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ADJUSTMENT OF THE ALLOWANCES PROVIDED FOR IN THE DETERMINATION AND DIRECTIVE ON THE FOREIGN SERVICE DISPENSATION WITH EFFECT FROM 1 APRIL 2014

1. The Minister for the Public Service and Administration has

1.1 in terms of section 3(5)(a) and 5(6)(b) of the Public Service Act, 1994, as amended, read with the Determination and Directive on the Foreign Service Dispensation and applicable collective agreements, determined and directed, that with effect from 1 April 2014, the adjustment of the -

1.1.1. Cost of Living Allowance: accompanied and unaccompanied, respectively;

1.1.2. Difficult Post Additional Cost Allowance;

1.1.3. Child Allowance; and

1.1.4. Clothing Allowance; and

1.2 approved the amendment of Determination and Directive on the Foreign Service Dispensation to reflect the above-mentioned adjustments. A copy is attached for easy reference. Departments have been advised to obtain Annexure C on a needs basis from either your Department or the DPSA due to the sensitive information contained therein.

2. The additional expenditure emanating from the above-mentioned determination must be met from existing departmental budget allocations in terms of National Treasury approval 27 March 2015.
3. The revised Determination and Annexures thereto are also available on the DPSA website at http://www.dpsa.gov.za/cos/documents.asp.

DIRECTOR-GENERAL
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