DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC OF TIMOR-LESTE Decree-Law No. 48/2011

Amends the Salary Regime of the Timor-Leste National Police

The amendment introduced into PNTL Salary Regime by article 2 of Decree-Law No. 13/2010 of 26 August, as approved by Decree-Law No. 10/2009 of 18 February which established the Supplement for the Middle- and Senior-Level Management, provides that such Supplement shall only apply to officers exercising functions at the General Command level, thereby leaving outside those PNTL officers exercising similar functions in other units. The need therefore arises to correct such Decree-Law.

Thus,

Pursuant to article 115.3 of the Constitution of the Republic, the Government enacts the following, to have the force of law:

Article 1

Article 12 – A of Decree-Law No. 10/2009 of 18 February, as amended by Decree-Law No. 13/2010 of 26 August, shall now read as follows:

Article 12 – A Supplement for Middle- and Senior-Level Management

1. The supplement for the Middle- and Senior-Level Management shall be the remuneratory compensation for responsibilities inherent to the exercise of functions pertaining to middle- and senior-level management by a PNTL office duly appointed for the respective position as provided for in the PNTL organic structure.

2. The supplement shall be paid monthly and shall be conditional upon the effective exercise of the functions.

3. In the cases of annual leave, sick leave or other type of leave, PNTL officers shall not be entitled to payment of supplement for middle- and senior level management.

4. The supplement for officers at the command level shall be equivalent to 15 per cent of the basic remuneration for a level 1 PNTL officer.

5. Payments of the supplement for middle- and senior-level management shall start after the PNTL structure has been implemented and following a ministerial statute form the relevant Government member.

Article 2

Entry into force

This statute shall enter into force on the day immediately after its publication.

Approved by the Council of Ministers on 17 August 2011.

The Prime Minister, Kay Rala Xanana Gusmão

The Minister for Defense and Security, Kay Rala Xanana Gusmão

Enacted on 18 / 10 / 2011

For publication

The President of the Republic,

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