GOVERNMENT OF ASSAM
LABOUR WELFARE DEPARTMENT : : WAGES BRANCH
JANATA BHAWAN: DISPUR : GUWAHATI – 6

ORDER BY THE GOVERNOR
NOTIFICATION

Dated 17th June, 2026

No.E-238621/703 : In continuation to previous Notification No.E-238621/700, dated 13 Feb 2026, the rates of VDA payable to the employees in the following scheduled employments are fixed on the basis of 100% rise on average all India General Consumer Price Index for Industrial Workers. (base 2016=100).

And whereas the average CPI of the period June, 2025 to December, 2025 has risen by 3.78 points i.e, 2.63 % over the average CPI of the period December 2024 to May 2025.

Now, it is hereby notified that the following VDA shall be payable to the employees / workers as specified in Schedule given below w.e.f. **01-01-2026** (The effect dates are being uniformed across all employments).

TABLE

Employment in Bakery, Breweries & Distillery, Black Smith, Biscuit Manufacturing, Film (Production, Distribution & Exhibition) Industry, Carpentry & Masonry, Canteen & Clubs, Co-Operative Consumers Societies, Cleaners, Coaching Academics Including Nursing & English Medium Schools & Technical Institutes, Earth Cutting, Earth Removing. Earth Filling & Earth Levelling Operation, Fruit Preservation, Gold Smith, Hair Cutting Saloon, Grass Cutting & Wood Cutting, L.P.Gas Distribution, Oil & Gas Drilling Workers, Premises wherein Cows & Buffaloes or both are kept for milking, fooding & All Other Similar Processes, Printing & Dying Clothes, Pathological Laboratories, Private Transport, Petrol Pump Workers, Private Hospitals, Readymade Garments, Shops, Commercial Establishment covered by the Schedule, Shop & Commercial Establishments, Eating House & Restaurants, Small Selling Cooked Food Staff, Transportation, Marketing & Distribution of Petroleum Products, Tailoring Industries, Theatres, Tube-Well Sinking Workers, Helpers & Welders (Minor Engineering), Edible Oil Workers, Hotel, Restaurants & Eating Houses Covered by the Scheduled Employments (Shops & Commercial Establishment, Eating Houses & Restaurants)

Employment in Bakery, Agarbatti, Asbestos Cement Factories, Aluminium Industries, Agar Wood Industries, Beverages Manufactories & Vending Establishment, Beedi Making, Brick Making & Brick Kiln, Bought Tea Leaf Factory, Cotton Textile Mills, Cement Based Industry, Chakki Mills, Chemical & Pharmaceutical Industries, Candle Manufacturing, Coffee & Rubber Plantations, Engineering Industry Including Motor Garages, Flour Mills, Food Processing, Gold & Silver Ornaments & Other Articles of Artistic Design Manufacturing, Pan Masala & Gutkha Manufacturing Industries, Handicrafts, Ice Cream & Ice-Candy Manufacturing & Vending Establishment, Ice Factory & Cold Storage, Jute Bailing Industries, Jute Mills, Match Manufacturing, Metal Rolling, Re-Rolling Industry (Ferrous & Non-Ferrous), Motor Body Building, Plywood Industries, Paper Industries, Pottery Industries, Photo & Picture Frame Manufacturing, Poultry & Cattle Feed Manufacturing, Rubber Processing & Rubber Manufacturing, Rice & Oil Mills, Saw Mills Soap Making Industries, Sugar Industries, Trunk & Bucket Manufacturing, Tiles Manufacturing, Tanneries & Leather Manufacturing

Employment in Agriculture, Contractors Estt. of the Forest Department, Co-Operative Marketing Societies, Co-Operative Bank (Other than Co-Operative Central Bank & Apex), Construction or Maintenance of (1) Roads or Building Operation & (2) Stone Breaking & Stone Crushing, Dispensaries, Employees in Electricity Board, Fishing, Casual / Muster Roll Workers in Flood Control Department, Forestry & Timbering Operation, Hydro Electric Project, Handloom Weaving

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Estt., Horticulture Operation, Casual / Muster Roll Workers in Irrigation Department, Khadi & Village Industry, Municipalities & Town Committees, Public Motor Transport including ASTC, Printing Press, Casual / Muster Roll Workers Employed in Public Health Department, Paultry & Dairy Farm, Steamerghat, Small Scale Industries, Seasonal Spray Squads of NMEP under H&FW Deptt., Sericulture Operation

Category of Employees / Workers	**Wages per month**	**Previous VDAs cumulated**	**New VDA per month**	**Total Wages per month**	Wages per day including VDA
Unskilled workers	Rs.7200/-	Rs. 3154.03	Rs. 189.36	Rs. 10543.39	Rs 405.52
Semi Skilled/ unskilled Supervisory	Rs.8400/-	Rs. 3636.51	Rs. 220.92	Rs. 12257.43	Rs 471.44
Skilled Workers /Clerical Workers	Rs.10500/-	Rs. 4546.59	Rs. 276.15	Rs. 15322.74	Rs 589.34
Highly skilled Workers	Rs.13500/-	Rs. 5854.93	Rs. 355.05	Rs. 19709.98	Rs 758.08

Secretary to the Govt. of Assam
Labour Welfare Department

Memo No.E-238621/ 703 -A,

Copy to :-

1. The PPS to the Hon'ble Chief Minister, Assam, Dispur, Guwahati- 6 for kind apprisal of the Hon'ble Chief Minister.
2. PS to Hon'ble Minister, Labour Welfare, Assam, Dispur for kind apprisal of the Hon'ble Minister.
3. SO to the Chief Secretary, Assam, Dispur, Guwahati- 6 for kind appraisal of the Chief Secretary.
4. The P.S. to Senior Most Secretary, Labour and Welfare Department, Dispur, Guwahati- 6
5. The Labour Commissioner, Assam, Shram Bhawan, Guwahati- 7 for information and necessary action.
6. The Deputy Director and Publisher Assam Govt. Press, Bamunimaidan, Guwahati- 21 with a request to publish the notification in the Extraordinary issue of Assam Gazette and to send 100 spare copies thereof to this Department urgently.
7. All ALCs / LOs / LIs concerned.

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8. The Director of Information & Public Relation, Assam, Dispur, Last Gate, Guwahati- 6 with a requested to publish the notification as News Item in the local Daily Newspapers.
9. The Workers' / Employers' Associations for information.

By order etc,

Joint Secretary to the Govt. of Assam,
Labour Welfare Department

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