

[Legal Notice No. 40]

**COMMODITIES EXPORT MARKETING AUTHORITY
(Cap. 36)**

THE COCOA EXPORT MANAGEMENT FEE REGULATIONS 2012

IN exercise of the powers conferred by section 34 of the Commodities Export Marketing Authority Act (Cap. 36) as read with Regulations 18(1) of The Cocoa (Amendment) Regulations 2011 and on the recommendation of the Authority, the Minister of Commerce, Industry and Employment, do hereby fix the rate of Management fee for exporting cocoa. The rate of Management fee for exporting cocoa shall be as follows:

- (a) \$6.00 per tonne for cocoa beans and nibs for exports;
- (b) \$8.00 per tonne for residue
- (c) In the case of cocoa products \$60.00 per tonne of bean equivalent to those products.

For the purpose of cocoa products, the bean equivalent of the cocoa products is the amount obtained by multiplying the weight of cocoa products by the relevant conversion factors specified herein

- (a) Cocoa butter - 1.33;
- (b) Cocoa cake and Cocoa powder - 1.18;
- (c) Cocoa liquor and cocoa nibs - 1.25

*The previous management fees are hereby revoked
[Legal Notice No. 103 of 2004].

Dated at Honiara this twentieth-seventh day of April, 2012.

HON. ELIJAH DORO MUALA
Minister of Commerce, Industry and Employment