GOVERNMENT OF TRIPURA LABOUR DEPARTMENT

No.F.22(41)-LAB/ENF/MW/I8/2022/356- 72

Dated, Agartala, the April, 2025.

NOTIFICATION

In continuation of this Department's Notification No.F.22(41)-LAB/ENF/MW/IS/2022/8554-69 dated 7th December, 2024 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 commencing from 01-07-2024 and ending on 31-12-2024. The half yearly average Consumer Price Index is 137 point for different categories of workers engaged in the employment of "Incense Stick" in Tripura. The Variable Dearness Allowance shall be payable with effect from 01-04-2025 by the employers to the workers/employees employed in the aforesaid employment as per the following schedule:

SCHEDULE

Average increase of CPI	Classification of work	Minimum basic wages	Previous VDA	Present VDA	Total minimum wages (3+4 + 5)
1	2	3	4	5	6
137	If the workers supply bamboo on his/ her own cost. If the owners/ contractors supply bamboo to the workers.	Rs.64.00/ Kg. Rs.46.00/ kg.	Rs.5.91	Rs.1.43	(a) Rs.71.00 per Kg. incense sticks shall be paid by the owner/contractor, if the workers supply bamboo on his/her own cost. (b) Rs. 51.00 per Kg. incense sticks shall be paid by the owner/ contractor, if the owners/ contractors supply bamboo to the workers. (c) Rs.7,437.00 per
	Monthly rated workers.	Rs. 6673.00 /month	Rs.614.82	Rs.149.31	month shall be paid to the monthly rated workers.

N.B. :-

a) The fifty paisa or above is rounded off to the next rupee.

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

c) To arrive at daily rates of wages the monthly rate shall be divided by 26 and rounded off to the next rupee.

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Under Secretary to the
Government of Tripura.
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- 1. P.S. to the Hon'ble Minister, Labour Department, Government of Tripura, Agartala for kind information of the Minister.
- 2. P.S. to the Secretary, Labour Department, Govt. of Tripura, Agartala for kind information to the Secretary.
- 3. P.A. to the Labour Commissioner, Government of Tripura for kind information to the Labour Commissioner.
- 4. The Secretary, BMS, Tripura Pradesh, Chandrapur, Opp. of ISBT, Agartala

for information.

- 5. The Secretary, CITU, Office Lane, Agartala for information.
- 6. The Secretary, INTUC, Motor Stand, Agartala for information.
- 7. The Labour Officer, North, Unakoti, Dhalai, Khowai, West, Sepahijala, Gomati and South Tripura district for information and necessary action. They should send a compliance report to Head Quarter regarding implementation of the same.

8. The Manager, Government Press, Govt. of Tripura, Agartala with request to publish the Notification in the Tripura Gazette, Extra-Ordinary.

9. IT Section, Labour Directorate, Agartala for uploading in the website.

Under Secretary to the Government of Tripura