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COUNCIL REGULATION (EEC, EURATOM, ECSC) No 1409/77

of 28 June 1977

adjusting the weightings applied to the remuneration and pensions of officials and other servants of the European Communities

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing a single Council and a single Commission of the European Communities,

Having regard to the Staff Regulations of officials and the conditions of employment of other servants of the European Communities as laid down by Regulation (EEC, Euratom, ECSC) No 259/68 [1], as last amended by Regulation (EEC, Euratom, ECSC) No 1376/77 [2], and in particular Articles 64, 65 (2) and 82 of those Staff Regulations and the first paragraph of Article 20 and Article 64 of those conditions of employment,

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission,

Whereas, by reason of the substantial rise in the cost of living which took place during the second half of 1976 in Belgium and in the other countries where officials and other servants of the European Communities are employed, the weightings applied to the remuneration and pensions of officials and other servants should be adjusted with effect from 1 January 1977,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

1. With effect from 1 January 1977, the weightings applicable to the remuneration of officials employed in the countries listed below shall be as follows:

Belgium	104·5
Denmark	129·8
Germany	83·6
France	126·5
Ireland	135·0
Italy	132·1
Luxembourg	104·5
Netherlands	96·9
United Kingdom	135·0
Canada	130·5
Japan	151·4
Switzerland	82·3
USA	132·2

2. With effect from 1 January 1977, the weighting applicable to pensions in accordance with the second subparagraph of Article 82 (1) of the Staff Regulations shall be shown below for the Community country in which the person entitled to the pension declares his home to be:

Belgium	104·5
Denmark	129·8
Germany	83·6
France	126·5
Ireland	135·0
Italy	132·1
Luxembourg	104·5
Netherlands	96·9
United Kingdom	135·0

If a person entitled to a pension declares his home to be in a country other than those listed above, the weighting applicable to the pension shall be that for Belgium.

Article 2

Article 5 (2) (a) and (b) of Regulation (ECSC, EEC, Euratom) No 3177/76 [3] shall be repealed with effect from 1 January 1977.

Article 3

This Regulation shall enter into force on the day following its publication in the *Official Journal of the European Communities.*

(1) OJ No L 56, 4. 3. 1968, p. 1.
(2) OJ No L 157, 28. 6. 1977, p. 1.
(3) OJ No L 359, 30. 12. 1976, p. 1.

This Regulation shall be binding in its entirety and directly applicable in all Member States.

Done at Luxembourg, 28 June 1977.

For the Council

The President

W. RODGERS