NOTIFICATION

In continuation of this Department’s Notification No.F.22(49)-LAB/ENF/MW/RUBBER/2013/2536-75 dated 3rd March, 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 01-07-2015 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 “Rubber Plantation” 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>Present VDA</th>
<th>Total minimum rates of wages (3+4)</th>
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<td>120.84</td>
<td>1. Tappers/Processing Workers (for adult male &amp; female)</td>
<td>Rs.238.00 only for 8 hours of work</td>
<td>Rs.7.32</td>
<td>Rs.245.00 only for 8 hours of work</td>
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<td>2. Rubber Plantation Field Worker (for adult male &amp; female)</td>
<td>Rs.230.00 only for 8 hours of work</td>
<td>Rs.7.08</td>
<td>Rs.237.00 only for 8 hours of work</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.

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 Managing Director, TFDPC Ltd., Agartala.
4. The Secretary, CITU, Office Lane, Agartala for information.
5. The Secretary, INTUC, Motor Stand, Agartala for information.
6. The Prop./Manager. for information and taking necessary action.
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(fifty) spare copies for official use.
9. IT Section, Labour Directorate, Agartala for uploading in the website.

Addl. Secretary to the Government of Tripura

(S. K. Das) 18/04/16