

LAW N^o 2019/006 OF 25 AVR 2019

TO FIX THE NUMBER, PROPORTION PER CATEGORY AND
ALLOWANCES OF REGIONAL COUNCILLORS

*The Parliament deliberated and adopted,
the President of the Republic hereby
enacts the law set out below:*

CHAPTER I
GENERAL PROVISIONS

SECTION 1: This law fixes the number, proportion per category and allowances of regional councillors.

SECTION 2: (1) Regional councillors shall be:

- delegates of divisions elected by indirect universal suffrage;
- representatives of traditional rulers elected by their peers.

(2) The regional council shall reflect:

- the various sociological components of the region;
- gender aspects.

CHAPTER II
NUMBER AND PROPORTION PER CATEGORY OF
REGIONAL COUNCILLORS

SECTION 3: The number of regional councillors per region shall be fixed at 90 (ninety).

SECTION 4: In each region, the proportion per category of regional councillors shall be as follows:

- 70 regional councillors for the category of delegates of divisions;
- 20 regional councillors for the category of representatives of traditional rulers.

SECTION 5: (1) Each division shall constitute an electoral constituency for the election of regional councillors.

(2) However, some electoral constituencies may be grouped or specially warded by decree of the President of the Republic in view of their particularities.

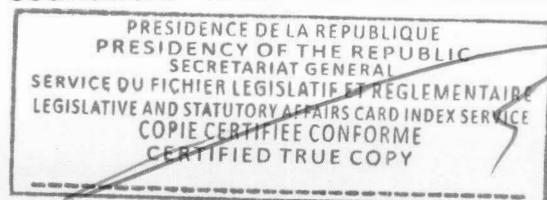
(3) The regional council shall comprise at least one councillor from each sub-division, for the category of delegates of divisions.

SECTION 6: A decree of the President of the Republic shall fix the number of regional councillors for each category per division or, where applicable, per constituency ensuing from grouping or special warding.

CHAPTER III
ALLOWANCES OF REGIONAL COUNCILLORS

SECTION 7: (1) Regional councillors shall be entitled to a session allowance.

(2) During their tenure, regional councillors shall be reimbursed expenses incurred in respect of sessions.




SECTION 8: Regional councillors may be entitled to mission allowances outside of sessions.

SECTION 9: The amounts, terms and conditions of payment of the allowances and mission allowances referred to in Sections 7 and 8 above shall be fixed by decree of the President of the Republic.

CHAPTER IV
FINAL PROVISION

SECTION 10: This law shall be registered, published according to the procedure of urgency and inserted in the Official Gazette in English and French./-

YAOUNDE, 25 AVR 2019


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