

THIS MESSAGE CONSTITUTES OFFICIAL NOTIFICATION OF BI-MONTHLY OVERSEAS HOUSING ALLOWANCE AND OVERSEAS COST OF LIVING ALLOWANCE REVIEWS EFFECTIVE 16 MAY 2013, FOR THE FOLLOWING COUNTRIES: ARGENTINA, AUSTRALIA, BAHAMAS, BELIZE, CHILE, COLOMBIA, CROATIA, EGYPT, GAMBIA, GERMANY, GHANA, ICELAND, ISRAEL, JAPAN, JERUSALEM, JORDAN, KENYA, KOREA, KYRGYZSTAN, MEXICO, MOROCCO, NICARAGUA, NORWAY, PERU, PHILIPPINES, RUSSIA, SEYCHELLES, SINGAPORE, SOUTH AFRICA, SOUTH SUDAN, SPAIN, SRI LANKA, SWEDEN, TUNISIA, UZBEKISTAN AND VENEZUELA

THE REVIEWS ARE GROUPED BY TYPE OF ALLOWANCE (SECTION A: COST-OF-LIVING; SECTION B: OVERSEAS HOUSING ALLOWANCE; SECTION C: EXCHANGE RATES, SECTION D: NO CHANGES BASED ON REVIEW); THEREFORE, A COUNTRY/ LOCALITY MAY BE LISTED IN MORE THAN ONE SECTION OF THE MESSAGE.

SECTION A

APPENDIX J - COST-OF-LIVING INDEXES:

COUNTRY: (CL) CHILE CHANGE CODE(S): X

FROM	TO	LOCALITIES
134	N/C	001, 004, 005, 999

COUNTRY: (CO) COLOMBIA CHANGE CODE(S): X

FROM	TO	LOCALITIES
126	N/C	001, 003, 999

COUNTRY: (HR) CROATIA CHANGE CODE(S): X

FROM	TO	LOCALITIES
126	N/C	999

COUNTRY: (EG) EGYPT CHANGE CODE(S): X

FROM	TO	LOCALITIES
None	N/C	001, 002, 003, 006, 007, 999

COUNTRY: (DE) GERMANY CHANGE CODE(S): D

FROM	TO	LOCALITIES
122	124	019, 027, 039, 055, 059, 061, 063, 123, 129, 137, 153, 207, 227, 228, 301, 307, 311, 313, 317, 323, 329, 355, 359, 503, 603, 655, 663, 700, 741, 999
122	126	655
132	N/C	067, 157, 203, 221, 224, 369, 407, 415, 425, 469, 573, 703, 721, 939
124	N/C	229, 230, 231
126	130	121, 139
132	136	539

COUNTRY: (IS) ICELAND CHANGE CODE(S): X

FROM	TO	LOCALITIES
146	N/C	999

COUNTRY: (IL) ISRAEL

CHANGE CODE(S): X

FROM	TO	LOCALITIES
148	150	001

COUNTRY: (JP) JAPAN

CHANGE CODE(S): X

FROM	TO	LOCALITIES
134	N/C	045
156	158	003, 021
150	152	009, 011, 015, 022, 029, 031, 069, 072
126	N/C	023
130	N/C	027
124	N/C	007, 033, 065, 067, 073, 077, 998
126	N/C	019
134	N/C	041, 049
148	N/C	018, 052, 053
138	140	061
142	144	016, 057
132	134	035
138	N/C	080, 106

COUNTRY: (JS) JERUSALEM

CHANGE CODE(S): X

FROM	TO	LOCALITIES
146	148	999

COUNTRY: (KR) KOREA

CHANGE CODE(S): X

FROM	TO	LOCALITIES
114	116	007, 010, 035, 050
114	N/C	017, 045, 047, 070, 176, 178, 999
120	124	015, 030
118	120	140, 175
114	116	005
110	N/C	025
116	118	065
110	112	177

COUNTRY: (MX) MEXICO

CHANGE CODE(S): X

FROM	TO	LOCALITIES
118	N/C	005, 015, 455, 555, 556, 557, 558, 559, 560, 999
122	124	500

COUNTRY: (MA) MOROCCO

CHANGE CODE(S): X

FROM	TO	LOCALITIES
132	N/C	999

COUNTRY: (NO) NORWAY

CHANGE CODE(S): X

FROM	TO	LOCALITIES
178	N/C	003, 021
178	N/C	001, 005, 007, 016, 025

COUNTRY: (PE) PERU

CHANGE CODE(S): X

FROM	TO	LOCALITIES
140	N/C	005, 999

COUNTRY: (PH) PHILIPPINES

CHANGE CODE(S): X

FROM	TO	LOCALITIES
122	120	003, 005, 701
104	102	999

COUNTRY: (RU) RUSSIA

CHANGE CODE(S): X

FROM	TO	LOCALITIES
140	142	001
130	132	999
136	138	004

COUNTRY: (SC) SEYCHELLES

CHANGE CODE(S): X

FROM	TO	LOCALITIES
None	N/C	999

COUNTRY: (LK) SRI LANKA

CHANGE CODE(S): D

FROM	TO	LOCALITIES
112	122	999

COUNTRY: (SE) SWEDEN

CHANGE CODE(S): X

FROM	TO	LOCALITIES
182	176	001, 003, 999

COUNTRY: (TN) TUNISIA

CHANGE CODE(S): X

FROM	TO	LOCALITIES
104	N/C	999

SECTION B

APPENDIX K, TABLE I - OVERSEAS HOUSING ALLOWANCES:

NOTE: FOR MOST COUNTRIES, OHA TABLES ARE PUBLISHED IN LOCAL CURRENCY. ALL CURRENCY CHANGES ARE REPORTED IN SECTION C.

COUNTRY: (AR) ARGENTINA
 RATE OF EXCHANGE: \$0.190658

CHANGE CODE(S): X

				O3E/ W3/W4/	O2E/O1E/ W2/	W1/		
LOCALITY	CODE	O6	O5	O4	O3	O2	O1	
ARGENTINA:	AR							
BUENOS AIRES	012	24128	24128	22028	20398	18279	18279	
OTHER	999	16783	16783	16783	10490	10490	10490	
	LOCALITY							E2/E1
LOCALITY	CODE	E9	E8	E7	E6	E5	E4	E3
ARGENTINA:	AR							
BUENOS AIRES	012	22028	20398	20398	20398	18279	15899	15899
OTHER	999	16783	10490	10490	10490	10490	9130	9130

COUNTRY: (AU) AUSTRALIA

CHANGE CODE(S): D

				O3E/ W3/W4/	O2E/O1E/ W2/	W1/		
LOCALITY	CODE	O6	O5	O4	O3	O2	O1	
AUSTRALIA:	AU							
ALICE SPRINGS	001	N/C	N/C	N/C	N/C	2600	2600	
CANBERRA	005	3922	N/C	N/C	N/C	N/C	N/C	
RAAF AMBERLEY	030	2374	2374	2374	N/C	N/C	N/C	
SYDNEY	019	N/C	N/C	N/C	4550	N/C	N/C	
	LOCALITY							E2/E1
LOCALITY	CODE	E9	E8	E7	E6	E5	E4	E3
AUSTRALIA:	AU							
ALICE SPRINGS	001	N/C	N/C	N/C	N/C	2600	2262	2262
RAAF AMBERLEY	030	2374	N/C	N/C	N/C	N/C	N/C	N/C
SYDNEY	019	N/C	4550	4550	4550	N/C	N/C	N/C

COUNTRY: (BS) BAHAMAS

CHANGE CODE(S): D

Utility Allowance adjusted to \$985 US Dollars, MIHA Miscellaneous adjusted to \$582 US Dollars for all personnel in Bahamas

COUNTRY: (CL) CHILE
 RATE OF EXCHANGE: \$0.002139

CHANGE CODE(S): X

				O3E/	O2E/O1E/			
	LOCALITY		W5/	W3/W4/	W2/	W1/		
LOCALITY	CODE	O6	O5	O4	O3	O2	O1	
CHILE:	CL							
SANTIAGO	001	1795152	1795152	1795152	1613150	1195660	1195660	
GREATER VALPARAISO AREA	004	935316	935316	935316	935316	844407	844407	
OTHER	999	818281	818281	818281	801653	720264	720264	
	LOCALITY							E2/E1
LOCALITY	CODE	E9	E8	E7	E6	E5	E4	E3
CHILE:	CL							
SANTIAGO	001	1795152	1613150	1613150	1613150	1195660	1040223	1040223
GREATER VALPARAISO AREA	004	935316	935316	935316	935316	844407	734636	734636
OTHER	999	818281	801653	801653	801653	720264	626630	626630

COUNTRY: (CO) COLOMBIA
 RATE OF EXCHANGE: \$0.000543

CHANGE CODE(S): X

				O3E/	O2E/O1E/			
	LOCALITY		W5/	W3/W4/	W2/	W1/		
LOCALITY	CODE	O6	O5	O4	O3	O2	O1	
COLOMBIA:	CO							
BOGOTA	001	8061944	7870275	7732200	7364000	7359112	7359112	
CARTAGENA	003	6376287	5932110	5932110	5932110	4385159	4385159	
OTHER	999	4304264	4304264	4304264	4304264	3871539	3871539	
	LOCALITY							E2/E1
LOCALITY	CODE	E9	E8	E7	E6	E5	E4	E3
COLOMBIA:	CO							
BOGOTA	001	7732200	7364000	7364000	7364000	7359112	6814716	6814716
CARTAGENA	003	5932110	5932110	5932110	5932110	4385159	3815088	3815088
OTHER	999	4304264	4304264	4304264	4304264	3871539	3405850	3405850

COUNTRY: (EG) EGYPT
 RATE OF EXCHANGE: \$0.142592

CHANGE CODE(S): X

				O3E/	O2E/O1E/			
	LOCALITY		W5/	W3/W4/	W2/	W1/		
LOCALITY	CODE	O6	O5	O4	O3	O2	O1	
EGYPT:	EG							
ABU-HAMED	007	SAME AS OTHER						
ALEXANDRIA	002	SAME AS CAIRO						
CAIRO	001	24935	24935	24935	24935	9788	9788	
BENI SUEF (INCL SAKARA AB, JIYANKLIS)	003	SAME AS OTHER						
ISMAILIA	006	SAME AS OTHER						
OTHER	999	4897	4897	4897	4897	4897	4897	

	LOCALITY							E2/E1
	CODE	E9	E8	E7	E6	E5	E4	E3
EGYPT:	EG							
ABU-HAMED	007	SAME AS OTHER						
ALEXANDRIA	002	SAME AS CAIRO						
CAIRO	001	24935	24935	24935	24935	9788	9788	9788
BENI SUEF (INCL SAKARA AB, JIYANKLIS)	003	SAME AS OTHER						
ISMAILIA	006	SAME AS OTHER						
OTHER	999	4897	4897	4897	4897	4897	4258	4258

COUNTRY: (GM) GAMBIA
RATE OF EXCHANGE: \$0.027778

CHANGE CODE(S): X

COUNTRY: (GH) GHANA
RATE OF EXCHANGE: \$0.508053

CHANGE CODE(S): X

COUNTRY: (IS) ICELAND
RATE OF EXCHANGE: \$0.008853

CHANGE CODE(S): X

COUNTRY: (IL) ISRAEL
RATE OF EXCHANGE: \$0.283551

CHANGE CODE(S): X

COUNTRY: (JP) JAPAN
RATE OF EXCHANGE: \$0.010292

CHANGE CODE(S): X

COUNTRY: (JS) JERUSALEM
RATE OF EXCHANGE: \$0.283551

CHANGE CODE(S): X

				O3E/	O2E/O1E/			
	LOCALITY		W5/	W3/W4/	W2/	W1/		
LOCALITY	CODE	O6	O5	O4	O3	O2	O1	
	JS							
JERUSALEM	999	14810	14810	14810	9113	7212	7212	
	LOCALITY							E2/E1
LOCALITY	CODE	E9	E8	E7	E6	E5	E4	E3
	JS							
JERUSALEM	999	14810	9113	9113	9113	7212	6274	6274

COUNTRY: (JO) JORDAN
RATE OF EXCHANGE: \$1.420858

CHANGE CODE(S): X

COUNTRY: (KE) KENYA
RATE OF EXCHANGE: \$0.012095

CHANGE CODE(S): X

				O3E/	O2E/O1E/			
	LOCALITY		W5/	W3/W4/	W2/	W1/		
LOCALITY	CODE	O6	O5	O4	O3	O2	O1	
KENYA:	KE							
KISUMU	011	63419	57878	53825	44643	38036	38036	
MOMBASA	001	103105	92268	92268	88629	82435	82435	
NAIROBI	003	127579	116085	98020	98020	98020	98020	
OTHER	999	26410	26410	26410	26410	26410	26410	

	LOCALITY							E2/E1
LOCALITY	CODE	E9	E8	E7	E6	E5	E4	E3
KISUMU	011	53825	44643	44643	44643	38036	33085	33085
MOMBASA	001	92268	88629	88629	88629	82435	74082	74082
NAIROBI	003	98020	98020	98020	98020	98020	98020	98020
OTHER	999	26410	26410	26410	26410	26410	26410	26410

COUNTRY: (KR) KOREA
RATE OF EXCHANGE: \$0.000931

CHANGE CODE(S): X

COUNTRY: (KG) KYRGYZSTAN
RATE OF EXCHANGE: \$0.020761

CHANGE CODE(S): X

COUNTRY: (MX) MEXICO
RATE OF EXCHANGE: \$0.08385

CHANGE CODE(S): X

	LOCALITY			O3E/	O2E/O1E/			
LOCALITY	CODE	O6	O5	O4	O3	O2	O1	
MEXICO:	MX							
CUIDAD JUAREZ	555	SAME AS OTHER						
GUADALAJARA	005	28620	28620	28620	28620	17792	17792	
MATAMOROS	556	SAME AS OTHER						
MERIDA	557	SAME AS OTHER						
MEXICO CITY	455	40548	40548	39361	36900	34403	34403	
MONTERREY	500	28620	28620	28620	28620	25762	25762	
NOGALES	558	SAME AS OTHER						
NUEVO LAREDO	559	SAME AS OTHER						
TIJUANA	560	SAME AS OTHER						
VERACRUZ	015	SAME AS OTHER						
OTHER	999	15775	15775	15775	13123	12565	12565	
	LOCALITY							E2/E1
LOCALITY	CODE	E9	E8	E7	E6	E5	E4	E3
MEXICO:	MX							
CUIDAD JUAREZ	555	SAME AS OTHER						
GUADALAJARA	005	28620	28620	28620	28620	17792	15476	15476
MATAMOROS	556	SAME AS OTHER						
MERIDA	557	SAME AS OTHER						
MEXICO CITY	455	39361	36900	36900	36900	34403	29927	29927
MONTERREY	500	28620	28620	28620	28620	25762	23851	23851
NOGALES	558	SAME AS OTHER						
NUEVO LAREDO	559	SAME AS OTHER						
TIJUANA	560	SAME AS OTHER						
VERACRUZ	015	SAME AS OTHER						
OTHER	999	15775	13123	13123	13123	12565	10936	10936

COUNTRY: (MA) MOROCCO
RATE OF EXCHANGE: \$0.116863

CHANGE CODE(S): X

COUNTRY: (NI) NICARAGUA

CHANGE CODE(S): D

Utility Allowance adjusted to 16439 Cordoba Oro, MIHA Miscellaneous adjusted to 21247 Cordoba Oro for all personnel in Nicaragua

COUNTRY: (NO) NORWAY

CHANGE CODE(S): X

RATE OF EXCHANGE: \$0.171174

COUNTRY: (PE) PERU

CHANGE CODE(S): X

RATE OF EXCHANGE: \$0.375714

				O3E/	O2E/O1E/			
	LOCALITY		W5/	W3/W4/	W2/	W1/		
LOCALITY	CODE	O6	O5	O4	O3	O2	O1	
PERU:	PE							
LIMA	005	10646	8251	8251	7433	6081	6081	
OTHER	999	668	668	668	533	533	533	
	LOCALITY							E2/E1
LOCALITY	CODE	E9	E8	E7	E6	E5	E4	E3
PERU:	PE							
LIMA	005	8251	7433	7433	7433	6081	5323	5323
OTHER	999	668	533	533	533	533	533	533

COUNTRY: (PH) PHILIPPINES

CHANGE CODE(S): X

RATE OF EXCHANGE: \$0.024191

				O3E/	O2E/O1E/			
	LOCALITY		W5/	W3/W4/	W2/	W1/		
LOCALITY	CODE	O6	O5	O4	O3	O2	O1	
PHILIPPINES:	PH							
METROPOLITAN MANILA (INCL RIZAL PROV)(FOR MEMBERS WITH RENTAL ADVANCES)	701	147742	147742	147742	124634	121987	121987	
	LOCALITY							E2/E1
LOCALITY	CODE	E9	E8	E7	E6	E5	E4	E3
PHILIPPINES:	PH							
METROPOLITAN MANILA (INCL RIZAL PROV)(FOR MEMBERS WITH RENTAL ADVANCES)	701	147742	124634	124634	124634	121987	106128	106128

COUNTRY: (RU) RUSSIA

CHANGE CODE(S): X

RATE OF EXCHANGE: \$0.031969

COUNTRY: (ZA) SOUTH AFRICA

CHANGE CODE(S): D

				O3E/	O2E/O1E/			
	LOCALITY		W5/	W3/W4/	W2/	W1/		
LOCALITY	CODE	O6	O5	O4	O3	O2	O1	
	ZA							
JOHANNESBURG	005	SAME AS OTHER						
PRETORIA	100	SAME AS OTHER						
OTHER	999	6470	6470	6470	6470	6470	6470	

	LOCALITY							E2/E1
LOCALITY	CODE	E9	E8	E7	E6	E5	E4	E3
	ZA							
JOHANNESBURG	005	SAME AS OTHER						
PRETORIA	100	SAME AS OTHER						
OTHER	999	6470	6470	6470	6470	6470	6470	6470

COUNTRY: (ES) SPAIN

CHANGE CODE(S): D

				O3E/	O2E/O1E/			
	LOCALITY		W5/	W3/W4/	W2/	W1/		
LOCALITY	CODE	O6	O5	O4	O3	O2	O1	
SPAIN:	ES							
CADIZ	005	SAME AS ROTA						
GRANADA	014	1400	1400	N/C	N/C	N/C	N/C	
ROTA	019	2200	2200	2100	N/C	N/C	N/C	
	LOCALITY							E2/E1
LOCALITY	CODE	E9	E8	E7	E6	E5	E4	E3
SPAIN:	ES							
CADIZ	005	SAME AS ROTA						
MORON AB	018	N/C	N/C	N/C	N/C	N/C	850	850
ROTA	019	2100	N/C	N/C	N/C	N/C	N/C	N/C

COUNTRY: (SE) SWEDEN

CHANGE CODE(S): X

RATE OF EXCHANGE: \$0.151172

COUNTRY: (TN) TUNISIA

CHANGE CODE(S): X

RATE OF EXCHANGE: \$0.611546

COUNTRY: (UZ) UZBEKISTAN

CHANGE CODE(S): X

RATE OF EXCHANGE: \$0.000477

COUNTRY: (VE) VENEZUELA

CHANGE CODE(S): X

RATE OF EXCHANGE: \$0.155077

				O3E/	O2E/O1E/			
	LOCALITY		W5/	W3/W4/	W2/	W1/		
LOCALITY	CODE	O6	O5	O4	O3	O2	O1	
VENEZUELA:	VE							
CARACAS	001	31255	31255	28917	27132	23444	23444	
OTHER	999	7435	7435	7162	5734	4551	4551	
	LOCALITY							E2/E1
LOCALITY	CODE	E9	E8	E7	E6	E5	E4	E3
VENEZUELA:	VE							
CARACAS	001	28917	27132	27132	27132	23444	23444	23444
OTHER	999	7162	5734	5734	5734	4551	3954	3954

SECTION C

EXCHANGE RATE INFORMATION:

CHANGES TO ALLOWANCES ARE BASED ON VALUE FLUCTUATIONS OF FOREIGN MONETARY UNITS IN RELATION TO THE U.S. DOLLAR. EXCHANGE RATES USED BY THE COMMITTEE FOLLOW:

LOCALITY	FROM	TO
ARGENTINA	5.2	5.245
CHILE	471.88	467.58
COLOMBIA	1854.8	1841
CROATIA (COLA)	5.802	5.755
EGYPT	6.973	7.013
GAMBIA	34.9	36
GHANA	1.8924	1.9683
ICELAND	113.81	112.95
ISRAEL	3.6031	3.5267
JAPAN	98.26	97.16
JERUSALEM	3.6031	3.5267
JORDAN	0.7091	0.7038
KENYA	82.43	82.68
KOREA	1106.7	1074.5
KYRGYZSTAN	46.7	48.167
MEXICO	12.08	11.926
MOROCCO	8.579	8.557
NORWAY	5.841	5.842
PERU	2.617	2.6616
PHILIPPINES	40.383	41.338
RUSSIA	31.97	31.28
SEYCHELLES	11.259	11.445
SOUTH SUDAN	2.9	3
SWEDEN	6.354	6.615
TUNISIA	1.6185	1.6352
UZBEKISTAN	2032.6	2097.7
VENEZUELA	6.7438	6.4484

EXCHANGE RATE (TO 1 DLR U.S.)

SECTION D

REVIEWS OF DATA LEADING TO NO CHANGE IN THE ALLOWANCE:

COUNTRY: (BZ) BELIZE CHANGE CODE(S): N
Utility Allowance and MIHA miscellaneous are unchanged for Belize based on data review.

COUNTRY: (CO) COLOMBIA CHANGE CODE(S): N
COLA index is unchanged for Colombia based on data review.

COUNTRY: (SG) SINGAPORE CHANGE CODE(S): N
Rental Allowances are unchanged for Singapore based on data review.

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ADDITIONAL NOTES:

1. ALLOWANCE CHANGES ARE ALSO AVAILABLE FROM TWO OTHER SOURCES: THE NORMAL TRANSACTION FILE, DISPATCHED TO ALL DFAS FINANCE CENTERS VIA DEFENSE TRAVEL MANAGEMENT OFFICE (DTMO); AND THE DTMO WEBSITE (<http://www.defensetravel.dod.mil/site/stationall.cfm>). THOSE OFFICES AND ORGANIZATIONS NOT ABLE TO RECEIVE ALLOWANCE CHANGES VIA EITHER MODE MENTIONED ABOVE SHOULD ACCESS THE DATA THROUGH THEIR NORMAL FINANCE CENTER ORGANIZATION OR PARENT AGENCY.
2. WHERE PRACTICAL, ONLY LOCALITIES WHICH WERE REVIEWED ARE LISTED. LOCALITIES NOT LISTED REMAIN UNCHANGED. NO LISTING IS DELETED UNLESS SPECIFICALLY STATED.
3. COST-OF-LIVING AND OVERSEAS HOUSING ALLOWANCE (OHA) CHANGE CODE SYMBOLS ARE: 'D' (CHANGES BASED ON NEW COST DATA), 'N' (NO CHANGES BASED ON NEW COST DATA) AND 'X' (CHANGES BASED ON A FOREIGN EXCHANGE RATE ADJUSTMENT)
4. DATA CHANGES TO COST-OF-LIVING ALLOWANCES ARE BASED ON REVIEW OF RETAIL PRICE SCHEDULES RECEIVED FROM THE DEPARTMENT OF STATE OR FROM COMMANDS.
5. DATA CHANGES TO OHA RENTAL ALLOWANCES ARE BASED ON REVIEW OF DFAS FINANCE CENTER DATA AND/OR SUPPLEMENTAL DATA FROM COMMANDS; CHANGES TO UTILITY/RECURRING MAINTENANCE, AND TO MOVE-IN HOUSING (MIHA)/MISCELLANEOUS ALLOWANCES ARE BASED ON REVIEW OF HOUSING SURVEYS SUBMITTED BY PERSONNEL.