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LABOUR COMMISSIONER : ODISHA : BHUBANESWAR**

Letter No. 4820 ⁺⁺⁺ / LC, Bhubaneswar, dated 27-05-2019
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NOTIFICATION

Whereas the minimum rate of wages for un-skilled, semi skilled, skilled and highly skilled categories of employees in 89 scheduled employments were fixed/revised by the Government in Labour & ESI Department Notification No. 6502-LL-I(AR)-1/15/LESI dated the 30.10.2018 published in the Extraordinary issue No. 1991 of the Odisha Gazette dated the 30.10.2018 bearing SRO No. 431/2018.

And whereas, the State Advisory Board in its 52nd meeting have advised to adopt a system of Variable Dearness Allowances (VDA) @ Rs. 0.90 per point rise in the Consumer Price Index (CPI) Number for Industrial workers (base 2001-100) as admissible shall be declared at half yearly, interval i.e. on 1st April & 1st October from the date of notification of revised wages, to be effected from 1st April, 2019.

Accordingly the Variable Dearness Allowance @ Rs. 0.90 paisa per point rise in All India Consumer Price Index Number (Base 2001-100) needs to be effected from 1st April, 2019 for the points rised from the date of Notification of the revised minimum wages to 31st March, 2019.

Now therefore, I Sri Anjan Kumar Manik, I.A.S, Labour Commissioner, Odisha in exercise of the powers delegated to me in the aforesaid Notification do hereby¹ notify that the special allowance called as Variable Dearness Allowance @ 6.30 paise shall be payable per day to the un-skilled, semi-skilled, skilled & highly skilled categories of employees in all 89 scheduled employments (list enclosed) w.e.f. 01.04.2019 in addition to the minimum rate of wages notified vide Labour & ESI Department Notification No. 6502-LL-i(ar)-1/15/LESI dtd. 30.10.2018.

Accordingly, the present rate of minimum notified wages including VDA with effect from 01.04.2019 will be as under.

Category	From 30.10.2018	V.D.A. per day w.e.f. 01.04.2019	Minimum Wages with VDA w.e.f. from 01.04.2019
1. Unskilled	Rs. 280/-	Rs. 6.30	Rs. 286.30
2. Semi skilled	Rs. 320/-	Rs. 6.30	Rs. 326.30
3. Skilled	Rs. 370/-	Rs. 6.30	Rs. 376.30
4. Highly Skilled	Rs. 430/-	Rs. 6.30	Rs. 436.30


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M. K. Mishra
27/5/2019

Labour Commissioner, Odisha

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M. K. Mishra
27/5/2019

Labour Commissioner, Odisha

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M. K. Mishra
27/5/2019

Labour Commissioner, Odisha

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Copy to All Deputy Labour Commissioners / All Assistant Labour Commissioners / All District Labour Officers / All Rural Labour Inspectors for information and necessary action. They are requested to circulate the same among all concerned.

M. K. Mishra
27/5/2019

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M. K. Mishra
27/5/2019

Labour Commissioner, Odisha