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CIRCULAR

Sub: Enhancement of Variable Dearness Allowance for Skilled Farm-Workers/Time Scale Farm Workers (unskilled) with effect from 01.04.2019 - Reg.

In continuation to this Office Circular of even number dated 16.10.2018 on the subject cited above, it is to inform that the Government of India's orders on VDA have since been received and approval of the Competent Authority is hereby conveyed for revision of Variable Dearness Allowance to Skilled Farm Workers/Time Scale Farm Workers (unskilled) who are not eligible for the conferment of Temporary Status Scheme as per details given below:-

1. The Skilled Farm Workers working in different Units of CSB all over India shall get enhanced Variable Dearness Allowance w.e.f. 01.04.2019 as under:-

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<tr>
<td>Existing total VDA for Skilled Farm Workers per month (w.e.f 01.10.2018)</td>
<td>Rs. 6008.00</td>
<td>Rs. 5614.00</td>
<td>Rs. 5250.00</td>
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<td>VDA sanctioned w.e.f 01.04.2019 (per month For 26 days)</td>
<td>Rs. 494.00</td>
<td>Rs. 468.00</td>
<td>Rs. 416.00</td>
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<td>Total VDA payable w.e.f. 01.04.2019</td>
<td>Rs. 6502.00</td>
<td>Rs. 6082.00</td>
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The VDA has been enhanced by Rs.19.00 per day w.e.f. 01.04.2019 for Area “A”, Rs.18.00 per day for Area “B” & Rs.16.00 per day for Area “C”.

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2. Similarly, the Time-Scale Farm Workers (Unskilled) working in different Units of CSB all over India shall get enhanced Variable Dearness Allowance w. e. f. 01.04.2019 as under:-

The VDA has been enhanced by Rs.16.00 per day w. e. f. 01.04.2019 for Area “A”, Rs.15.00 per day for Area “B” & Rs.15.00 per day for Area “C”.

**Time Scale Farm Workers (Unskilled):**

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<td>Existing total VDA for TSFWs (Unskilled) per month w.e.f 01.10.2018</td>
<td>Rs. 5332.00</td>
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<td>VDA sanctioned w.e.f. 01.04.2019 (per month For 26 days)</td>
<td>Rs. 416.00</td>
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<td>Total VDA payable w.e.f. 01.04.2019</td>
<td>Rs. 5748.00</td>
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[Note: Monthly payments for VDA are to be calculated for 26 days.]

3. A copy of the order dated 27.03.2019 issued by the Ministry of Labour & Employment, Govt. of India, New Delhi along with classification of cities into areas A, B & C is enclosed, for compliance.

4. Hindi version of the Circular will follow.

Yours faithfully,

(JULIAN TOBIAS)
JOINT DIRECTOR (ADMIN)

To

All the Main Institutes & its nested units of CSB.