



Secretariat

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ADMINISTRATIVE INSTRUCTION

To: Members of the staff

From: The Assistant Secretary-General for Personnel Services

Subject: EDUCATION GRANT

1. This amendment to administrative instruction ST/AI/181/Rev.6 is issued to implement the changes concerning the education grant approved by the General Assembly in its resolution 38/232 of 20 December 1983. The first amendment is to provide for a revised reimbursement rate of the education grant. This change is reflected in paragraphs 2, 3 and 5 below. Consequential to this amendment, the maximum rates of the grant payable in respect of private tuition in the mother tongue are increased proportionately, as shown in paragraph 4 below. The second amendment is to change the operational rate of exchange to be used as a currency floor when expenses are incurred in a currency other than the United States dollar. This change is reflected in paragraph 5 below.

2. In subparagraph 5 (a), replace the last sentence by the following text:

"The amount of the grant when the child attends an educational institution in the country of the duty station shall be 75 per cent of the cost of attendance in respect of expenses up to a maximum of \$6,000 per year, with a maximum grant of \$4,500 a year for each child".

3. In subparagraph 5 (c), replace the second and third sentences by the following text:

"The amount of the grant shall be 75 per cent of the cost of attendance and board in respect of expenses up to a maximum of \$6,000 per year, with a maximum grant of \$4,500 a year for each child. When the institution does not provide board, the amount of the grant shall be a flat sum of \$1,500 for board plus 75 per cent of the cost of attendance in respect of expenses up to \$4,000, with a maximum total grant of \$4,500 a year for each child".

4. In paragraph 8, replace:

- (a) In the seventh line, \$750 by \$1,125;
- (b) In the eighth line, \$375 by \$563;
- (c) In the tenth line, \$1,000 by \$1,500;
- (d) In the eleventh line, \$500 by \$750.

5. In subparagraph 15, replace:

- (a) In the fifth and tenth lines, 1 January 1977 by 1 March 1983;
- (b) In the ninth line, \$US 3,000 by \$US 4,500.

6. The above amendments are effective as from the school year in course on 1 January 1984.

7. These changes will be reflected in appropriate amendments to the Staff Rules to be issued in due course.
