

**REGULATION C/REG.9/12/06 CREATING A SALARY SCALE AND OTHER EMOLUMENTS FOR PROFESSIONAL STAFF GRADE D2**

**THE COUNCIL OF MINISTERS,**

MINDFUL of Articles 10, 11 and 12 of the ECOWAS Treaty as amended in June 2006 establishing the Council of Ministers and defining its composition and functions;

MINDFUL of Article 69 of the said Treaty relating to the budget of the Institutions of the Community;

MINDFUL of Decision C/DEC 2/11/89 relating to the adoption of a salary scale with elongated grade levels for staff of the Community;

MINDFUL of Regulation C/REG./12/01/05 increasing the salaries of staff members of the Institutions of the Community;

CONSIDERING that the restructuring of some Institutions of the Community and the transformation of the Executive Secretariat into a Commission led to the creation of a new Professional Staff category of Director D2 with 10 grade levels;

CONSIDERING that Staff in the proposed D2 category operate as administrative heads of their institutions and discharge managerial functions;

CONSIDERING the need to fix a salary scale and determine the benefits attached to this category;

UPON THE RECOMMENDATION of the thirty-sixth session of the Administration and Finance Commission, held in Abuja from 22 to 27 November 2006 and in Ouagadougou on 15 and 16 December 2006;

**ENACTS**

**ARTICLE 1**

The salary scale, expressed in Units of Account, in respect of the professional Staff category D2 with 10 grade levels is fixed as follows:

	1.	2.	3.	4.	5.	6.	7.	8.	9.	10.
D2	38814	39808	40803	41798	42801	43871	44964	46077	47137	48222

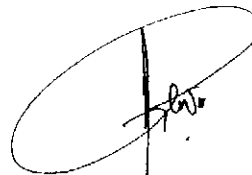
**ARTICLE 2**

An Officer in category D2 shall be entitled to an official vehicle and driver and free telephone service at his/her residence up to a ceiling of one hundred and seventy dollars (\$170) a month.

**ARTICLE 3**

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

**DONE AT OUAGADOUGOU,  
THIS 19TH DAY OF DECEMBER, 2006**



**HON. AÏCHATOU MINDAOUDOU,  
CHAIRPERSON,  
FOR THE COUNCIL**

**REGULATION C/REG. 10/12/06 RELATING TO PAYMENT OF COMPENSATORY HOUSING ALLOWANCE TO THE PROFESSIONAL STAFF OF THE COMMUNITY**

**THE COUNCIL OF MINISTERS,**

MINDFUL of Articles 10, 11 and 12 of the ECOWAS Treaty as amended in June 2006 establishing the Council of Ministers and defining its composition and functions;

MINDFUL of Article 69 of the Treaty relating to the budgets of the Community Institutions;

MINDFUL of Article 32(a) of the ECOWAS Staff Regulations of 2005 relating to housing allowances for the professional staff members of the Community Institutions;

CONSIDERING that the Community has to provide residential accommodation for staff members in Member States where ECOWAS Institutions and Agencies are located;

ON THE RECOMMENDATION of the thirty-sixth session of the Administration and Finance Commission, held in Abuja from 22 to 27 November 2006 and in Ouagadougou on 15 and 16 December 2006;

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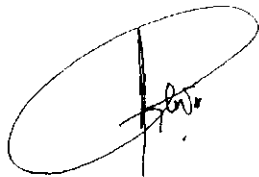
### ARTICLE 1

1. Compensatory housing allowances, calculated on the basis of current costs of rented property in the duty stations of staff of the Community are hereby granted for staff to whom residential accommodation is not provided for.
2. The approved housing allowances are as follows:
  - a) **Abuja:**
    - Professional staff UA 9,194
    - Directors UA 13,520
  - b) **Cotonou, Lome, Qyagadougou and Bobo-Dioulasso:**
    - Professional staff UA 4,436
    - Directors UA 6,971
  - c) **Dakar:**
    - Professional staff UA 7,605
    - Directors UA 10,140
  - d) **Banjul:**
    - Professional staff UA 4,869
    - Directors UA 6,261

### ARTICLE 2

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**DONE AT OUAGADOUGOU,  
THIS 19TH DAY OF DECEMBER, 2006**



**HON. AÏCHATOU MINDAOUDOU,  
CHAIRPERSON,  
FOR THE COUNCIL**

## REGULATION C/REG.11/12/06 APPROVING A BUDGETARY ALLOCATION FOR THE MANAGEMENT OF THE ECOWAS LOGISTICS DEPOT IN SIERRA LEONE

### THE COUNCIL OF MINISTERS,

MINDFUL of Articles 10, 11 and 12 of the ECOWAS Treaty as amended in June 2006 establishing the Council of Ministers and defining its composition and function;

MINDFUL of Article 58 of the ECOWAS Treaty relating to Regional Security;

MINDFUL of Decision A/DEC.17/01/05 establishing the ECOWAS Logistics Depots in Mali and Sierra Leone;

RECALLING that the Government of Sierra Leone has granted to ECOWAS, the Hastings Airfield Complex in Freetown for use as the ECOWAS Logistics Depot for stocking and maintaining ECOWAS peace support equipment and supplies;

ALSO RECALLING the Headquarters Agreement for the logistics Depot between ECOWAS and the Government of Sierra Leone of 9th January 2006 which was later amended on 29th August 2006;

AWARE of the donation of a large supply of Peace Support equipment by the Government of the United States of America to ECOWAS which will be transferred from the USA Murray Town Depot in Freetown to the Hastings Airfield Complex;

DESIROUS of providing counterpart funding for the management of the depot in Sierra Leone;

ON THE RECOMMENDATION of the Thirty sixth Meeting of Administration and Finance Commission which held in Abuja from 22 - 27 November 2006 and in Ouagadougou on 15 and 16 December 2006;

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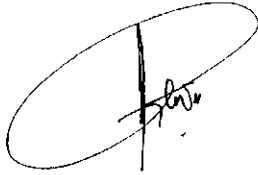
### ARTICLE 1

1. A lump sum of one million, one hundred and thirty one thousand nine hundred United States dollars (\$1,131,900:00) is hereby approved as ECOWAS counterpart funding for the management of the logistics depot in Sierra Leone.
2. The amount stated in paragraph 1 of this article which will be sourced from the ECOWAS Peace Fund shall represent the 2007 budgetary allocation for the said depot.

**ARTICLE 2**

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

**DONE AT OUAGADOUGOU,  
THIS 19TH DAY OF DECEMBER, 2006**



**HON. AÏCHATOU MINDAOUDOU,  
CHAIRPERSON,  
FOR THE COUNCIL**

**REGULATION C/REG. 12/12/06 FORMALLY  
ESTABLISHING A COMMUNITY LEVY  
MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE AT THE ECOWAS  
COMMISSION**

**THE COUNCIL OF MINISTERS,**

MINDFUL of Articles 10, 11 and 12 of the ECOWAS Treaty as amended in June 2006 establishing the Council of Ministers and defining its composition and functions;

MINDFUL of Article 72 of the ECOWAS Treaty introducing a Community Levy to generate revenue for financing the activities of the Community;

MINDFUL of Protocol A/P1/7/96 on the conditions governing the application of the Community Levy;

MINDFUL of Regulation C/Reg. 1/9/03 as amended by C/Reg.9/07/04 adopting measures to facilitate and accelerate effective implementation of the Community Levy;

ACKNOWLEDGING THAT compliance with the Community Levy requirements by Member States has improved considerably;

DESIRING however to improve on the existing mechanism for the collection and disbursement of the proceeds of the Levy;

ON THE RECOMMENDATION of the Thirty-Sixth Meeting of the Administration and Finance Committee which was held in Abuja, from 22 - 27 November 2007 and in Ouagadougou on 15 and 16 December 2006;

**ENACTS****ARTICLE 1**

A Community Levy Management Committee is hereby formally established at the ECOWAS Commission.

**ARTICLE 2**

Members of the Community Levy Management Committee are as follows:

1. The Vice President - **Chairman**
2. The Financial Controller - **Member**
3. The Commissioner for Administration & Finance - **Member**
4. The Commissioner for Trade & Customs, Industry, mines, free movement of persons & goods - **Member**
5. Heads of ECOWAS Institutions - **Members**

**ARTICLE 3**

The functions of the Committee shall include:

- taking measures to ensure full implementation of the provisions of the Protocol on the Conditions for the Application of the Community levy;
- recommending political measures to address the difficulties encountered by Member States in the application of the Community levy;
- allocating the proceeds of the Community levy;
- making proposals for the allocation of sectoral and structural funds;
- taking necessary performance-enhancing measures;