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**Information circular\***

To: Members of the staff  
From: The Assistant Secretary-General for Human Resources Management  
Subject: **Designation of duty stations for purposes of rest and recuperation**

1. Further to the issuance of information circular [ST/IC/2014/20](#), dated 1 August 2014, please be advised that the Office of Human Resources Management approves a rest and recuperation frequency of eight weeks for Goré, Chad, effective 1 July 2014.

2. Should security or severe hardship conditions improve or deteriorate at specific duty stations during the course of the year, the duration of the period of qualifying service (frequency) may be adjusted by the Office of Human Resources Management following inter-agency consultations. Similarly, significant changes in a duty station environment may result in the approval or discontinuation of rest and recuperation.

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\* Expiration date of the present information circular: 31 December 2014.



## Annex

### Consolidated list of duty stations<sup>a</sup> approved by the Office of Human Resources Management for rest and recuperation purposes (effective as from 1 July 2014)

<i>Duty station</i>	<i>Frequency</i>	<i>Rest and recuperation destination</i>
<b>Afghanistan</b>		
Entire country	6 weeks	Dubai
<b>Algeria</b>		
Tindouf	8 weeks	Las Palmas
<b>Burkina Faso</b>		
Dori	12 weeks	Ouagadougou
<b>Burundi</b>		
Makamba, Ngozi	12 weeks	Nairobi
<b>Central African Republic</b>		
Entire country	6 weeks	Yaoundé
<b>Chad</b>		
Abeche, Farchana, Goré, Goz Beida, Mao, N'Djamena, Sarh	8 weeks	Addis Ababa
<b>Colombia</b>		
Quibdo	12 weeks	Bogota
<b>Côte d'Ivoire</b>		
Entire country except Abidjan and Yamoussoukro	8 weeks	Accra
<b>Democratic Republic of the Congo</b>		
Aru, Beni, Bukavu, Bunia, Butembo, Dungu, Goma, Kalemie, Mahagi, Uvira	6 weeks	Entebbe
Bandundu, Gemena, Kamina, Kananga, Kindu, Kisangani, Matadi, Mbandaka, Mbuji-Mayi	8 weeks	Entebbe
Kinshasa, Lubumbashi	12 weeks	Entebbe
<b>Democratic People's Republic of Korea</b>		
Pyongyang	8 weeks	Beijing

<sup>a</sup> Reflects duty stations with a presence of Secretariat staff members. Specialized agencies, funds and programmes issue organization-specific lists.

<i>Duty station</i>	<i>Frequency</i>	<i>Rest and recuperation destination</i>
<b>Ethiopia</b>		
Kebridehar	6 weeks	Addis Ababa
Jijiga	8 weeks	Addis Ababa
<b>Gaza</b>		
Gaza (entire, from 5 July 2014)	6 weeks	Amman
Gaza (entire, from 1 to 4 July 2014)	8 weeks	Amman
<b>Guinea</b>		
Nzerekore	12 weeks	Dakar
<b>Guinea-Bissau</b>		
Bissau	12 weeks	Dakar
<b>Haiti</b>		
Entire country	8 weeks	Santo Domingo
<b>Indonesia</b>		
Jayapura	12 weeks	Jakarta
<b>Iraq</b>		
Baghdad, Basra, Kirkuk	4 weeks	Amman
Erbil	8 weeks	Amman
<b>Kenya</b>		
Dadaab	6 weeks	Nairobi
<b>Kyrgyzstan</b>		
Osh	8 weeks	Istanbul
<b>Liberia</b>		
Entire country	8 weeks	Accra
<b>Libya</b>		
Entire country	6 weeks	Malta
<b>Mali</b>		
Gao, Kidal, Tessalit	4 weeks	Dakar
Tombouctou	6 weeks	Dakar
Bamako, Kayes, Mopti	8 weeks	Dakar

<i>Duty station</i>	<i>Frequency</i>	<i>Rest and recuperation destination</i>
<b>Mauritania</b>		
Nema	8 weeks	Nouakchott
<b>Myanmar</b>		
Myitkyina (Kachin State), Sittwe	12 weeks	Yangon
<b>Niger</b>		
Diffa, Maradi, Tahoua, Zinder	12 weeks	Niamey
<b>Nigeria</b>		
Kaduna	8 weeks	Accra
<b>Pakistan</b>		
Peshawar, Quetta	6 weeks	Dubai
Islamabad, Karachi, Lahore	8 weeks	Dubai
<b>Papua New Guinea</b>		
Port Moresby	12 weeks	Brisbane
<b>Philippines</b>		
Cotabato City, Guian, Ormoc, Roxas, Tacloban, Zamboanga City	8 weeks	Manila
<b>Serbia</b>		
Kosovska Mitrovica	12 weeks	Ljubljana
<b>Somalia</b>		
Baidoa, Beledweyne, Boosaaso, Dolow, Gaalkacyo, Garoowe, Kismaayo, Mogadishu	4 weeks	Nairobi
Hargeysa	6 weeks	Nairobi
<b>South Sudan</b>		
Akobo, Akon, Aweil, Bentiu, Bor, Boro Medina, Bunj, Ezo, Gendrassa, Gok Machar, Jamam, Juba, Kwacjok, Maban, Malakal, Maridi, Melut, Nasser, Paryang, Pibor, Pulmok, Renk, Rumbek, Tambura, Turalei, Yida, Yirol, Yuai	6 weeks	Entebbe
Rest of the country	8 weeks	Entebbe
<b>Sri Lanka</b>		
Kilinochchi	8 weeks	Colombo

<i>Duty station</i>	<i>Frequency</i>	<i>Rest and recuperation destination</i>
<b>Sudan</b>		
Abyei, Buram (S. Darfur), Ed Al Fursan (S. Darfur), El Da'ein (Darfur), El Fasher (Darfur), El Geneina (Darfur), Forobaranga (W. Darfur), Garzilla (W. Darfur), Gereida (S. Darfur), Habila (W. Darfur), Kabkabiya (Darfur), Kadugli, Kass, Khor Abeche (S. Darfur), Khor Omer, Kulbus (Darfur), Kutum (Darfur), Labado (S. Darfur), Mallit (N. Darfur), Marla (S. Darfur), Masteri (W. Darfur), Mornie (W. Darfur), Muglad (Southern Kordofan), Mukjar (Darfur), Nertiti (W. Darfur), Nyala (Darfur), Saraf Omra/Umra (N. Darfur), Shangil Tobaya (N. Darfur), Sheiria (S. Darfur), Um Kaddada (N. Darfur), Zalingei (Darfur), Zam Zam (N. Darfur)	6 weeks	Entebbe
Ed Damazin	8 weeks	Entebbe
Port Sudan	12 weeks	Entebbe
<b>Syrian Arab Republic</b>		
Entire country	4 weeks	Amman
<b>Turkey</b>		
Antakya	8 weeks	Ankara
<b>Uganda</b>		
Moroto	8 weeks	Kampala
Kitgum	12 weeks	Kampala
<b>Ukraine</b>		
Donetsk	8 weeks	Kiev
<b>West Bank</b>		
Ramallah	8 weeks	Amman
<b>Yemen</b>		
Aden, Haradh, Sa'ada, Sana'a	6 weeks	Larnaca