

The Minimum Wages Act, 1948 (Central Act XI of 1948) – Revision of minimum rates of wages for employment in Distillery Industry - Preliminary Notification - Orders - Issued.

LABOUR WELFARE AND SKILL DEVELOPMENT (J1) DEPARTMENT

G.O.(2D) No.28

Dated 18.06.2021 பிலவ வருடம், ஆனி 4 திருவள்ளுவர் ஆண்டு 2052

Read:

- G.O.(2D) No.20, Labour and Employment (J1) Department, dated 15.02.2018.
- 2. From the Commissioner of Labour, Chennai-600 006, Letter No. Ge 1/7805/2021, dated 15.04.2021.

ORDER:

In the Government Order first read above, the minimum rates of wages for the employment in Distillery Industry were fixed under the provisions of the Minimum Wages Act, 1948 (Central Act XI of 1948). The Government have now proposed to further revise the minimum rates of wages for the above said employment.

2. The appended Notification will, accordingly, be published in the <u>Tamil Nadu Government Gazette</u> both in English and Tamil. The Works Manager, Government Central Press, Chennai-600 001 is requested to publish the Notification and send five copies of the Gazette to the Government and to the Commissioner of Labour for reference and record. The Director, Tamil Development and Information (Translation) Department, Secretariat, Chennai-600 009 is requested to send the Tamil Translation of the Notification to the Works Manager, Government Central Press, Chennai-600 001.

(BY ORDER OF THE GOVERNOR)

R. KIRLOSH KUMAR, SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT.

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The Works Manager, Government Central Press, Chennai-600 001.

(for publication in the Government Gazette).

The Director, Tamil Development and Information (Translation) Department, Chennai-600 009.

The Commissioner of Labour, Chennai-600 006.

The Director of Industrial Safety and Health, Chennai -600 032.

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The Director of Industries and Commerce, Chennai-600 032.

Copy to:

The Secretary to Government of India, Ministry of Labour and Employment, New Delhi-110 001.

The Director, Labour Bureau, Ministry of Labour,

Government of India, SCO-28-31, Sector 17-A, Chandigarh-160 017.

The Employers' and Employees Association

(through the Commissioner of Labour), Chennai-600 006.

The Regional Labour Commissioner, Shastri Bhavan, Chennai-600 006.

The Senior Personal Assistant to the Hon'ble Minister

(Labour Welfare and Skill Development), Chennai-600 009.

The Senior Private Secretary to Secretary to Government,

Labour Welfare and Skill Development Department, Chennai - 600 009.

The Labour Welfare and Skill Development (OP-II) Department, Chennai-600 009.

The Law (L&E-Sty.) Department, Chennai-600 009.

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APPENDIX. NOTIFICATION.

The following draft Notification, which is proposed to be issued 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 thereby, as required by clause (b) of sub-section (1) of section 5 of the said Act.

2. 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 <u>Tamil Nadu Government Gazette</u> 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 Tamil Nadu. Objection or suggestion, if any, should be addressed to the Secretary to Government, Labour Welfare and Skill Development Department, Secretariat, Chennai-600 009 through the Commissioner of Labour, DMS Campus, 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/216/2018, published at page 253 of Part II-Section 2 of the <u>Tamil Nadu Government Gazette</u>, dated the 7th March, 2018, the Governor of Tamil Nadu, hereby revises the minimum rates of wages payable to the classes of employees in the employment in Distillery Industry in the State of Tamil Nadu specified in column (2) of the Schedule below, as specified in the corresponding entries in column (3) thereof:-

THE SCHEDULE. EMPLOYMENT IN DISTILLERY INDUSTRY.

Serial Number.	Classes of employees.	Minimum rate of basic wages. (per month) (Rs.) (3)
1.	Supervisor/Chemist	10763
2.	Skilled / Operator	9982
3.	ITI Certificate Holder	9982
4.	Assistant/Junior Technician	9722
5.	Engineer/Workshop Engineer.	9722
	Administrative Staff	
6.	Manager	10416
7.	Accountant	10416
8.	Sales Executive	10416
9.	Work Officer	10416
10.	Assistant	10156

11.	Clerk	9982
12.	Driver	9982
13.	Office Assistant / Peon	9722
14.	Watchman	9722

<u>Explanations.</u>- (1) <u>Dearness Allowance.</u>- In addition to the minimum rates of basic wages fixed above, the employees shall be paid dearness allowance as indicated below:-

- (i) The dearness allowance is linked to the Average Chennai City Consumer Price Index for the year 2010, that is, 161 points (with base year 2001 = 100) and for every raise of one point over and above 161 points, an increase of Rs.60.35/- (Rupees Sixty and thirty Five paise only) per month shall be paid as dearness allowance.
- (ii) The dearness allowance shall be calculated on the first April of every year on the basis of the average of the indices for the preceding twelve months, namely from January to December.
- (iii) The first calculation shall thus be effective from the date of publication of this Notification in the <u>Tamil Nadu Government Gazette</u>, based on the average of 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 between men and women employees.
- (3) To arrive at daily wages, the monthly wages shall be divided by 26.
- (4) Wherever the existing wages are higher than the minimum wages fixed herein, the same shall be continued to be paid.

R. KIRLOSH KUMAR, SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT.

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