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## PART I: SECTION (I) – GENERAL

### **Government Notifications**

#### THE WAGES BOARDS ORDINANCE

#### Notification

#### WAGES BOARD FOR THE GARMENTS MANUFACTURING TRADE

IN accordance with the provisions of Section 28 of the Wages Boards Ordinance (Chapter 136) the Wages Board for the Garments Manufacturing Trade hereby notifies that the Board, by virtue of the powers vested in it by Section 30 of the aforesaid Ordinance, proposes to vary in the manner set out in the Schedule hereto such decisions of the Board as are specified in that schedule.

Objections to the aforesaid proposal will be received by the Chairman of the Board until 12.00 noon on 02nd July 2018.

Every such objection must be made in writing and must contain a Statement of grounds upon which such objection is taken.

C. N. WITHANACHCHI,
Chairman,
Wages Board for the Garments Manufacturing Trade.

Department of Labour, Colombo 05. 07th June, 2018.



#### **SCHEDULE**

The decisions made by the Wages Board for the Garments Manufacturing Trade, and set out in the schedule to the notification published in *Extra ordinay Gazette* No. 14,688 of 25th March, 1966 as varied from time to time and last varied by Notification published in *Extra ordinay Gazette* No. 1789/19, of 18th December 2012, shall be further varied by the substitution for Part II of that Schedule of the following new part.

#### Part II

#### The Minimum Rate of Wages for a Month

Class of Workers

Grade I (a) : Designers, Tailors; Design Punchers, Diskette Makers.

Grade I (b) : Leaders or Section Supervisors;

Grade II : Cutters, Cutters (hand), Machine Minders, Final Checkers

Grade III : Checkers and Sorters, Ironing Operators (Male), Odd job Operators

(Female), Stamping Operators (Female), Ironing Operators (Female), Sewing Machine Operators, Electric Iron Operators, Issuing Operators

(Female), Embroidery Machine/Hand Operators.

Grade IV : Laying out men, Laying out women, Packers, Cellophane Bags and

Cardboard Box-Makers, Unskilled Workers and Stores Labourers.

Grade V : Learners and Apprentices.

The period of apprenticeship in relation to any trade learner or apprentice referred to above shall be deemed to consist of 156 working days.

#### **Rates of Wages**

Year of Employment	Class of Workers					
	Grade I A Rs. Cts.	Grade II B Rs. Cts.	Grade II Rs. Cts.	Grade III Rs. Cts.	Grade IV Rs. Cts.	Grade V Rs. Cts.
1st Year	14,650.00	14,100.00	12,700.00	12,600.00	12,000.00	7500.00
2nd Year	14,850.00	14,275.00	12,850.00	12,725.00	12,100.00	
3rd Year	15,050.00	14,450.00	13,000.00	12,850.00	12,200.00	
4th Year	15,250.00	14,625.00	13,150.00	12,975.00	12,300.00	
5th Year	15,450.00	14,800.00	13,300.00	13,100.00	12,400.00	

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