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**SNCT 19/69****Distant Islands Allowance**

Dear Colleague

It has been agreed that the Distant Islands Allowance payable to teachers employed by island councils or whose place of employment is on any of the islands listed in Part 2, Appendix 2.5, Paragraph 1.6 of the SNCT Handbook should be increased to £2,157 per annum with effect from 1 October 2018.

The attachment replaces Part 2: Appendix 2.5, Annex A, Allowances, of the SNCT Handbook of Conditions of Service.

Holders of the Handbook should remove the existing Annex A and insert the attached in its place.

Yours sincerely

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Stephanie Walsh (Scottish Government)

**Joint Secretaries**