

Length of Postings Table

LEVEL V HARDSHIP	LEVEL IV HARDSHIP	LEVEL III HARDSHIP	LEVEL II HARDSHIP	LEVEL I HARDSHIP	NON-HARDSHIP MISSIONS
2 YEARS:	2 YEARS:	3 YEARS:	3 YEARS:	3 YEARS:	4 YEARS:
Addis Ababa Algiers Bamako Conakry Dar-es-Salaam Dhaka Georgetown Hanoi Islamabad Kigali Lagos Lusaka Niamey Ouagadougou Port-au-Prince Tehran	Accra Beijing Belgrade * Bombay Bucharest Colombo Dakar Guatemala Havana Kiev Libreville Lilongwe Lima Moscow New Delhi Shanghai Yaoundé	(Employees assigned to these missions have the right, at the end of the first year of their assignment, to opt out of the third year) Abidjan Amman Bangkok Bogota Cairo Caracas Damascus Jakarta Kingston Kuwait Manila Nairobi Port of Spain Riyadh San José Santo Domingo Sao Paulo Warsaw Exceptions 2 YEARS: Ankara Mexico Seoul	Brasilia Bridgetown Budapest Dubai * Harare Hong Kong Kuala Lumpur Prague Quito Santiago Tel Aviv Tunis	Buenos Aires Pretoria/Capetown Rabat Singapore	Athens Atlanta Berlin Berne Bonn Boston Brussels Buffalo Canberra Chicago Cleveland Copenhagen Dallas Detroit Dublin Düsseldorf Frankfurt Geneva The Hague Helsinki Lisbon London Los Angeles Lyon Madrid Milan Minneapolis Munich New York Osaka Oslo Paris Rome Seattle Stockholm Sydney Tokyo Vatican Vienna Washington Wellington

* provisional rating

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