

Legend:
Pending
Requires approval
Completed

The TMG Total Compensation Plan Redesign Recommendations

Implementation Status
October 2016

Total Compensation				
Description		Target Implementation Timeline	Status and Notes	
1	Total Rewards philosophy for TMG	January 2017	In progressApproval required	
2	Reduce the number of bands from 15 to 12 by eliminating bands C, D and E and create three main groupings of remaining bands: F to I J to M N to Q	January 2017	CompletedPending approval	
3	Revise the salary range structure by redefining the components of the range and also by narrowing the salary ranges for bands F through I	 Narrowing of the salary ranges will be completed using a phased approach Phase 1: January 2017 Phase 2: November 2017 Phase 3: November 2018 	CompletedPending approval	
4	Introduce a new TMG Achievement Program to replace the current performance management program for TMG	 Communicated in October 2016 To be used for the annual review in Spring 2017 	 Completed To be released in October 2016 for all TMG with reminder to complete objective setting now 	
5	Change the annual salary review process by introducing a merit matrix that better connects performance achievement level and position in the salary range to the merit awarded, while maintaining flexibility for managers	• July 2017	 Design completed To be introduced for the 2017 annual salary review 	
6	Introduce groupings of departments to better manage the merit pools	July 2016 salary review	 In progress Pilot introduction in July 2016 Expand for July 2017 	
7	Introduce a calibration process to promote consistency in application of the performance assessment and the allocation of rewards in the annual salary review	To be used for both the performance management and salary review processes	PendingTo be introduced in Spring 2017	
8	Introduce a new Performance Excellence Program for Bands F through M	Due to 'performance pay envelope' restriction, will likely be held over until July 2018	 Design completed To be submitted for approval in tandem with the Variable Pay Plan program 	
9	Introduce a Variable Pay Plan program for TMG in Bands N through Q	Due to 'performance pay envelope' restriction, will likely be held over until July 2018	 In progress To be submitted for approval in tandem with the Performance Excellence program 	
10	 Update the approach to maintain P60 relationship to market by amending the definition of comparable organizations Bands F-I: Local (Hamilton, Burlington and surrounding area) Bands J-M: Regional (Toronto, South Western Ontario, Hamilton) Bands N-Q: National (All Canada) 	• July 2017	Draft completedApproval required	
11	Introduce a Compensation Policy and revise the Salary Administration Guidelines	January 2017	In progressWill require approval	
12	Introduce a Pre-retirement Vacation Exchange Program for TMG	January 2017	Draft completedApproval required	
13	Introduce Career Frameworks	November 2017	Work to begin in January 2017	
14	Refine the recognition program by introducing elements specific to TMG	To be determinedTentative for November 2017	Not started	
15	Explore with Sun Life the ability to provide employees in TMG who are not eligible for post-retirement benefits the option to purchase at retirement an individual benefit plan at preferred rates	November 2017	In progressFurther discussion required	

Job Evaluation					
Description		Target Implementation Timeline	Status and Notes		
16	Adopt the standard Hay Guide Charts for Job Evaluation and Expanded Definitions	• July 2016	Implemented September 2016Tool for the Job Evaluation Committee		
17	Define job families for TMG	■ July 2016	CompletedReleased October 2016		
18	Review and update the selection of benchmark jobs	 July 2016 and ongoing (collection of current job information will be underway) 	 In progress Selection of benchmarks completed Communication to managers of benchmark jobs scheduled for November 		
19	Create job profiles by family which will serve as the backbone of evaluation system	July 2016 and ongoing	In progressTool for the Job Evaluation Committee		
20	Introduce a revised job description and related job posting	■ July 2016	CompletedReleased October 2016		
21	Utilize generic job descriptions and posting information	 Ongoing beginning in March 2017 	 Not started Development of generic job descriptions and postings to begin in November 2016 		
22	Introduce band descriptions	November 2016	In progress		
23	Introduce title guidelines	November 2016	In progress		
24	Create a job evaluation manual for members of TMG and their managers	■ July 2016	CompletedReleased October 2016		

Com	Communication and Education				
Description		Target Implementation Timeline	Status and Notes		
25	Improve communications to members of TMG and their supervisors Create a highlight summary of the total rewards package Improve how we explain value by introducing Total Rewards Statements	 November 2016 (highlights summary) March 2019 (Total Rewards Statements) – subject to capability within Mosaic and BI 	Pending		
26	Create materials targeted to managers of TMG to promote better understanding and consistency of application of the TMG Total Rewards program elements	July 2016 and ongoing	In progress		
27	Review and audit of implementation and application of program changes	July 2017 and ongoing	Pending		
28	Amend letters to employees regarding their annual salary increase to reflect all increase adjustments	July 2016July 2017 (additional updates)	CompletedFurther updates may be made in future		

Other Considerations					
Description		Target Implementation Timeline	Status and Notes		
29	Flexible benefits programs: The Sub-Committee agreed that the introduction of a Health Care Spending Account would be positively viewed by TMG and recommend that this be brought forward for future consideration	 Not scheduled 	Future consideration		
30	Program design elements are intended to integrate with other related programs for TMG	Ongoing	 Integration with other related programs is a constant consideration 		

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