

GOVERNMENT OF TRIPURA  
LABOUR DEPARTMENT

No.F.21 (90)-LAB/ENF/MW/Gold Smith/2012/1266-81 Dated, Agartala, the 16/11/2017

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**NOTIFICATION**

In continuation of this Department's No. F. 21 (90)-LAB/ENF/MW/Gold Smith/2012/ 10891-910 dated, 27<sup>th</sup> September, 2016 and in furtherance of the aforesaid Notification, the State Government hereby revises the Variable Dearness Allowance (VDA) on the basis of 6-monthly average Consumer Price Index Numbers for the period of six months commencing from 01-07-2016 and ending on 31-12-2016 over the previous 6-monthly average viz 4448 over 4193 average Consumer Price Index for different categories of workers engaged in the employment of "Gold Smith" in Tripura as under and directs that the Variable Dearness Allowance shall be payable with effect from 01-04-2017 by the employers to the workers/employees employed in the aforesaid employment as per the following schedule :

**SCHEDULE**

Average increase of CPI	Category of workers	Minimum basic wages (per day)	Previous VDA	Present VDA	Total minimum rates of wages (3+4 + 5)
1	2	3	4	5	6
191.83	<b>Apprentice</b> (For manufacturing/process of 3(three) grams gold or 8 hours of work)	Rs.161/-	Rs.24.55	Rs.7.37	Rs.193.00 per day
	<b>Semi-skilled</b> (For manufacturing/process of 3(three) grams gold or 8 hours of work)	Rs.231/-	Rs.35.2	Rs.10.57	Rs.277.00 per day
	<b>Skilled</b> (For manufacturing /process of 3(three) grams gold or 8 hours of work)	Rs.270/-	Rs.41.15	Rs.12.35	Rs.324.00 per day

N.B. : a) The fifty paise or above rounded off to the next rupee.

b) The overtime rate shall be double of the ordinary rate of minimum wages.

*(S. K. Das)* 16/11/17

Addl. Secretary to the  
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1. P.S. to the Hon'ble Minister, Labour Deptt. Govt. of Tripura for kind information of the Hon'ble Minister, Labour Department.
2. P.S. to the Spl. Secretary, Labour Department, Government of Tripura for kind information of the Secretary, Labour Department.
3. The Chief Labour Officer/Labour Officer, West/Khowai/North/South/Sepahijala, Unakoti, Gomati and Dhalai District, Agartala/ Khowai/ Kailashahar/Udaipur/Bishramganj/ Dharmanagar/Belonia/ & Ambassa for information and taking necessary action. They should send a compliance report to Head Quarter regarding implementation of the same.
4. The Secretary, CITU, Office Lane, Agartala for information.
5. The Secretary, INTUC, Motor Stand, Agartala for information.
6. The Pro/Employer.....  
for information and taking necessary action.
7. The Manager, Government Press, Govt. of Tripura, Bardowali, Agartala with request to publish the Notification in the Tripura Gazette Extra Ordinary Issue and arrange to supply 50(fifty) copies of the same for official use.
8. IT Section, Labour Directorate, Agartala for uploading in the website.

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