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Each Health Board

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Each Public Voluntary Hospital  
and Joint Hospital Board

Chief Officer  
Each Mental Handicap & Specialist Agency

DEPARTMENT  
OF HEALTH AND  
CHILDREN

**Revision of Remuneration of Maintenance Craftsmen Under the Partnership 2000 for  
Inclusion, Employment and Competitiveness.**

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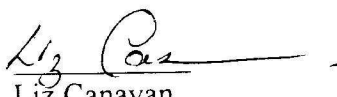
I am directed by the Minister for Health and Children to refer to the Annex to the Agreement on Pay and Conditions of Employment between the Irish Congress of Trade Unions and Employers Organisations which forms part of Partnership 2000 for Inclusion, Employment and Competitiveness with regard to Maintenance Craftsmen.

In accordance with Clause 3 of the Annex, sanction is hereby given for the implementation of Phase II of the Agreement i.e. an increase of 2.25% of basic weekly pay with effect from 1 July 1998. Full details of the revised payscales are provided overleaf.

Agencies are reminded that no offers or commitments whatever can be made at any stage with regard to special increases, or for improvements or in conditions of employment of any grade, group or individual, without prior consultation with the Department.

Any queries in relation to this circular or the pay scales should be addressed to the Personnel Management and Development Unit. Telephone enquiries may be made at (01) 6354040/6354041.

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**CRAFTSMEN, CRAFTSMEN'S MATES AND SUPERVISORY CRAFTSMEN**  
**FROM 1ST JULY 1998**

	<b><u>CRAFTSMEN</u></b>	<b><u>CRAFTSMEN'S MATES</u></b>	<b><u>CHARGEHAND</u></b>
On recruitment	263.92	211.15	283.72
after 0.5 years	268.15	214.52	288.24
after 1.5 years	270.20	216.17	290.47
after 2.5 years	272.47	217.98	292.92
after 3.5 years	274.56	219.65	295.15
after 4.5 years	275.70	220.55	296.37
after 5.5 years	276.75	221.40	297.50
after 6.5 years	277.85	222.28	298.69
after 7.5 years	278.95	223.15	299.86
after 8.5 years	280.68	224.54	301.73
after 9.5 years	282.03	225.62	303.16
after 10.5 years	285.26	228.21	306.67
	<b><u>ASSISTANT FOREMAN</u></b>	<b><u>FOREMAN</u></b>	
On recruitment	296.92	316.70	
after 0.5 years	301.66	321.78	
after 1.5 years	303.98	324.24	
after 2.5 years	306.54	326.96	
after 3.5 years	308.88	329.47	
after 4.5 years	310.17	330.84	
after 5.5 years	311.35	332.10	
after 6.5 years	312.58	333.44	
after 7.5 years	313.80	334.72	
after 8.5 years	315.76	336.81	
after 9.5 years	317.27	338.45	
after 10.5 years	320.92	342.33	