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**EO Annual Leave – Staff redeployed into the Civil Service**

Dear Branch Secretary,

There is a small number of EOs who redeployed into the Civil Service from other parts of the Public Service and who retained their annual leave on a personal-to-holder basis. The Union has obtained clarification as to how their annual leave will be treated in the event that the Public Service Stability Agreement is adopted and, as a result, additional leave is granted to EOs with 12 or more years' service.

The position of the Department of Public Expenditure and Reform is that additional leave may be given to the people concerned after 12 years' service (1 day) and 14 years' service (2 days), subject, however, to a maximum of 27 days. EOs who have retained leave levels of 27 days or more will be unaffected by the additional leave provided for under the terms of the proposed agreement.

This clarification does not affect the generality of EOs.

Please bring this to the attention of any member in your Branch who may be affected.

Yours sincerely,

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General Secretary

**To: Branch Secretaries  
Executive Committee  
Standing Orders Committee**