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THE DIRECTOR-GENERAL FOR RESOURCE MANAGEMENT OF THE EUROPEAN  
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Having regard to the Decision ADMIN(2017) 28, of 21 December 2017, of the Director-General for Budget and Administration of the European External Action Service, on the Rules related to Traineeships in the Delegations of the European Union, in particular Article 8(3) thereof,

Whereas:

- (1) Pursuant to Article 8(3) of the Decision ADMIN(2017) 28, of 21 December 2017, of the Director-General for Budget and Administration of the European External Action Service, the amount of the grant awarded to paid trainees in the Delegations of the European Union represents 25% of the monthly basic salary of a local agent in Function Group I in the respective country and its maximum amount is limited to 25% of the basic remuneration for an EU official in grade AD 5 step 1. Moreover, in accordance with this provision, the table (Annex III) with the amount of the monthly grant shall be updated once a year, taking into account the evolution of salaries of local agents in a specific country.
- (2) It is appropriate to update the amount of the grant awarded to paid trainees in the Delegations of the European Union according to the evolution of the basic monthly remuneration of local agents fixed on 31 October 2024,

HAS DECIDED AS FOLLOWS:

#### *Article 1*

A fixed monthly grant in EUR is awarded to the paid trainees pursuant to Article 8(3) of Decision ADMIN(2017)28, of 21 December 2017, of the Director-General for Budget and Administration of the European External Action Service, according to the respective country, as indicated in the Annex.

#### *Article 2*

This Decision shall enter into force on 1<sup>st</sup> January 2025.

Done at Brussels, 22 November 2024.



*Kristin de PEYRON*  
Director-General for Resource  
Management

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## ANNEX

List of countries for which the amount of the monthly grant awarded to trainees has been updated – Exercise 2025

### **Countries for which the amount of the monthly grant has increased:**

ALBANIA	700
ALGERIA	700
BURKINA FASO	800
EGYPT	700
ESWATINI	700
FIJI	700
HONDURAS	800
KYRGYZSTAN	500
LESOTHO	600
MALAYSIA	700
MALI	900
MOLDOVA	700
NIGERIA	600
NORTH MACEDONIA	700
NORWAY	1300
PAKISTAN	500
RUSSIA	700
SOUTH AFRICA	1000
SRI LANKA	500
TAIWAN	900
THAILAND	1200
TUNISIA	600

### **Countries for which the amount of the monthly grant has decreased**

BARBADOS	1200
BRAZIL	800
CANADA	1100
CHILE	900
COSTA RICA	900
GHANA	300
GUATEMALA	900
GUYANA	600
JORDAN	900
KAZAKHSTAN	600
MEXICO	900
PAPUA NEW GUINEA	700
PARAGUAY	700
PERU	900
TANZANIA	600
TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO	1000
UKRAINE	900
YEMEN (in Jordan)	900
ZAMBIA	500

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Summary table of the amount of the monthly grant awarded to trainees in Delegations of European Union by country<sup>1</sup>

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<sup>1</sup> Replaces Annex III to Decision ADMIN(2017) 28, of 21 December 2017, of the Director-General for Budget and Administration of the European External Action Service, on the Rules related to Traineeships in the Delegations of the European Union.

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1300 EUR/month	1200 EUR/month	1100 EUR/month	1000 EUR/month	900 EUR/month	800 EUR/month	700 EUR/month	600 EUR/month	500 EUR/month	400 EUR/month	300 EUR/month
ANGOLA	BARBADOS	CANADA	AFGHANISTAN	AZERBAIJAN	ARMENIA	ALBANIA	BANGLADESH	KYRGYZSTAN	BURUNDI	GAMBIA
AUSTRALIA	CONGO DEM. REP. (Kinshasa)	CENTRAL AFRICAN REPUBLIC	ARGENTINA	CHILE	BRAZIL	ALGERIA	BELARUS	LAOS	CUBA	GHANA
AUSTRIA-UN IAEA OSCE	ISRAEL	CHINA	BOLIVIA	CONGO REP (Brazzaville)	BURKINA FASO	BENIN	BOTSWANA	MAURITANIA		MADAGASCAR
FRANCE	LEBANON	JAPAN	PANAMA	COSTA RICA	DJIBOUTI	BOSNIA HERZEGOVINA	CAPE VERDE	NEPAL		SIERRA LEONE
HONG-KONG	MOZAMBIQUE	MOROCCO	SENEGAL	ECUADOR	HONDURAS	BURMA/MYANMAR	ERITREA	NICARAGUA		
ICELAND	NEW CALEDONIA	SOUTH SUDAN	SERBIA	EL SALVADOR	KENYA	CAMBODIA	GEORGIA	PAKISTAN		
IRAQ	NEW ZEALAND		SOUTH AFRICA	GABON	LIBERIA	CAMEROON	GUINEA REPUBLIC	RWANDA		
ITALY-ROME	SYRIA (in Lebanon)		TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO	GUATEMALA	LIBYA	CHAD	GUINEA-BISSAU	SRI LANKA		
KUWAIT	THAILAND		VENEZUELA	IVORY COAST	MALAWI	COLOMBIA	GUYANA	TAJKISTAN		
NORWAY	ZIMBABWE			JORDAN	MONTENEGRO	DOMINICAN REPUBLIC	INDIA	TIMOR-LESTE		
QATAR				MALI	SOMALIA (in Kenya)	EGYPT	KAZAKHSTAN	TURKMENISTAN		
SAUDI ARABIA				MEXICO	TÜRKIYE	ESWATINI	KOSOVO	ZAMBIA		
SINGAPORE				PERU	VIETNAM	ETHIOPIA	LESOTHO			
SOUTH KOREA				TAIWAN		ETHIOPIA (AU)	MAURITIUS			
SWITZERLAND				UGANDA		FIJI	MONGOLIA			
SWITZERLAND UN / WTO				UKRAINE		HAITI	NAMIBIA			
U.S.A. - UN, NEW YORK				YEMEN (in Jordan)		INDONESIA	NIGERIA			
U.S.A. - WASHINGTON						JAMAICA	PHILIPPINES			
UNITED ARAB EMIRATES						MALAYSIA	TANZANIA			
UNITED KINGDOM						MOLDOVA	TOGO			
URUGUAY						NIGER	TUNISIA			
WEST BANK & GAZA STRIP						NORTH MACEDONIA				
						PAPUA NEW GUINEA				
						PARAGUAY				
						RUSSIA				
						SUDAN				
						UZBEKISTAN				

