

**INDIAN COUNCIL OF AGRICULTURAL RESEARCH
KRISHI BHAVAN : NEW DELHI-1**

No. 21-14/2007 - CDN



Dated the 30 May, 2007.

To

All Directors/Project Directors of
ICAR Research Institutes.

Sub :- Variable dearness allowance to the labour workers employed in Agriculture
w.e.f. 1.4.2007 - regarding.

A copy of the order No. 1/2(1)/2007 – LS.II dated 2.4.2007 and
corrigendum No. 1-2/2007 – L.S. II dated 19.4.2007 of the Ministry of Labour on the
above cited subject is enclosed for information and guidance.

(P. K. JAIN)
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The Directors of Research Institute are also requested to make available copy
of orders/instructions to the staff side officials JCM of their Instt.

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No.1/2(1)/2007-LS.II
Government of India/Ministry of Labour
Office of the Chief Labour Commissioner ©

New Delhi, Dated 2-4-2007

ORDER

In exercise of the powers conferred by Central Government vide Notification No.1520 (E) dated 20th October, 2005 of the Ministry of Labour, the undersigned orders the payment of Variable Dearness Allowance to the workers employed in Agriculture w.e.f. 1-4-2007 on the basis of the average of All India consumer Price Index for Industrial workers reaching 382 from 361 as on 31.12.2006 (Base 2001 = 100). The revised Variable Dearness Allowance as under would be payable from 1.4.2007 :-

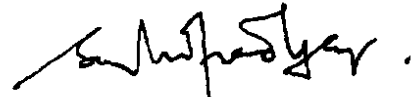
Category of worker	Rates of V.D.A. as Area wise (in Rupees)		
	A	B	C
Unskilled	10.99	9.99	9.98
Semi-Skilled/Unskilled Supervisory	11.99	11.00	9.01
Skilled/Clerical	13.00	11.99	10.99
Highly Skilled	14.50	13.49	11.99

Therefore the minimum rates of wages including the basic rates and Variable Dearness Allowance payable w.e.f. 01-4-2007 to the employees working in Agriculture will be as under :-

Category of worker	Rates of wages including V.D.A as Area wise (per day) (in Rupees)		
	A	B	C
Unskilled	$\frac{114.00 + 10.99}{124.99}$	$\frac{104.00 + 9.99}{113.99}$	$\frac{102.00 + 9.98}{111.98}$
Semi-Skilled/Unskilled Supervisory	$\frac{125.00 + 11.99}{136.99}$	$\frac{116.00 + 11.00}{127.00}$	$\frac{107.00 + 9.01}{116.01}$
Skilled/Clerical	$\frac{137.00 + 13.00}{150.00}$	$\frac{125.00 + 11.99}{136.99}$	$\frac{115.00 + 10.99}{125.99}$
Highly Skilled	$\frac{153.00 + 14.50}{167.50}$	$\frac{141.00 + 13.49}{154.49}$	$\frac{125.00 + 11.99}{136.99}$

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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.



(S.K. MUKHOPADHYAY)
CHIEF LABOUR COMMISSIONER (C)

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)
Bareilly (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)
Cuttck (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.

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To.

1. All Regional Labour Commissioners © with a request to inform all the concerned Trade Unions and Employers. Also issue a press note in English and in a local language to the News papers of the areas to give wide publicity to the above rates.
2. All Assistant Labour commissioners ©/ All Labour Enforcement Officer ©.
3. All central Trade Unions.
4. Labour Departments of All State Governments/Union Territories.
5. Ministry of Urban Development C.P.W.D., Nirman Bhawan New Delhi.
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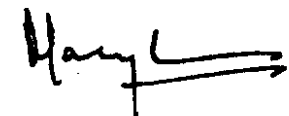
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New Delhi

Dated: 7/4/07

CORRIGENDUM

In partial modification of this office Order :-

1. No. 1/2(1)/2007-LS.II dated 2.4.2007 (Page No.1) regarding Variable Dearness Allowance for the preceding period of six months ending on 31.12.2006 for Workers employed in Agriculture, the rate of Variable Dearness Allowance per day for Semi -skilled Unskilled Supervisory workers (Area 'C') may be read as Rs. 10.01 in place of Rs.9.01 and accordingly figure in para 2 of the above order for same category of worker may also be read as 107.00 + 10.01 = 117.01
2. No. 1/2(2)/2007-LS.II dated 2.4.2007 (page No.3) workers employed in construction or maintenance for category of Unskilled Workers (Area 'A') may be read as Rs.86.46 in place of Rs.88.46.
3. No.1/2(4)/2007-LS.II dated 2.4.2007 (page No.1) Para I & II add as "(i) PARCEL OFFICES OF RAILWAYS; (ii) OTHER GOODSHEDS, GODOWNS, WAREHOUSES ETC. (iii) DOCKS AND PORTS."



(MARY C. JAIKER)
Dy. Chief Labour Commissioner

As per list

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