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INDEPENDENT COMMISSION FOR THE REMUNERATION OF PUBLIC OFFICE BEARERS

REVIEW OF RECOMMENDATIONS ON THE SALARIES, ALLOWANCES AND BENEFITS OF PUBLIC OFFICE-BEARERS PUBLISHED IN GOVERNMENT GAZETTE NO. 21242 DATED 9 JUNE 2000

- The Independent Commission for the Remuneration of Public Office Bearers, having reviewed its recommendations published in Government Notice No. 574 of 9 June 2000, hereby substitutes paragraphs 3.3 and 3.4.1 and Annexure B of that Government Notice with the following paragraphs and Annexure B, respectively: -
 - "3.3 The Remuneration for Members of the National Assembly (NA) and Permanent Delegates to the National Council of Provinces (NCOP)

A Three Notch Remuneration Structure as a total package in accordance with the Annexure B be implemented with effect from 1 April 2000 and which provides the following:

(a) Column 4 of Annexure B (Notch 3) applies to a re-elected member who has occupied his or her current office, or an office in the same or a higher grade according to Column 1 of Annexure B, for a period of at least 24 months in total, whether before or after 2 June 1999.

- (b) Column 3 of Annexure B (Notch 2) applies to all re-elected members other than those referred to in paragraph (a). When a re-elected member to whom Column 3 applies has held his or her current office, or an office in the same or a higher grade according to Column 1, for a period of 24 months in total, Column 4 becomes applicable to that member.
- (c) Column 2 of Annexure B (Notch 1) applies to all members of Parliament who are not re-elected members.
- (d) For the purpose of calculating the period of 24 months referred to in paragraphs (a) and (b), a re-elected member who
 - (i) was a member of Parliament or a Provincial Legislature on 1 June 1999; and
 - (ii) pursuant to the elections of 2 June 1999, was designated by the Electoral Commission as a member of the National Assembly or a Provincial Legislature, or appointed as a permanent delegate to the National Council of Provinces (NCOP) in terms of section 61(2)(b) of the Constitution,

is regarded to have continued to occupy the position occupied by him or her on 1 June 1999 until so designated or appointed.

(e) In this paragraph-

"member of Parliament" means a member of the National Assembly or a permanent delegate to the National Council of Provinces; and

"re-elected member", means a person -

- (i) who at any time before 2 June 1999 occupied an office mentioned in Column 1 of Annexure B; and
- (ii) whose service in any one or more of those offices has not been interrupted at any time for a continuous period of more than 24 months."

"3.4.1 The upper limit of the remuneration for Members of a Provincial Legislature

A Three Notch Remuneration Structure as a total package in accordance with Annexure B hereto be determined as upper limits by the President for implementation with effect from 1 April 2000 and which provides the following:

- (a) Column 4 of Annexure B (Notch 3) applies to a re-elected member who has occupied his or her current office, or an office in the same or a higher grade according to Column 1 of Annexure B, for a period of at least 24 months in total, whether before or after 2 June 1999.
- (b) Column 3 of Annexure B (Notch 2) applies to all re-elected members other than those referred to in paragraph (a). When a re-elected member to whom Column 3 applies has held his or her current office, or an office in the same or a higher grade according to Column 1, for a period of 24 months in total, Column 4 becomes applicable to that member.
- (c) Column 2 of Annexure B (Notch 1) applies to all members of Provincial Legislatures who are not re-elected members.
- (d) For the purpose of calculating the period of 24 months referred to in paragraphs (a) and (b), a re-elected member who
 - (i) was a member of Parliament or a Provincial Legislature on1 June 1999; and
 - (ii) pursuant to the elections of 2 June 1999, was designated by the Electoral Commission as a member of the National Assembly or a Provincial Legislature, or appointed as a permanent delegate to the National Council of Provinces (NCOP) in terms of section 61(2)(b) of the Constitution,

is regarded to have continued to occupy the position occupied by him or her on 1 June 1999 until so designated or appointed.

(e) In this paragraph-

"member of Parliament" means a member of the National Assembly or a permanent delegate to the National Council of Provinces; and

"re-elected member" means a person -

- (i) who at any time before 2 June 1999 occupied an office mentioned in Column 1 of Annexure B; and
- (ii) whose service in any one or more of those offices has not been interrupted at any time for a continuous period of more than 24 months."

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