 3

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