

Civil Service Conciliation and Arbitration Scheme

General Council Report 1347

(Meeting/s of 31 March 1999)

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Claim for an increase in the annual leave allowance of Laboratory Technician.

1. The claim is that the annual leave of civil service laboratory technicians be increased from 20 days rising to 24 days after five years service to 21 days rising to 26 days after 5 years service with effect from the 1997 leave year. The basis of the claim is that, under the agreed arrangements for determining annual leave allowances, the salary of the laboratory technician grade, since April 1997, falls into the salary range which justifies the increased annual leave allowance sought.
2. Following discussion, in which account was taken of developments in relation to the salary of the laboratory technician grade, the Official Side agreed to concede the claim with effect from the 1997/98 annual leave year. In this connection, where the leave year is a calendar year, it was agreed that the leave year ending on 31st December 1997 may be regarded as the leave year coming within the definition of the "1997/98" leave year.
3. This report recording agreement was adopted on 28 April 1999.

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