



UNITED NATIONS STAFF UNION
SYNDICAT DU PERSONNEL DE L'ORGANISATION DES NATIONS UNIES
44th STAFF COUNCIL/ 44^{ème} CONSEIL DU PERSONNEL

Resolution/Résolution

Resolution No.: 17

Meeting No.: 34

Date: 19 April 2012

Participation of the United Nations Staff Union in the 1st Session of the Staff-Management Committee, Arusha, Tanzania, 13–22 June 2012

The Staff Council,

Recognizing the importance of the first meeting of the Staff-Management Committee (SMC), to take place in Arusha, Tanzania, 13-22 June 2012;

Taking into account that the expenses related to the participation of the two highest ranking officials of the United Nations Staff Union (UNSU) at the 1st session of the SMC will be covered by the Administration;

Bearing in mind the need to build expertise on the various issues dealt with by the Union;

Recognizing that the proposals to be presented to the General Assembly on staff-related issues, including recommendations for a comprehensive policy on mobility, will be decided upon during the 1st session of the SMC;

The Staff Council hereby

Decides to designate Ms Ramona Kohrs, member of the joint staff working group on the Administration of Justice, to attend the 1st Session of the SMC as an advisor to the UNSU representative and alternate representative;

Also decides to designate one additional participant who is knowledgeable in key areas of the agenda, namely salary surveys, mobility, administration of justice, performance management and the staff-management consultation machinery, to be nominated by the Staff Council, to act as advisor to the UNSU representative and alternate representative to the 1st session of the SMC ;

Further decides to authorize, upon presentation of proper documentation, and based on the enclosed estimated budget, a total amount of up to \$ 30,000.00 from the Staff Union Regular Fund for the payment of travel and other related costs for the participants;

Finally requests the Leadership to address the appropriate UN Authorities so that, for attendance purposes, the participants are considered to be on official mission for the duration of the meeting.

Adopted	YES
For	11
Against	0
Abstention	2

Annex: Business Trip Budget
1st Session of the SMC, Arusha, Tanzania, 13-22 June 2012
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Estimated trip budget for five participants	\$						Total
Air travel	Ramona Kohrs	\$ 9,100.00	for	1	\$ 9,100.00	\$ 9,100.00	
	Additional participant	\$ 9,100.00	for	1	\$ 9,100.00	\$ 9,100.00	
DSA (Arusha \$152.00 per day as per April 2012)	Ramona Kohrs	\$ 152.00	for	13	\$ 1,976.00	\$ 1,976.00	
	Additional participant	\$ 152.00	for	13	\$ 1,976.00	\$ 1,976.00	
Terminal Expenses	Total TE	\$ 202.00	for	1	NY + Arusha	\$ 202.00	
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Total estimated cost						\$ 22,556.00	
Total possible savings						\$ 7,444.00	

Travel dates: **10-23 June 2012**