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All Accounting Officers (Central and Local Governments)

DUTY FACILITATING ALLOWANCES FOR PUBLIC OFFICERS

Reference is made to Circular Standing Instruction No.6 of 2018 of Ministry of Public Service issued under letter Ref: PMD 80/80/01 dated 26th June, 2018 on revised rates of duty facilitating allowances.

Reference is also made to my letter Ref: BPED 103/155/01 dated 4th July, 2018 informing all Accounting Officers that the new rates were effective 1st July 2018.

Further reference is made to Cabinet action extract from Minute 400 (CT 2018) dated 3rd September, 2018 on deferred implementation of the new rates of Duty facilitating allowances for the other categories of Public servants except Cabinet Secretariat Staff until Financial Year 2019/20 (*Copy of the Cabinet Action Minute Extract attached*).

The purpose of this letter is to inform you that the implementation of the new rates of Duty facilitating allowances for the other categories of Public servants has been deferred until further notice. You are therefore advised to revert to the old rates forthwith.

Keith Muhakanizi

PERMANENT SECRETARY/SECRETARY TO THE TREASURY

Copy to: Rt. Hon. Speaker of Parliament
Rt. Hon. Prime Minister, Office of the Prime Minister
Head of Public Service / Secretary to Cabinet

Mission

"To formulate sound economic policies, maximize revenue mobilization, ensure efficient allocation and accountability for public resources so as to achieve the most rapid and sustainable economic growth and development"

CABINET

Action Extract from Minute No. 400 (CT 2018) of the
meeting of the Cabinet held at Kampala on 3-9-2018
for action / information by PS/ST

MINUTE 400 (CT 2018)

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(Cabinet Memorandum CT (2018) 148)

5. Cabinet:

- (1) Noted that the Cabinet Paper on Improving the Welfare of Ministers had been earlier on approved under Minute 254 (CT 2018) during the 22nd Cabinet Meeting held on Monday, 14th May 2018 at State House, Entebbe prior to the approval of the Budget for Financial Year 2018/2019.
- (2) Noted that the proposal to enhance the allowances of the Cabinet Secretariat Staff who attend Cabinet and facilitate Cabinet Meetings had been previously approved under Minute 272 (CT 1990) and reiterated prior to the approval of the Budget for Financial Year 2018/2019.
- (3) Noted the implications of implementing the new rates on the Budget of the Financial Year 2018/19 and over the Medium Term.

Reiterated its decision that the revised Emoluments of Ministers and Ministers of State should be implemented in accordance with the newly revised rates of Duty Facilitating Allowances beginning 1st July 2018.
- (5) Reiterated its decision that the Cabinet Secretariat Staff who attend Cabinet should be remunerated according to the newly approved rates of Duty Facilitating Allowances beginning 1st July 2018, due to the special duties and assignments they perform on behalf of Cabinet.
- (6) Deferred the implementation of the new rates of Duty Facilitating Allowances for the other categories of Public Servants until Financial Year 2019/20.
- (7) Directed the Ministers of; Public Service and Finance, Planning and Economic Development to jointly prepare a Paper to review the allowances for all the other categories of Public Servants for

