

Fees payable to Chairpersons and Members of State Boards

Categorisation of State Boards for fee purposes

The following fee rates are payable to Chairpersons and members of State Bodies with effect from 1 January 2010.

		Non-commercial State Bodies wef 1 Jan 2010	Commercial State Bodies wef 1 May 2009
Category 1 (remuneration of CEO above Sec Gen 2)	Chair	€29,888	€31,500
	Member	€14,963	€15,750
Category 2 (remuneration of CEO above Asst Sec highest point)	Chair	€20,520	€21,600
	Member	€11,970	€12,600
Category 3 (remuneration of CEO above PO1 LSI2)	Chair	€11,970	€12,600
	Member	€7,695	€8,100
Category 4 (remuneration of CEO at or below PO1 LSI2)	Chair	€8,978	€9,450
	Member	€5,985	€6,300

OPOS (One Person One Salary) Principle

- A letter issued on 17 October 2011 from this Department to all Secretaries General advising that it is now a requirement that public servants who sit on state boards in an ex officio capacity or on behalf of their parent Department/organisation or who may be nominated to such board positions independently of their public service employment should not be paid remuneration in the form of board fees when serving in such a representational capacity and the criteria previously used to determine the eligibility of public servants to receive board fee payments no longer applies in any such cases.
- The only exception to this rule is in relation to worker directors on the boards of commercial state bodies who are exempt from the OPOS principle.