

STANDING COMMITTEE ON PROGRAMMES AND FINANCE

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PROPOSED ADJUSTMENT

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1. Through its Resolution No. 1372 of 27 November 2018, the Council authorized the Standing Committee on Programmes and Finance, during 2019, to adopt a scale of assessment for the year 2020, on the basis of an IOM assessment scale fully equated to that of the United Nations, as set forth in document SCPF/4 of 10 October 2007 and updated with the addition of new Member States.

Main principles and guidelines

2. Since 2009, the IOM assessment scale has been fully equated to the scale of the United Nations through the application of an equation factor, which equates the smaller number of IOM Member States to the larger United Nations membership.

3. The United Nations General Assembly adopted the assessment scale for 2019, 2020 and 2021 through resolution 73/271 of 22 December 2018, reaffirming the fundamental principle that the scale is established according to capacity to pay.

4. Owing to the timing of the issuance of the United Nations assessment scale, there is a one-year time lag in the application of the new scale in IOM. The United Nations scale for 2019 is therefore applied in IOM in 2020.

Proposed IOM assessment scale for 2020

5. As decided by the Council:

- (a) The 2020 assessment scale is fully equated to the United Nations assessment scale.
- (b) The 2020 assessment scale has been updated with the addition of new Member States admitted in 2018 and to date in 2019. Grenada, the Lao People's Democratic Republic and Palau joined the Organization on 29 June 2018, and Uzbekistan became a Member State on 15 March 2019, following submission of the instrument ratifying the IOM Constitution.

Recommendations

6. It is proposed that:

- (a) The assessment scale for the Administrative Part of the Budget for 2020, as shown in the annex (column 3) to this document, be adopted;
- (b) The Standing Committee review the matter of the assessment scale for 2021 during 2020.

Annex
Proposed IOM assessment scale for 2020

	2019 United Nations assessment scale	Current 2019 IOM assessment scale	Proposed 2020 IOM assessment scale	Change as compared with current IOM assessment scale
	%	%	%	%
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(3) - (2)
IOM MEMBER STATE				
Afghanistan	0.007	0.0065	0.0075	0.0010
Albania	0.008	0.0086	0.0086	
Algeria	0.138	0.1734	0.1476	(0.0258)
Angola	0.010	0.0108	0.0107	(0.0001)
Antigua and Barbuda	0.002	0.0022	0.0021	(0.0001)
Argentina	0.915	0.9604	0.9789	0.0185
Armenia	0.007	0.0065	0.0075	0.0010
Australia	2.210	2.5163	2.3643	(0.1520)
Austria	0.677	0.7752	0.7243	(0.0509)
Azerbaijan	0.049	0.0646	0.0524	(0.0122)
Bahamas	0.018	0.0151	0.0193	0.0042
Bangladesh	0.010	0.0108	0.0107	(0.0001)
Belarus	0.049	0.0603	0.0524	(0.0079)
Belgium	0.821	0.9529	0.8783	(0.0746)
Belize	0.001	0.0011	0.0011	
Benin	0.003	0.0032	0.0032	
Bolivia (Plurinational State of)	0.016	0.0129	0.0171	0.0042
Bosnia and Herzegovina	0.012	0.0140	0.0128	(0.0012)
Botswana	0.014	0.0151	0.0150	(0.0001)
Brazil	2.948	4.1163	3.1539	(0.9624)
Bulgaria	0.046	0.0485	0.0492	0.0007
Burkina Faso	0.003	0.0043	0.0032	(0.0011)
Burundi	0.001	0.0011	0.0011	
Cabo Verde	0.001	0.0011	0.0011	
Cambodia	0.006	0.0043	0.0064	0.0021
Cameroon	0.013	0.0108	0.0139	0.0031
Canada	2.734	3.1451	2.9249	(0.2202)
Central African Republic	0.001	0.0011	0.0011	
Chad	0.004	0.0054	0.0043	(0.0011)
Chile	0.407	0.4296	0.4354	0.0058
China	12.005	8.5287	12.8433	4.3146
Colombia	0.288	0.3467	0.3081	(0.0386)
Comoros	0.001	0.0011	0.0011	
Congo	0.006	0.0065	0.0064	(0.0001)
Cook Islands ^a	0.001	0.0011	0.0011	
Costa Rica	0.062	0.0506	0.0663	0.0157
Côte d'Ivoire	0.013	0.0097	0.0139	0.0042

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IOM MEMBER STATE (continued)				
Croatia	0.077	0.1066	0.0824	(0.0242)
Cuba	0.080	0.0700	0.0856	0.0156
Cyprus	0.036	0.0463	0.0385	(0.0078)
Czechia	0.311	0.3704	0.3327	(0.0377)
Democratic Republic of the Congo	0.010	0.0086	0.0107	0.0021
Denmark	0.554	0.6288	0.5927	(0.0361)
Djibouti	0.001	0.0011	0.0011	
Dominica	0.001	0.0011	0.0011	
Dominican Republic	0.053	0.0495	0.0567	0.0072
Ecuador	0.080	0.0721	0.0856	0.0135
Egypt	0.186	0.1637	0.1990	0.0353
El Salvador	0.012	0.0151	0.0128	(0.0023)
Eritrea	0.001	0.0011	0.0011	
Estonia	0.039	0.0409	0.0417	0.0008
Eswatini	0.002	0.0022	0.0021	(0.0001)
Ethiopia	0.010	0.0108	0.0107	(0.0001)
Fiji	0.003	0.0032	0.0032	
Finland	0.421	0.4910	0.4504	(0.0406)
France	4.427	5.2318	4.7362	(0.4956)
Gabon	0.015	0.0183	0.0160	(0.0023)
Gambia	0.001	0.0011	0.0011	
Georgia	0.008	0.0086	0.0086	
Germany	6.090	6.8792	6.5153	(0.3639)
Ghana	0.015	0.0172	0.0160	(0.0012)
Greece	0.366	0.5071	0.3916	(0.1155)
Guatemala	0.036	0.0301	0.0385	0.0084
Guinea	0.003	0.0022	0.0032	0.0010
Guinea-Bissau	0.001	0.0011	0.0011	
Guyana	0.002	0.0022	0.0021	(0.0001)
Haiti	0.003	0.0032	0.0032	
Holy See	0.001	0.0011	0.0011	
Honduras	0.009	0.0086	0.0096	0.0010
Hungary	0.206	0.1734	0.2204	0.0470
Iceland	0.028	0.0248	0.0300	0.0052
India	0.834	0.7935	0.8922	0.0987
Iran (Islamic Republic of)	0.398	0.5071	0.4258	(0.0813)
Ireland	0.371	0.3607	0.3969	0.0362
Israel	0.490	0.4630	0.5242	0.0612
Italy	3.307	4.0355	3.5380	(0.4975)
Jamaica	0.008	0.0097	0.0086	(0.0011)
Japan	8.564	10.4222	9.1621	(1.2601)

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IOM MEMBER STATE (continued)				
Jordan	0.021	0.0215	0.0225	0.0010
Kazakhstan	0.178	0.2057	0.1904	(0.0153)
Kenya	0.024	0.0194	0.0257	0.0063
Kiribati	0.001	0.0011	0.0011	
Kyrgyzstan	0.002	0.0022	0.0021	(0.0001)
Latvia	0.047	0.0538	0.0503	(0.0035)
Lesotho	0.001	0.0011	0.0011	
Liberia	0.001	0.0011	0.0011	
Libya	0.030	0.1346	0.0321	(0.1025)
Lithuania	0.071	0.0775	0.0760	(0.0015)
Luxembourg	0.067	0.0689	0.0717	0.0028
Madagascar	0.004	0.0032	0.0043	0.0011
Malawi	0.002	0.0022	0.0021	(0.0001)
Maldives	0.004	0.0022	0.0043	0.0021
Mali	0.004	0.0032	0.0043	0.0011
Malta	0.017	0.0172	0.0182	0.0010
Marshall Islands	0.001	0.0011	0.0011	
Mauritania	0.002	0.0022	0.0021	(0.0001)
Mauritius	0.011	0.0129	0.0118	(0.0011)
Mexico	1.292	1.5451	1.3822	(0.1629)
Micronesia (Federated States of)	0.001	0.0011	0.0011	
Mongolia	0.005	0.0054	0.0053	(0.0001)
Montenegro	0.004	0.0043	0.0043	
Morocco	0.055	0.0581	0.0588	0.0007
Mozambique	0.004	0.0043	0.0043	
Myanmar	0.010	0.0108	0.0107	(0.0001)
Namibia	0.009	0.0108	0.0096	(0.0012)
Nauru	0.001	0.0011	0.0011	
Nepal	0.007	0.0065	0.0075	0.0010
Netherlands	1.356	1.5957	1.4507	(0.1450)
New Zealand	0.291	0.2886	0.3113	0.0227
Nicaragua	0.005	0.0043	0.0053	0.0010
Niger	0.002	0.0022	0.0021	(0.0001)
Nigeria	0.250	0.2250	0.2675	0.0425
North Macedonia	0.007	0.0075	0.0075	
Norway	0.754	0.9141	0.8067	(0.1074)
Pakistan	0.115	0.1001	0.1230	0.0229
Panama	0.045	0.0366	0.0481	0.0115
Papua New Guinea	0.010	0.0043	0.0107	0.0064
Paraguay	0.016	0.0151	0.0171	0.0020
Peru	0.152	0.1464	0.1626	0.0162

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Philippines	0.205	0.1777	0.2193	0.0416
Poland	0.802	0.9055	0.8580	(0.0475)
Portugal	0.350	0.4221	0.3744	(0.0477)
Republic of Korea	2.267	2.1954	2.4253	0.2299
Republic of Moldova	0.003	0.0043	0.0032	(0.0011)
Romania	0.198	0.1981	0.2118	0.0137
Rwanda	0.003	0.0022	0.0032	0.0010
Saint Kitts and Nevis	0.001	0.0011	0.0011	
Saint Lucia	0.001	0.0011	0.0011	
Saint Vincent and the Grenadines	0.001	0.0011	0.0011	
Samoa	0.001	0.0011	0.0011	
Sao Tome and Principe	0.001	0.0011	0.0011	
Senegal	0.007	0.0054	0.0075	0.0021
Serbia	0.028	0.0345	0.0300	(0.0045)
Seychelles	0.002	0.0011	0.0021	0.0010
Sierra Leone	0.001	0.0011	0.0011	
Slovakia	0.153	0.1723	0.1637	(0.0086)
Slovenia	0.076	0.0904	0.0813	(0.0091)
Solomon Islands	0.001	0.0011	0.0011	
Somalia	0.001	0.0011	0.0011	
South Africa	0.272	0.3919	0.2910	(0.1009)
South Sudan	0.006	0.0032	0.0064	0.0032
Spain	2.146	2.6304	2.2959	(0.3345)
Sri Lanka	0.044	0.0334	0.0471	0.0137
Sudan	0.010	0.0108	0.0107	(0.0001)
Suriname	0.005	0.0065	0.0053	(0.0012)
Sweden	0.906	1.0293	0.9693	(0.0600)
Switzerland	1.151	1.2275	1.2314	0.0039
Tajikistan	0.004	0.0043	0.0043	
Thailand	0.307	0.3133	0.3284	0.0151
Timor-Leste	0.002	0.0032	0.0021	(0.0011)
Togo	0.002	0.0011	0.0021	0.0010
Tonga	0.001	0.0011	0.0011	
Trinidad and Tobago	0.040	0.0366	0.0428	0.0062
Tunisia	0.025	0.0301	0.0267	(0.0034)
Turkey	1.371	1.0961	1.4668	0.3707
Turkmenistan	0.033	0.0280	0.0353	0.0073
Tuvalu	0.001	0.0011	0.0011	
Uganda	0.008	0.0097	0.0086	(0.0011)
Ukraine	0.057	0.1109	0.0610	(0.0499)
United Kingdom	4.567	4.8054	4.8860	0.0806

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IOM MEMBER STATE (continued)				
United Republic of Tanzania	0.010	0.0108	0.0107	(0.0001)
United States of America	22.000	23.6869	23.5364	(0.1505)
Uruguay	0.087	0.0851	0.0931	0.0080
Vanuatu	0.001	0.0011	0.0011	
Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of)	0.728	0.6148	0.7788	0.1640
Viet Nam	0.077	0.0624	0.0824	0.0200
Yemen	0.010	0.0108	0.0107	(0.0001)
Zambia	0.009	0.0075	0.0096	0.0021
Zimbabwe	0.005	0.0043	0.0053	0.0010
Subtotal	93.433	100.0000	99.9583	(0.0417)
Grenada ^b	0.001	0.0011	0.0011	
Lao People's Democratic Republic ^b	0.005	0.0032	0.0053	0.0021
Palau ^b	0.001	0.0011	0.0011	
Uzbekistan ^c	0.032	0.0248	0.0342	0.0094
Total	93.472	100.0302	100.0000	(0.0302)

Equation factor: (100/93.472) = 1.06984

- ^a The assessment rate for the Cook Islands is based on the assessment scales of the United Nations specialized agencies of which it is a Member.
- ^b Grenada, the Lao People's Democratic Republic and Palau joined IOM in June 2018.
- ^c Uzbekistan joined IOM on 15 March 2019, following submission of the instrument ratifying the IOM Constitution.