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Ministry of Civil Service and Administrative Reforms  
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From: Supervising Officer, Ministry of Civil Service and Administrative Reforms

To: Supervising Officers i/c Ministries/Departments

**Time-Off to Officers of the Moslem Faith for Friday Prayers**

Subject to the exigencies of the Service, officers of the Moslem faith are at present granted time-off on Fridays between 12.30 hours and 14.00 hours to enable them to attend the Jumma Prayers. With the introduction of summer time by the Time Act 2008, they may be granted time-off as follows:-

During period of summer time - From 13.00 hours to 14.30 hours  
(from Sunday 26 October 2008  
to Sunday 29 March 2009)

During the rest of the year - From 12.30 hours to 14.00 hours

2. It would be appreciated if you would apprise parastatal organizations under your aegis of the above.

(S. K. Pather)  
Supervising Officer

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Secretary to Cabinet and Head of the Civil Service

cc/Circular/summer time