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**Proprietors and Centre Managers,**  
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### **CEILING FOR PAYMENTS TO QAAs AND IQAMs UNDER THE NEW TVET INITIATIVE**

The Hon Minister of Education has approved a **ceiling** for payment of allowances to certified Quality Assurance Assessors (QAAs) and Internal Quality Assurance Managers (IQAMs) under the New TVET Initiative. These payments are for QAAs/IQAMs that are hired from outside the Skills Training Centres (STCs), or as may be agreed. The approved rates are as follows:

<b>S/No</b>	<b>Category</b>	<b>Max. Amount Payable per Learner</b>	<b>Max. Amount Payable per Centre</b>
1.	QAA	N2,500 per Learner per month for 6 months	
2.	IQAM		N20,000 per centre per visit for 3 visits in 6 months

Each QAA is limited to 15 – 20 learners for assessment in any trade and centre for now.

These rates are to be strictly applied and no extortion of STCs shall be tolerated, as it could lead to withdrawal of the operational license of the QAA or IQAM concerned, as the case may be.

All stakeholders under the new TVET Initiative are advised to please comply.

Please accept the assurances of my esteemed regards.

**Prof. Idris M. Bugaje**  
**EXECUTIVE SECRETARY**

