"YEAR OF SUSTAINED AND DISCIPLINED WORK"

PUBLIC SERVICE MINISTRY CIRCULAR NO. 22/1989 REFERENCE NO. PS: 20/7^V FROM: Permanent Secretary, Public Service Ministry SUBJECT: TO: All Permanent Secretaries, Heads of Departments and Regional Executive Officers Increase in Situation Allowance (Amendment No. 12/1989 to Public Service Rules 1987)

DATE: 1989-11-03

1989-08-01.

Approval has been given for increases in Station Allowance, and for other changes related thereto with effect from

(a) STATION ALLOWANCE

(i)

Category	From	<u>To</u>
А	\$85.00 per month	\$220.00 per month
В	\$70.00 per month	\$190.00 per month
С	\$57.00 per month	\$160.00 per month

- (ii) Mabaruma District in Region 1 to be transferred from Category C to B with effect from 1989-08-01;
- (b) RATION ALLOWANCE

Payment of Ration Allowance to be abolished with effect from 1989-08-01 and pro-rata Station Allowance to be paid in lieu thereof at the appropriate rate.

- 2. Appendix K2 to the Public Service Rules, 1987, is hereby amended accordingly.
- 3. Payment of arrears due on the basis of the increased rates should be made as promptly as possible. Ministries / Departments / Regions are expected to meet the cost of the increased allowances from funds under their control. Where funds available under the relevant Subhead may be insufficient to meet the payments, the Virement mechanism should be used. Agencies which are unable to meet these payments from savings under their votes should contact the Ministry of Finance for further guidance.
- 4. Please bring this Circular to the attention of all concerned, in particular Personnel Officers and those who normally deal with the preparation and payment of Station and Ration Allowances to entitled staff.

J. McCurdy, For Permanent Secretary, Public Service Ministry.