

JOINT NEGOTIATING COUNCIL FOR THE EDUCATION AND LIBRARY BOARDS

24 March 2009

**To: Chief Executives
Council Members
MSO/TUSO**

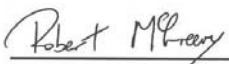
Joint Negotiating Council Circular No. 157 – Addendum

REVISION OF FIRST AID ALLOWANCE

Further to NJC Circular 2/08, the Arbitration Panel has awarded an additional 0.30% to settle the 2008 pay dispute. The Joint Secretaries of the Joint Negotiating Council have agreed that the First Aid Allowance paid to Designated First Aiders should be revised in line with the recent NJC settlement as follows:-


With effect from 1 April 2008	£286 per annum (pro rata)
With effect from 1 April 2008¹	£287 per annum (pro rata)


This reflects the agreed percentage increase in the pay bill for 2008/09 of 2.75%.


Management Side Secretary
R McGreevy


Trade Union Side Secretary
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E Coy


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¹ Including additional 0.30% awarded by the Arbitration Panel