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INTERNATIONAL COMMITTEE FOR WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

METRE CONVENTION

(20 May 1875)

**NOTIFICATION
OF THE CONTRIBUTIVE PARTS**

DUE BY GOVERNMENTS OF THE HIGH CONTRACTING PARTIES
FOR THE MAINTENANCE OF THE BUREAU INTERNATIONAL DES POIDS ET MESURES

AND OF SUBSCRIPTIONS

DUE BY ASSOCIATE STATES OR ECONOMIES OF THE CGPM
IN 2015



DOTATION OF THE BIPM

At its 24th meeting (Paris, October 2011), the General Conference on Weights and Measures (CGPM) adopted Resolution 3 on the annual dotation of the International Bureau of Weights and Measures (BIPM) for the years 2013 to 2015, which sets it as follows:

| | |
|-------|-------------------|
| 2013: | 11 577 000 Euros |
| 2014: | 11 693 000 Euros |
| 2015: | 11 810 000 Euros. |

CONTRIBUTIVE PARTS IN 2015

The bureau of the International Committee for Weights and Measures (CIPM) has the honour to send Member States the table of the contributive parts for 2015 (as given on the following page).

The repartition of the dotation for 2015 is based on the Scale of Assessments for the apportionment of the expenses adopted by the United Nations (UN) General Assembly in December 2012 for the years 2013 to 2015.

Those Member States marked with an asterisk in the Table of the repartition of the dotation pay the maximum or minimum contribution. Except for these States, the repartition percentage is calculated by multiplying the UN scale by 1.201.

The contribution of the Dominican Republic for 2013 is divided in accordance with the provisions of Article 6 paragraph 6 of the Regulations annexed to the Metre Convention and with the rescheduling agreement signed between the Government of the Dominican Republic and the International Committee for Weights and Measures on 1 August 2012.

PAYMENT TERMS

The CIPM bureau recalls that, according to Article 10 of the Metre Convention, the contributive parts shall be paid *at the beginning of each year*. Drawn up in Euros, they are paid in Euros, or in any other currency convertible to Euros.

Payment of the contributions can be made:

- **by cheque** payable to the Bureau international des poids et mesures,

- **by bank transfer** to the BIPM bank account **at HSBC**, 103 avenue des Champs Elysées F-75419 PARIS CEDEX 08:

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|------------------------|--------------------|---|-------------|
| Bank code: 30056 | Branch code: 00006 | Account number: 0006 370 0020 | RIB key: 20 |
| SWIFT code: CCF RF RPP | | IBAN: FR76 3005 6000 0600 0637 0002 020 | |

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|-------------------------|--------------------|---|-------------|
| Bank code: 20041 | Branch code: 00001 | Account number: 02 829 26J 020 | RIB key: 55 |
| SWIFT code: PSSTFRPPPAR | | IBAN: FR40 2004 1000 0102 8292 6J02 055 | |

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The Secretary,

R. KAARLS

Zoeterwoude, The Netherlands, 3 December 2014

The President,

B. INGLIS

Lane Cove, NSW, Australia, 3 December 2014

TABLE OF REPARTITION OF THE DOTATION FOR 2015

| <i>Member States</i> | UN Scale for 2013-2015 (percentage) | Repartition percentage | Contribution based on 11 810 000 Euros | Repartition Dominican Republic 2013** | Net contribution for 2015 (Euros) |
|--|---|---------------------------|--|---|---|
| Argentina..... | 0.432 | 0.52 | 61 412 | 288 | 61 700 |
| Australia..... | 2.074 | 2.49 | 294 069 | 1 377 | 295 446 |
| Austria..... | 0.798 | 0.96 | 113 376 | 531 | 113 907 |
| Belgium..... | 0.998 | 1.20 | 141 720 | 664 | 142 384 |
| Brazil..... | 2.934 | 3.52 | 415 712 | 1 947 | 417 659 |
| Bulgaria *..... | 0.047 | 0.48 | 56 688 | 265 | 56 953 |
| Canada..... | 2.984 | 3.58 | 422 798 | 1 980 | 424 778 |
| Chile *..... | 0.334 | 0.48 | 56 688 | 265 | 56 953 |
| China..... | 5.148 | 6.18 | 729 858 | 3 418 | 733 276 |
| Croatia *..... | 0.126 | 0.48 | 56 688 | 265 | 56 953 |
| Czech Republic *..... | 0.386 | 0.48 | 56 688 | 265 | 56 953 |
| Denmark..... | 0.675 | 0.81 | 95 661 | 448 | 96 109 |
| Dominican Republic *..... | 0.045 | 0.48 | 56 688 | 265 | 56 953 |
| Egypt *..... | 0.134 | 0.48 | 56 688 | 265 | 56 953 |
| Finland..... | 0.519 | 0.62 | 73 222 | 343 | 73 565 |
| France..... | 5.593 | 6.72 | 793 632 | 3 716 | 797 348 |
| Germany..... | 7.141 | 8.57 | 1 012 117 | 4 740 | 1 016 857 |
| Greece..... | 0.638 | 0.77 | 90 937 | 426 | 91 363 |
| Hungary *..... | 0.266 | 0.48 | 56 688 | 265 | 56 953 |
| India..... | 0.666 | 0.80 | 94 480 | 442 | 94 922 |
| Indonesia *..... | 0.346 | 0.48 | 56 688 | 265 | 56 953 |
| Iran (Islamic Republic of) *..... | 0.356 | 0.48 | 56 688 | 265 | 56 953 |
| Ireland..... | 0.418 | 0.50 | 59 050 | 277 | 59 327 |
| Israel *..... | 0.396 | 0.48 | 56 688 | 265 | 56 953 |
| Italy..... | 4.448 | 5.34 | 630 654 | 2 953 | 633 607 |
| Japan *..... | 10.833 | 9.53 | 1 125 493 | 5 271 | 1 130 764 |
| Kazakhstan *..... | 0.121 | 0.48 | 56 688 | 265 | 56 953 |
| Kenya *..... | 0.013 | 0.48 | 56 688 | 265 | 56 953 |
| Malaysia *..... | 0.281 | 0.48 | 56 688 | 265 | 56 953 |
| Mexico..... | 1.842 | 2.21 | 261 001 | 1 222 | 262 223 |
| Netherlands..... | 1.654 | 1.99 | 235 019 | 1 101 | 236 120 |
| New Zealand *..... | 0.253 | 0.48 | 56 688 | 265 | 56 953 |
| Norway..... | 0.851 | 1.02 | 120 462 | 564 | 121 026 |
| Pakistan *..... | 0.085 | 0.48 | 56 688 | 265 | 56 953 |
| Poland..... | 0.921 | 1.11 | 131 091 | 614 | 131 705 |
| Portugal..... | 0.474 | 0.57 | 67 317 | 315 | 67 632 |
| Republic of Korea..... | 1.994 | 2.39 | 282 259 | 1 322 | 283 581 |
| Romania *..... | 0.226 | 0.48 | 56 688 | 265 | 56 953 |
| Russian Federation..... | 2.438 | 2.93 | 346 033 | 1 620 | 347 653 |
| Saudi Arabia..... | 0.864 | 1.04 | 122 824 | 575 | 123 399 |
| Serbia *..... | 0.040 | 0.48 | 56 688 | 265 | 56 953 |
| Singapore *..... | 0.384 | 0.48 | 56 688 | 265 | 56 953 |
| Slovakia *..... | 0.171 | 0.48 | 56 688 | 265 | 56 953 |
| South Africa *..... | 0.372 | 0.48 | 56 688 | 265 | 56 953 |
| Spain..... | 2.973 | 3.57 | 421 617 | 1 974 | 423 591 |
| Sweden..... | 0.960 | 1.15 | 135 815 | 636 | 136 451 |
| Switzerland..... | 1.047 | 1.26 | 148 806 | 697 | 149 503 |
| Thailand *..... | 0.239 | 0.48 | 56 688 | 265 | 56 953 |
| Turkey..... | 1.328 | 1.59 | 187 779 | 879 | 188 658 |
| United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland..... | 5.179 | 6.22 | 734 582 | 3 440 | 738 022 |
| United States of America *..... | 22.000 | 9.53 | 1 125 493 | 5 271 | 1 130 764 |
| Uruguay *..... | 0.052 | 0.48 | 56 688 | 265 | 56 953 |
| Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of)..... | 0.627 | 0.75 | 88 575 | 415 | 88 990 |
| Total..... | | 100.00 | 11 810 000 | 55 305 | 11 865 305 |
| <i>States having acceded to the Metre Convention after the 24th meeting of the CGPM (2011)</i> | | | | | |
| Colombia *..... | 0.259 | 0.48 | 56 688 | | 56 688 |
| Iraq *..... | 0.068 | 0.48 | 56 688 | | 56 688 |
| Tunisia *..... | 0.036 | 0.48 | 56 688 | 265 | 56 953 |
| Total..... | | | 11 980 063 | 55 570 | 12 035 633 |

* Member State paying the maximum or minimum contribution

** Contribution distributed amongst those states that were Member States on 1 January 2013

SUBSCRIPTIONS OF ASSOCIATE STATES AND ECONOMIES OF THE CGPM

In its Resolution 3 adopted at its 21st meeting (1999), the CGPM created the status of Associate of the General Conference and decided that Associate States and Economies shall pay an annual subscription determined by the Scale of Assessments for the apportionment of the expenses adopted by the UN General Assembly, as for Member States, but with a minimum equal to a set percentage of the annual dotation of the BIPM.

In its Resolution 4 adopted at its 24th meeting (2011), the CGPM increased the minimum percentage for Associate States to 0.1 % of the annual dotation of the BIPM. The CGPM also decided that after an initial five-year period following accession to the status of Associate of the CGPM, if the CIPM considers, on the basis of the criteria it has adopted, that it would be appropriate for the Associate State to become a Member State, the amount of the subscription for such an Associate will be progressively and irreversibly increased each year so that after five years it reaches an amount equivalent to 90 % of the annual contribution it would pay as a Member State. This disposition has been applied to the following Associate States: Albania, Belarus, Costa Rica, Cuba, Ecuador, Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Jamaica, Latvia, Lithuania, Panama, Republic of Moldova, Slovenia, Ukraine and Viet Nam.

**TABLE OF SUBSCRIPTIONS OF ASSOCIATE STATES AND ECONOMIES
OF THE CGPM FOR 2015**

| <i>Associate States and Economies</i> | UN Scale for 2013-2015 (percentage) | BIPM Coefficient for 2015 (percentage) | Net subscription for 2015 (Euros) |
|--|---|--|---|
| Albania..... | 0.010 | 0.166 | 19 652 |
| Bangladesh..... | 0.010 | 0.100 | 11 810 |
| Belarus..... | 0.056 | 0.299 | 35 336 |
| Bolivia (Plurinational State of)..... | 0.009 | 0.100 | 11 810 |
| Bosnia and Herzegovina..... | 0.017 | 0.100 | 11 810 |
| Botswana..... | 0.017 | 0.100 | 11 810 |
| CARICOM..... | 0.065 | 0.078 | 9 219 |
| Chinese Taipei..... | 0.297 | 0.357 | 42 114 |
| Costa Rica..... | 0.038 | 0.299 | 35 336 |
| Cuba..... | 0.069 | 0.299 | 35 336 |
| Ecuador..... | 0.044 | 0.299 | 35 336 |
| Estonia..... | 0.040 | 0.100 | 11 810 |
| Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia..... | 0.008 | 0.166 | 19 652 |
| Georgia..... | 0.007 | 0.100 | 11 810 |
| Ghana..... | 0.014 | 0.100 | 11 810 |
| Hong Kong (China)..... | 0.165 | 0.198 | 23 386 |
| Jamaica..... | 0.011 | 0.299 | 35 336 |
| Latvia..... | 0.047 | 0.299 | 35 336 |
| Lithuania..... | 0.073 | 0.299 | 35 336 |
| Luxembourg..... | 0.081 | 0.100 | 11 810 |
| Malta..... | 0.016 | 0.100 | 11 810 |
| Mauritius..... | 0.013 | 0.100 | 11 810 |
| Mongolia..... | 0.003 | 0.100 | 11 810 |
| Montenegro..... | 0.005 | 0.100 | 11 810 |
| Namibia..... | 0.010 | 0.100 | 11 810 |
| Oman..... | 0.102 | 0.123 | 14 467 |
| Panama..... | 0.026 | 0.299 | 35 336 |
| Paraguay..... | 0.010 | 0.100 | 11 810 |
| Peru..... | 0.117 | 0.141 | 16 595 |
| Philippines..... | 0.154 | 0.185 | 21 843 |
| Republic of Moldova..... | 0.003 | 0.166 | 19 652 |
| Seychelles..... | 0.001 | 0.100 | 11 810 |
| Slovenia..... | 0.100 | 0.307 | 36 285 |
| Sri Lanka..... | 0.025 | 0.100 | 11 810 |
| Sudan..... | 0.010 | 0.100 | 11 810 |
| Syrian Arab Republic..... | 0.036 | 0.100 | 11 810 |
| Ukraine..... | 0.099 | 0.307 | 36 228 |
| Viet Nam..... | 0.042 | 0.299 | 35 336 |
| Yemen..... | 0.010 | 0.100 | 11 810 |
| Zambia..... | 0.006 | 0.100 | 11 810 |
| Zimbabwe..... | 0.002 | 0.100 | 11 810 |
| Total..... | | 6.987 | 825 123 |