NOTIFICATION

In continuation of this Department's Notification No.F.21(92)-LAB/ENF/MW/HR/2012/10.187-202 dated 7th September, 2015 published in the Tripura Gazette, Extra-Ordinary Issue dated 29th September, 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 "Hotel and Restaurants" 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:

**SCHEDULE**

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<th>Average increase of CPI</th>
<th>Category of workers/employees</th>
<th>Minimum basic wages per month</th>
<th>Previous VDA</th>
<th>Present VDA</th>
<th>Total minimum wages per month $(3+4+5)$</th>
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<td>120.84</td>
<td>1. <strong>Highly Skilled</strong> - Head Cook, Clerk, Cashier, Accountant, Receptionist etc.</td>
<td>Rs. 8,000.00</td>
<td>Rs. 1,756.58</td>
<td>Rs. 246.21</td>
<td>Rs. 10,003.00</td>
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<td>2. <strong>Skilled</strong> - Assistant Cook, Cook Helper etc.</td>
<td>Rs. 7,300.00</td>
<td>Rs. 1,602.87</td>
<td>Rs. 224.67</td>
<td>Rs. 9,128.00</td>
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<td>3. <strong>Semi-Skilled</strong> - Wetter, Service Boy, Server, Cleaner etc.</td>
<td>Rs. 6,000.00</td>
<td>Rs. 1,317.06</td>
<td>Rs. 184.66</td>
<td>Rs. 7,502.00</td>
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**N.B. :**

a) The fifty paisa or above 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.

Copy to:
1. P.S. to the Hon'ble Minister, Labour Department, Government of Tripura, Agartala for kind information of the Minister.
2. The Spl.Secretary, Labour Department, Govt. of Tripura, Agartala for kind information.
3. The Secretary, CITU, Office Lane, Agartala for information.
4. The Secretary, INTUC, Motor Stand, Agartala for information.

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5. The President, All Tripura Hotel & Restaurant Owner's Association, 13, S.D. Barman Sarani, Agartala.
6. The General Secretary, All Tripura Hotel & Restaurant Owner's Association, Masjid Road, Agartala.
7. 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 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 Issue and to supply **50** spare copies for official use.

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

( S. K. Das )
Addl. Secretary to the Government of Tripura