NOTIFICATION

In continuation of this Department’s Notification No.F.21(62)-LAB/MW/DW/2005/9961-76 dated 4th September, 2015 published in the Tripura Gazette, Extra Ordinary Issue dated 3rd October, 2015 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 01-07-2015 and ending on 31-12-2015 over the previous 6-monthly average viz 4047.17 over 3926.33 average Consumer Price Index for different categories of workers engaged in the employment of “Domestic Workers” in Tripura as under and directs that the Variable Dearness Allowance shall be payable with effect from 01-04-2016 by the employers to the workers/employees employed in the aforesaid employment as per the following schedule:

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<th>Average increase of CPI</th>
<th>Category of workers</th>
<th>Minimum basic wages</th>
<th>Previous VDA</th>
<th>Present VDA</th>
<th>Total wages from (3+4+5)</th>
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<td>120.84</td>
<td>1. Morning shift</td>
<td>Rs.10/- per hour with breakfast</td>
<td>Rs.2.16</td>
<td>Rs.0.31</td>
<td>Rs.12.00 per hour with breakfast</td>
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<td>2. Morning shift break evening shift</td>
<td>Rs.9/- per hour with breakfast</td>
<td>Rs.1.98</td>
<td>Rs.0.28</td>
<td>Rs.11.00 per hour with breakfast</td>
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<td>3. Morning to evening (continuously)</td>
<td>Rs.1, 500/- per month with breakfast/rice in the morning as per prevailing system of the family plus lunch.</td>
<td>Rs.329.36</td>
<td>Rs.46.16</td>
<td>Rs.1,876.00 per month with breakfast/rice in the morning as per prevailing system of the family plus lunch (rounded off)</td>
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<td>4. Whole timer</td>
<td>Rs.1,500/- in cash per month in addition the employer will provide normal food, free lodging and clothing and Rs.100/- per month as medical allowance in case of illness.</td>
<td>Rs.329.36</td>
<td>Rs.22.24</td>
<td>Rs.1,876.00 in cash per month in addition the employer will provide normal food, free lodging and clothing and Rs.125.00 per month as medical allowance in case of illness (rounded off)</td>
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N.B. : a) The overtime rate shall be double of the ordinary rate of wages.
       b) 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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1. P.S. to the Hon’ble Minister, Labour Department, Government of Tripura, Agartala for kind information of the Minister.
2. The P.A. to Spl. Secretary, Labour Department, Govt. of Tripura for kind information of the Spl. Secretary, Labour.
3. The Secretary, CITU, Office Lane, Agartala for information.
4. The Secretary, INTUC, Motor Stand, Agartala for information.
5. The Chief Labour Officer/Labour Officer, West Tripura, Sepahijala, Khowai, North Tripura, Unakoti, South Tripura, Gomati and Dhalai District for information and taking necessary action. They should a compliance report to Head Quarter regarding implementation of the same.
6. The Manager, Government Press, Govt. of Tripura, Agartala with request to publish the Notification in the Tripura Gazette, Extra-Ordinary Issue and to supply 50(fifty) spare copies for official use.
7. IT Section, Labour Directorate, Agartala for uploading in the website.

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