

Brainse an Iarbhuioideachais.
An Roinn Oideachais agus Eolaíochta,
Corn a Madach,
Baile Atha Luain,
Co. na hIarmhí.



Post-Primary Administration,
Department of Education and Science,
Cornamaddy,
Athlone,
Co. Westmeath.

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**To the Chief Executive Officer
of
Dun Laoghaire Vocational Education Committee
Kilkenny Vocational Education Committee
Co. Cork Vocational Education Committee**

Revised Payscale for Technicians

Dear CEO,

I am directed by the Minister for Education and Science to refer to discussions and correspondence between the Department and the unions representing the technicians in Davis College, Mallow, Kilkenny VEC. and Dun Laoghaire VEC. on a claim for an increase in technician's pay.

Agreement has been reached and approval is given for the implementation of the revised pay rates contained in the schedule of this circular letter subject to the following conditions:

- Verification of the flexibilities agreed for the Technicians in the VECs
- Acceptance by the unions that it is full and final settlement of the claim.
- This will result in the Technician grade in the VECs having a stand alone scale, based on the increases applying to each point as a result of the pay link with the IOT sector (i.e. the link with the Technicians in the IOTs is broken).

The revisions incorporate the increases due as a result of the full application of the MLT award (with effect from 1st April 2000 and 2.8% increase under the Benchmarking agreement (phased with effect from 1st December 2001).

This letter will be made available on the Department's website (www.education.ie) under Post Primary Division.

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