Civil Service Conciliation and Arbitration Scheme

General Council Report 1410


That the Domestic Subsistence Rates be increased with effect from 01/01/2002 on the basis of the agreed formula. (Deferred)

1. In accordance with an agreement made in 1978, the rates of subsistence for travel in Ireland are to be revised annually by reference to price increases in an agreed list of hotels. The domestic subsistence rates are calculated by reference to reference to the change in the accommodation prices in an agreed list of 100 hotels, 6 hotels had to be replaced from the list of 100 this year (Appendix 1).

2. As a result of the changes in the price of accommodation since last year the subsistence allowances should be increased by the following percentages with effect from 1 January 2002.

   Overnight stay 9.95%
   Lunch (5 hour absence) 9.92%
   Two meal (absence of 10 hours or more) 9.92%

3. The Staff Side agreed to the increases in the home domestic subsistence rates.

4. This agreed report was adopted on 31 July 2002.
Appendix to Agreed Report 1410.

List of Replacement Hotels.

REPLACEMENT GRADE DELETED GRADE REASON FOR REPLACEMENT

Co. Cork
Owenhincha 1* Grand Hotel 1* Rescinded

Co. Carlow
McHughs Newly Royal Hotel 2** Rescinded
Courthouse Hotel Approved

Co. Kerry
Villa Marie Hotel 1* Godley's Hotel 1* Grade Change

Co. Louth
Derryhale Hotel 1* Derryhale Hotel 2** Grade Change

Co. Monaghan
Shirley Arms Hotel 2** Riverdale Hotel 2** Rescinded

Co. Wexford
Murphy Floods 2** Royal Hotel 2** Rescinded

Agreed report.

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