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20/04/1979 LP:- Class A Subsistence

Dear Personnel Officer

At present Class A subsistence is payable to officers in grades with a salary the maximum of which is not less than that of Assistant Principal (general service).

Following a claim at General Council, the Minister for the Public Service has accepted an agreed recommendation that Class A subsistence should be payable to the grade of Professional Accountant, Grade II. It is accordingly necessary to revise the existing practice under which entitlement to Class A rate is determined.

The grade of Professional Accountant Grade II is linked for pay purposes with that of Engineer Grade II (Civil) which already is entitled to Class A subsistence. In the circumstances it has been decided that all grades which have the same salary scale as Engineer Grade II (Civil) should be entitled to Class A subsistence.

The revised arrangement may be applied to all grades affected as from 20 December 1978.

Yours sincerely J. Doyle