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Chief Executive Officer
Each Health Board

DEPARTMENT
OF HEALTH
11, POINTE
DUBLIN 1

Revision of Remuneration of Ambulance Personnel

A Chara,

I am directed by the Minister for Health & Children to refer to the remuneration of Ambulance Personnel and to convey sanction to the application of an increase of 2.5% on the first £200 of basic weekly pay (£10,436 in annual terms) for these grades with effect from 1 July 1997 under the Partnership 2000. Details of this increase are outlined in circular 40/97 issued by the Department. Details of revised pay scales for 1 July 1997 are given overleaf.

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

Your 1997 allocation will be adjusted, on the basis of figures agreed with the Finance Unit, to take account of the cost of the increase from 1 July 1997. Details of actual cost of implementation should be incorporated into appendix 1 of circular 40/97 referred to above and returned to the Department's Finance Unit.

Any queries in relation to pay scales for these grades should be addressed to the Department's Personnel Unit (01) 6714711 extn. 2423/2441.

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Liz Canavan
Personnel Management & Development

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	<u>01-Jan-97</u>	<u>01-Jul-97</u>
<i>Controller</i>	11,600	11,861
	12,086	12,347
	12,571	12,832
	13,058	13,319
	13,544	13,805
	14,030	14,291
	14,517	14,778
	15,005	15,266
<i>Driver</i>	11,355	11,616
	11,680	11,941
	12,005	12,266
	12,328	12,589
	12,653	12,914
	12,977	13,238
	13,303	13,564
	13,673	13,934
<i>Attendant</i>	11,014	11,275
	11,329	11,590
	11,644	11,905
	11,958	12,219
	12,275	12,536
	12,587	12,848
	12,903	13,164
	13,262	13,523