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cc: **Ms Laverne McGuinness, National Director, PCCC**
Ms Norah Mason, Assistant National Director for Employee Relations

Re: **Travel Allowance/Psychiatric Nurses – Castlereagh Formula**

The travel allowance payable to psychiatric nurses under the terms of the agreement on the transfer of psychiatric services to community based facilities falls to be reviewed from time to time by reference to changes in the Consumer Price Index.

Following review, approval may be assumed for the implementation of the following revised rates with effect from 1st January 2008:

Less than 8 miles	Nil
8 – 18 miles	€6.14 per day
19 – 28 miles	€8.62 per day
19 – 38 miles	€11.21 per day
39 miles and over	Pro rata per mile at 1/38th of €11.21

The conditions under which such payments may be made remain unchanged.

Any queries in relation to this matter should be addressed to Mr Gerry Bellew, Senior Industrial Relations Executive, HSE Employers Agency, 63-64 Adelaide Rd, Dublin 2 tel: 01-6626966.

Yours sincerely,

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