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ENDORSEMENT

The Govt. of India, Ministry of Labour & Employment has issued the order No.1/4(1)/12010-LS-II dated 25.3.2010 regarding VDA to the workers employed in Agriculture w.e.f. 1.4.2010. The above mentioned order is being uploaded on the ICAR Web-Site www.icar.org.in for information and further guidance.

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No.1/4(1)/2010LS-H
Government of India

Ministry of Labour & Employment
Office of the Chief Labour Commissioner(C)

New Delhi, Dated 25/3/2010

ORDER

In exercise of the powers conferred by Central Government vide Notification No. 1520(E) dated 20th October, 2005 of the Ministry of Labour and Employment the undersigned orders the payment of Variable Dearness Allowance to the workers employed in Agriculture w.e.f. 1-4-2010 on the basis of the average of All India consumer Price Index for agricultural labourers reaching 519.00 from 468.83 as on 31-12-2009 (Base 1982=100) and thereby resulting in an increase of 50.17 points. The revised Variable Dearness Allowance as under would be payable from 1-4-2010:-

Category of worker	Rates of V.D.A. as area wise (in Rupees)		
	A	B	C
Unskilled	44.00	39.00	39.00
Semi-Skilled/Unskilled/ Supervisory	48.00	44.00	39.00
Skilled/ Clerical	51.00	48.00	44.00
Highly Skilled	56.00	52.00	48.00

Therefore, the minimum rates of wages including the basic rates and Variable Dearness Allowance payable w.e.f. 1-4-2010 to the employees working in Agriculture would be as under:-

Category of worker	Rates of wages including V.D.A. as Area wise (per day) (in Rupees)		
	A	B	C
Unskilled	<u>114.00+44.00</u> 158.00	<u>104.00+39.00</u> 143.00	<u>102.00+39.00</u> 141.00
Semi Skilled/Unskilled Supervisory	<u>125.00+48.00</u> 173.00	<u>116.00+44.00</u> 160.00	<u>107.00+39.00</u> 146.00
Skilled/ Clerical	<u>137.00+51.00</u> 188.00	<u>125.00+48.00</u> 173.00	<u>115.00+44.00</u> 159.00
Highly Skilled	<u>153.00+56.00</u> 209.00	<u>141.00+52.00</u> 193.00	<u>125.00+48.00</u> 173.00

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The VDA has been rounded off to the next higher rupee as per the decision of the Minimum Wages Advisory board meeting held on 26-8-2008.

The classification of workers under different categories and the classification of cities under different areas will be same as in the notification referred to in para 1 as amended from time to time. The present classification of cities into areas A,B&C is enclosed at Annexure I for ready reference.


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To

As per list attached.

A R E A 'A'ANNEXURE -I

Ahmedabad (UA)	Greater Bombay (UA)	Chennai (UA)
Bangalore (UA)	Hyderabad (UA)	Nagpur (UA)
Calcutta (UA)	Kanpur (UA)	Delhi (UA)
Lucknow (UA)		

A R E A 'B'

Agra (UA)	Ghaziabad (UA)	Meerut (UA)
Ajmer (UA)	Gorakhpur (UA)	Moradabad (UA)
Aligarh (UA)	Guwahati	Mysore (UA)
Allahabad (UA)	Guntur	Nasik (UA)
Amaravati (UA)	Gwalior (UA)	Pune (UA)
Aurangabad (UA)	Indore (UA)	Patna (UA)
Barcilly (UA)	Hubli-Dharwad	Raipur
Bhavnagar/Bhopal	Jabalpur (UA)	Rajkot
Bikaner	Jaipur (UA)	Ranchi (UA)
Bhubaneshwar	Jalandhar	Sholapur (UA)
Amritsar	Jamshedpur (UA)	Srinagar (UA)
Calicut (UA)	Jodhpur	Surat (UA)
Chandigarh (UA)	Kolhapur (UA)	Thiruvananthapuram (UA)
Cochin (UA)	Kalyan	Ulhasnagar
Coimbatore (UA)	Kota	Vadodara (UA)
Cuttack (UA)	Ludhiana	Varanasi (UA)
Durgapur	Madurai (UA)	Vijaywada (UA)
		Visshakhapatnam (UA)
		Warangal

Faridabad Complex

AREA : 'C' will comprise all areas not mentioned in this list.

NB : U.A. stands for Urban Agglomeration.