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REFERENCE: **ICSC-PADJ-0618-01**

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TO: Recipients of Post Adjustment
Classification Memo

THROUGH: Mr. Kingston P. Rhodes
Chairman, ICSC

FROM: Ibrahim S. Yansaneh
Chief, Cost-of-Living Division

SUBJECT: Post adjustment classification memo for June 2018

1. I am pleased to send you the post adjustment multipliers for June 2018. Note that only duty stations with changes in post adjustment multipliers are listed.

Group I Duty Stations

2. The post adjustment multipliers, applicable to group I duty stations, as a result of the operation of the 0.5 per cent rule under conditions of currency depreciation/appreciation relative to the US dollar and the application of the 5 per cent rule, with effect from 1 June 2018, are given in Table 1.

Table 1. Changes to post adjustment multipliers for group I duty stations – June 2018

DUTY STATION	MULTIPLIER	DUTY STATION	MULTIPLIER
Australia	33.6	Iceland	58.5
Austria	44.6	Ireland	38.8
Belgium	44.7	Italy - Brindisi	32.2
Bulgaria	21.4	Italy - Rome	38.5
Canada - Montreal	39.0	Japan - Hiroshima	58.6
Canada - Ottawa	48.1	Japan - Tokyo	82.9
Canada - Toronto	55.4	Luxembourg	45.6
Cyprus	18.8	Malta	35.1
Czech Republic	34.7	Monaco	48.5
Denmark	55.0	Netherlands	36.9
Finland	42.4	Norway	43.3
France – Lyon and elsewhere	45.0	Poland	17.2
France - Paris	48.5	Portugal - Guimaraes	7.4
French Guiana	39.9	Portugal - Lisbon	30.8
Germany - Berlin	34.8	Romania	3.7
Germany - Bonn	30.9	Slovak Republic	24.6
Germany - Dresden	30.9	Slovenia	21.0
Germany - Hamburg	32.8	Spain	31.5
Germany - Munich	38.6	Sweden	34.2
Gibraltar	64.6	Switzerland	72.4
Greece	24.4	United Kingdom	64.6
Hungary	21.9		

Group II duty stations

3. The post adjustment multipliers based on the results of the most recent cost-of-living surveys with effect from 1 June 2018 are listed in Table 2.

Table 2. Changes to post adjustment multipliers as a result of a cost-of-living survey –
June 2018

DUTY STATION	MULTIPLIER
Nepal	27.3
Rwanda	30.2
Sao Tome and Principe	38.0

4. The results of the cost-of-living surveys for **South Africa** and **Zimbabwe** will be announced in the Post adjustment classification (PAC) memo of 13 June 2018, (Ref#: ICSC-PADJ-0618-02).

5. Based on the most recent cost-of-living survey results, the revised applicable rental subsidy thresholds effective 1 June 2018, is listed in Table 3 below.

Table 3. Duty station with revised rental subsidy thresholds

DUTY STATION	RENTAL SUBSIDY THRESHOLDS (PER CENT)	
	With Spouse/Single Parent Allowance	<u>Without</u> Spouse/Single Parent Allowance
Sao Tome Principe	16	17

6. The gap closure measure is completed for **Switzerland**. Therefore, the personal transitional allowance (PTA) is no longer applicable for this duty station effective 1 June 2018.

cc. Ms. C. Todis