Introduction to social minima

Definition

* Significant impact on the poverty rate in France,
* Granted without receiving any premium in return,
* Tend to ensure minimum resources for persons in precarious situations,
* Today, 9 social minima exist,
* Represent 24.3 billion euros aka 1.1 of GDP in 2014.
* Allocation for Handicapped Persons (AAH)

* Financing: State
* Managing body: the National Family Benefits Fund (Cnaf) and the Central Fund of the Agricultural Social Mutual (CCMSA)
* Household beneficiaries in 2016: 1,091,896
* Expenditures in 2016: 9.08 billion euros
* Maximum amount for one single person in 2017: 810,89 euros

* Supplementary Allowance for Disability (ASI)

* Financing: State
* Managing body: the Health Insurance Fund and “Caisse des dépôts”
* Beneficiaries in 2016: 71,461
* Expenditures in 2016: 242 million euros
* Maximum amount for one single person in 2017: 405,38 euros
Inclusion Income Support (RSA)

- Financing: Department (local authorities)
- Managing body: the National Family Benefits Fund (Cnaf) and the Central Fund of the Agricultural Social Mutual (CCMSA)
- Households Beneficiaries in 2016: 1,863,178
- Expenditures in 2016: 10.72 billion euros
- Maximum amount for one single person in 2017: 536.78 euros (this applies to a single person w/o children but increases when the household is composed of 2 person or when there are children)

Specific Welfare Allowance (ASS)

- Financing: State
- Managing body: “Pôle Emploi”
- Beneficiaries in 2016: 464,020
- Expenditures in 2016: 2.57 billion euros
- Maximum amount for one single person in 2017: 489.60 euros
**Transitional Solidarity Premium (PTS)**

*Financing: State*

*Managing body: “Pole Emploi”*

*Beneficiaries in 2016: 5472*

*Expenditures in 2016: 30,4 million euros*

*Maximum amount for one single person in 2017: 300 euros*

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**Temporary Waiting Allowance (ATA)**

*Financing: State*

*Managing body: “Pole Emploi”*

*Beneficiaries in 2016: 11 922*

*Expenditures in 2016: 42,1 million euros*

*Maximum amount for one single person in 2017: 344,70 euros*
*Widowhood Allowance (AV)*

*Financing: Social Security*
*Managing body: Pension funds (statutory pension fund) and the Agricultural Social Mutual (MSA)*
*Beneficiaries in 2016: 7,567*
*Expenditures in 2016: 53,5 million euros*
*Maximum amount for one single person in 2017: 602,72 euros*

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*Solidarity Allowance for Elderly People (ASPA)*

*Financing: State*
*Managing body: Pension funds*
*Beneficiaries in 2016: 555,000*
*Expenditures in 2015: 3,1 billion euros*
*Maximum amount for one single person in 2017: 803 euros*
**Solidarity Allowance in Overseas Department (RSO)**

*Financing: Department*
*Managing body: the National Family Benefits Fund (Cnaf)*
*Beneficiaries in 2016: 8800*
*Expenditures in 2015: 54 million euros*
*Maximum amount for one single person in 2017: 513,76 euros*

**Premium Rate (PA)**

*Financing: State*
*Managing body: the National Family Benefits Fund (Cnaf) and the Central Fund of the Agricultural Social Mutual (CCMSA)*
*Beneficiaries in 2016: 2,583,290*
*Expenditures in 2015: 4,75 billion euros*
*Maximum amount for one single person in 2017: 526,25 euros (BUT this amount is used in a formula computation that takes into account the amount of wages. The amount of the premium varies thus according to the worker's income up to a certain amount of wages, beyond which the premium rate is no longer paid)*