

CONDITIONS OF SERVICE

Grade: A3

(The general conditions of service are set out in the WCO Staff Manual, a copy of which has been issued to all Member Administrations.)

Emoluments

As of 1 July 2023, the A3 monthly salary scale will be € 7,768.59 to € 10,502.69 (11 steps).

In addition, where conditions are met, a Basic Family Allowance (BFA) and an expatriation allowance of 10 % of the basic salary calculated on the first step of the grade during the first five years, then reduced to zero over five years, will be paid. Dependants' and education allowances are available and there are sickness and life insurance schemes in place. Officials and their dependants are entitled to the reimbursement of home leave travel expenses (economy class) every two years.

All emoluments are free of tax.

Terminal Allowance

A deduction of 9 % is made from the official's salary as a contribution towards the terminal allowance. This allowance is equal to 3 times the official's contributions during the last 12 months of service multiplied by the number of years of service.

By way of example, the monthly net pay of an expatriate official, married with two young children, would be around € 8,878.90; and on leaving the service after five years, he would be entitled to a terminal allowance of approximately € 140,025.60.

Duration of appointment

Five years. The first six months of service will be a probationary period.

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