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NOTIFICATIONS BY GOVERNMENT

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LABOUR, EMPLOYMENT, TRAINING AND FACTORIES DEPARTMENT
(LABOUR-I)

REVISION OF MINIMUM RATES OF WAGES IN THE EMPLOYMENT IN “ANY MANUFACTURING PROCESS CARRIED OUT IN ANY FACTORY AS DEFINED UNDER CLAUSE (M) OF SECTION 2 OR A PLACE DECLARED UNDER SECTION 85 OF THE FACTORIES ACT, 1948 OTHER THAN THOSE NOTIFIED UNDER PART-I OR PART-II OF THE SCHEDULE OF THE MINIMUM WAGES ACT, 1948” IN PART-I OF THE SCHEDULE TO THE MINIMUM WAGES ACT, 1948.

[G.O.Rt.No.92, Labour Employment Training and Factories (Labour- I), 29th January, 2024.]

PRELIMINARY NOTIFICATION

The following revision of minimum rates of wages as specified in column (3) of the Schedule annexed to this notification, payable to the each category of employees, specified in the corresponding entry in column (2) thereof and employed in the employment in “ANY MANUFACTURING PROCESS CARRIED OUT IN ANY FACTORY AS DEFINED UNDER CLAUSE (M) OF SECTION 2 OR A PLACE DECLARED UNDER SECTION 85 OF THE FACTORIES ACT, 1948 OTHER THAN THOSE NOTIFIED UNDER PART-I OR PART-II OF THE SCHEDULE OF THE MINIMUM WAGES ACT, 1948.” included in Part-I of the Schedule to the Minimum Wages Act, 1948 (Central Act XI of 1948), which is proposed to make in exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section(1) of section 3 and sub-section (2) of section 5 of the Minimum Wages Act, 1948 (Central Act XI of 1948), is hereby published for information of all the persons likely to be affected thereby as required under clause (b) of sub-section (1) of section 5 of the said Act.

2. Notice is hereby given that any objections or suggestions, in respect of the wages as proposed in the Schedule, which may be received within a period of two months from the date of publication of this notification in the Telangana Gazette, will be considered by the Government of Telangana.

3. Objections or suggestions should be addressed to the Special Chief Secretary to Government, Labour, Employment, Training & Factories Department, Government of Telangana through the Director of Labour, Telangana, Hyderabad.

ANNEXURE**SCHEDULE**

ANY MANUFACTURING PROCESS CARRIED OUT IN ANY FACTORY AS DEFINED UNDER CLAUSE (M) OF SECTION 2 OR A PLACE DECLARED UNDER SECTION 85 OF THE FACTORIES ACT, 1948 OTHER THAN THOSE NOTIFIED UNDER PART-I OR PART-II OF THE SCHEDULE OF THE MINIMUM WAGES ACT, 1948.

Sl. No.	Name of the Category	Basic Wage proposed in the draft notification at 1768 CPI points	Cost of living allowance to be paid per each point of increase (in Rs.)
1	2	3	4
1	Highly Skilled All Engineers - Production Manager/ Production Engineer/ Project Manager/ Works Manager/ Maintenance Engineer/ Sales Engineer/ Foundry Engineer/ Plant Engineer / Chemist/ Computer Programmer and other similar categories	21512	12.17
2	Skilled Lab Technician/Maistry in all trades/ Quality Checker/ Production Assistant/ Field Assistant/ Machineman / Asst. Foreman/ Welder/ Fitter/ Carpenter/ Machinist/ Blacksmith/ Mechanic/ Electrician, Mason and other similar categories.	17348	9.81
3	Semi-skilled: Asst. Welder/ Asst. Carpenter/ Asst. Mechanic/ Asst. Electrician / Asst. Machinist/ Asst. Painter/ Asst. Mason/ Asst. Blacksmith/ Asst. Turner/ Asst. Lathe Operator / Asst. Grinder/ Asst. Driller/ Asst. Maistry/ Gardener and other similar categories	14236	8.05
4	Unskilled: Helper/Attender/ Watchman/ Hamali / Ayah and other similar categories	12131	6.86
5	Office Staff		
i)	Manager	21512	12.17
ii)	Steno/Accountant	13998	7.92
iii)	Clerk/Typist/Cashier	13462	7.61
iv)	Unskilled: Helper/Attender/ Watchman/ Hamali / Ayah and other similar categories	12131	6.86

COST OF LIVING ALLOWANCE

The minimum basic rates of wages fixed are linked to the Consumer Price Index Numbers for the industrial workers at **1768** points (Base Year 1982=100 series). The Director of Labour shall notify the Cost of Living Allowance for every six months i.e. 1st April and 1st October of the calendar year. For this purpose, the average rise in the State Industrial Workers Consumer Price Index numbers for half year ending December and June respectively shall be taken into account. The details of calculation of Cost of Living Allowance for any rise in cost of Price Index over and above **1768** points are specified at Col.No.4 against each category in the schedule.

NOTE:-

1. If any categories employees in this employment are left out they should not be paid less than the minimum rates of wages fixed in the category, being the same and similar category of work in this employment.
2. Where piece rate workers are employed, the remuneration to each of them for a normal working day shall not less than the minimum wage fixed for a general workers being similar work calculated on the basis of 8 hours
3. To arrive at a daily rate the monthly rate shall be divided by 26, which includes the rest day wages
4. Where the nature of work is the same, no discrimination on payment of minimum rates of wages should be made in respect of male and female workers.
5. Where any category of employee is actually in receipt of higher rate of wages than those specified above shall continue to be paid such higher wages.
6. If any category of employee is paid other allowances (i.e., other than the notified basic wage) they shall continue to get the said allowances in addition to notified basic wage.
7. If any category of employees is not included in this scheduled employment, they shall be paid same wages of the similar categories in any other scheduled employment. If the same is existed in more than one employment the notified minimum rates of wages whichever is high shall be paid.

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