

GOVERNMENT OF WEST BENGAL  
PANCHAYATS & RURAL DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT  
63, N. S. ROAD : JESSOP BUILDING : KOLKATA-700001

No.8985(56)-RD/PAC(SGRY)/175-16/05

Dated 29<sup>th</sup> December, 2008

From : Dr. M N Roy, IAS  
Principal Secretary to the Government of West Bengal

To : 1. The Sabhadhipati  
\_\_\_\_\_ ZP/Siliguri Mahakuma Parishad (All)  
2. The Principal Secretary, Darjeeling Gorkha Hill Council  
3. The District Magistrate \_\_\_\_\_ District (All)  
4. Additional Executive Officer \_\_\_\_\_ ZP/SMP(All)

***Sub : Revision of wage rates under NREGA and other rural  
employment programme with effect from 1<sup>st</sup> January, 2009***

Sir,

In pursuance of the recent revision made in the minimum wages by the Labour Department, Government of West Bengal, the rates of wages of the labourers under the NREGA and other rural employment programme are revised with effect from 1<sup>st</sup> January, 2009 as under :

- a. Wage rate of adult unskilled worker – Rs.81.00 per day;
- b. Wage rate of adult semi-skilled worker – Rs.122.00 per day;
- c. Wage rate of adult skilled worker – Rs.162.00 per day.

2. The above revised rates of wage will be applicable also to the ongoing works under NREGA and other rural employment programme with effect from 1<sup>st</sup> January, 2009.

3. This revised rates of wage shall be in force until further order.

4. All Panchayat bodies and other Implementing Agencies concerned may be informed of the revised rate of wage immediately.

Yours sincerely,

( M N Roy )

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