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CONSTITUTIONAL OFFICES (TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF SERVICE) ACT

(Cap. 84)

THE CONSTITUTIONAL OFFICES (TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF SERVICE) (COMMISSIONER OF POLICE) (AMENDMENT) REGULATIONS 2024

I, Hon. Manasseh Damukana Sogavare, Prime Minister, under section 3 of the *Constitutional Offices (Terms and Conditions of Service) Act* (Cap. 84), make the following Regulations:

1 Citation

These Regulations may be cited as the Constitutional Offices (Terms and Conditions of Service) (Commissioner of Police) (Amendment) Regulations 2024.

2 Commencement

These Regulations commence on the date of their publication in the *Gazette*.

3 Amendment of the Constitutional Offices (Terms a nd C onditions of Service) (Commissioner of Police) Regulations

These Regulations amend the *Constitutional Offices (Terms and Conditions of Service) (Commissioner of Police) Regulations* (LN No. 155 of 1990) ("*Principal Regulations*").

4 Regulation 4 amended

Regulations 4 of the Principal Regulations is amended by substituting the figure "\$5,250.00." with "\$9,000.00.".

5 Regulation 7 amended

Regulations 7 of the Principal Regulations is amended by substituting the figure "\$10,000.00" with "\$15,000.00".

6 Regulation 8 amended

Regulation 8 of the Principal Regulation is amended by substituting the figure "\$2,700.00" with \$4,000.00".

7 Regulation 10 repealed and substituted

Regulations 10 of the Principal Regulations is repealed and substituted by the following:

"Vehicle

- 10 The Commissioner of Police:
 - (a) shall be provided with one government vehicle free of charge and a fuel allowance of \$2,000.00 per month; and
 - (b) where the government is unable to provide a vehicle, the Commissioner is to be provided with a transport allowance of \$6,000.00 per fortnight; and
 - (c) where at the end of the Commissioner's contract, the contract is not renewed, the Commissioner is entitled to purchase the vehicle under paragraph (a) at a fair market price."

8 Regulation 13 amended

Regulation 13 of the Principal Regulations is amended by substituting "two return trips" with "one return trip".

9 Regulation 14 amended

Regulation 14 of the Principal Regulations is amended by substituting the figure "US\$250.00" with "USD\$300.00".

10 Regulation 15 amended

Regulations 15 of the Principal Regulations is amended by substituting the figure "\$250.00" with "\$300.00".

11 Regulation 16 repealed and substituted

Regulations 16 of the Principal Regulations is repealed and substituting with the following:

"Class of travel (overseas)

- 16 (1) The Commissioner of Police is entitled to travel business class for all official overseas travels.
 - (2) The spouse of the Commissioner is entitled to travel business class:
 - (a) when accompanying the Commissioner for official overseas travel; and
 - (b) when the spouse is officially required to perform an official role in the Commissioner's official overseas program of travel; and
 - (c) where subregulations (2)(a) and (b) are met, the spouse is also entitled to claim subsistence allowance at half the rate payable to the Commissioner in regulation 14(1) and 14(2).
 - (3) Where subregulations (2)(a) and (b) are not met, the Commissioner and the spouse are responsible for the spouse's travels.".

12 Regulation 18 amended

Regulation 18 of the Principal Regulations is amended by repealing all words after "entertainment allowance" and substituting the repealed words with "of \$20,000.00 per annum.".

13 Regulation 19 repealed and substituted

Regulation 19 of the Principal Regulations is repealing and substituting as follows:

"Medical treatment

19 If the Commissioner of Police is not covered by medical insurance, the Commissioner shall be entitled to \$10,000.00 per annum for outpatient and general practice treatments; and where hospitalisation is required, the Commissioner is entitled to be covered under a Government approved Health Care Scheme.".

14 Regulation 20 repealed

The Principal Regulations is amended by repealing regulation 20.

15 Regulation 24 amended

Regulations 24 of the Principal Regulations is amended by substituting the figure "\$5,000.00" with "\$10,000.00".

16 New Regulation 25 inserted

The Principal Regulations is amended by inserting a new regualtion 25 immediately after regualtion 24 as follows:

"Gratuity

25 The Commissioner of Police is entitled to a gratuity of 35% of the basic salary under regulation 4, payable at the end of every 12 months of service, or at the end of the term."

Made this eighteenth-day of March 2024.

HON. MANASSEH DAMUKANA SOGAVARE

PRIME MINISTER