



Government Of Tamil Nadu

ABSTRACT

Minimum Wages Act, 1948 - Revision of minimum rates of wages for employment in Sericulture - Preliminary Notification - Issued.

LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT (J1) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Ms.No.60

Dated 16.12.2003.

Read:

- (1) G.O. (2D) No. 55, Labour and Employment Department, Dated 31.10.2000.
- (2) From the Commissioner of Labour, Chennai-6, Letter No. Z1/26160/03, Dated 28.07.2003.

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ORDER:

1. In the Government Order read above, the minimum rates of wages for employment in Sericulture were last revised under the provision of Minimum Wages Act, 1948. The Government have now proposed to further revise these minimum rates of wages for the employment in Sericulture.
2. The appended Notification will accordingly be published in the Tamil Nadu government Gazette, both in English and Tamil. The Secretary to Government, Tamil Development Culture (Translation) and Religious Endowment Department is requested to send the Tamil Translation of the Notification to the Works Manager, Government Central Press, Chennai 600 079

(BY ORDER OF THE GOVERNOR)

M.B. PRANESH,

PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

APPENDIX

NOTIFICATION

The following draft Notification which it is proposed to issue, in exercise of the powers conferred by clause (b) of 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 Persons likely to be affected, as required by clause (b) of Sub-section (1) of Section 5 of the said Act.

Notice is hereby given that the draft Notification will be taken into consideration on or after the expiry of two months from the date of publication of this Notification in the Tamilnadu Government Gazette and that any objection or suggestion which may be received from any person with respect thereto before the expiry of the aforesaid period, will be considered by the Government of Tamilnadu. Suggestion or Objection, if any, should be addressed to the Principal Secretary to Government, Labour and Employment Department, Chennai-600 009, through the Commissioner of Labour, Chennai-600 006.

DRAFT NOTIFICATION

In exercise of the powers conferred by clause (b) of sub-section (1) of section 3 and sub-section (2) of section 5 of the Minimum Wages Act, 1948 (Central Act XI of 1948) and in supersession of the Labour and Employment Department Notification No.II(2)/LE/1244/2000, dated the 31st October 2000, published at pages 603 to 604 of Part-II Section 2 of the Tamilnadu Government Gazette, dated the 13th December 2000, the Governor of Tamilnadu hereby revises the minimum rates of wages payable to the classes of employees in the employment in Sericulture in the State of Tamilnadu specified in column (1) of the Schedule below, as specified in the corresponding entries in column(2) thereof.

THE SCHEDULE

EMPLOYMENT IN SERICULTURE

Explanations:-

(1) Dearness allowance:

The employees shall also be paid dearness allowance as indicated below:

(i) The dearness allowances is linked to the average Chennai City Consumer Price Index Number for the year 2000, that is, 475 points (with base 1982=100) and for every rise of one point over and above 475 points an increase of 17 paise per day .

(ii) The dearness allowance shall be calculated every year on the 1st April of every year on the basis of the average of the consumer price indices for the preceding 12 months namely from January to December.

(iii) The first calculation shall thus be effective from the date of publication of this Notification in the TAMIL NADU Government Gazette based on the Average Chennai City Consumer Price Index Number for the previous year.

2) Where the nature of work is the same, no distinction in the payment of wages shall be made in the case of male and female workers.

3) (I) To arrive at daily wages, the monthly wages shall be divided by 26.

(ii) To arrive at the monthly wages, the daily wages shall be multiplied by 30.

4) Wherever the existing wages are higher than the minimum wages fixed herein, the same shall be continued to be paid

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