

**Government of West Bengal
Panchayats & Rural Development Department
Joint Administrative Building
Block HC, Plot No. -7, Sector -III, Salt Lake City
Kolkata-700 106**

No. 4645-RD/O/NREGA/18M-03/12

Date- 29/09/16

ORDER

Whereas the question of giving a raise to the emoluments of the contractual workers engaged for implementation of Mahatma Gandhi NREGA was under active consideration of the State Government for quite some time;

And whereas, the issue of contractual emoluments paid out of the administrative expenses of the Mahatma Gandhi NREGA is decided by the State Government and the last such enhancement of pay was ordered on 22 March 2013 having been given effect to from 1 April 2013 [Order No. 1940 (19)/ RD/O/MGNREGA/18M-03/12];


And whereas the issue was referred to the State Finance Department wherefrom approval has been accorded vide U. O. Number Gr. P/2016-2017/0234 dated 02/09/2016;

It is hereby ordered that all contractually engaged personnel under Mahatma Gandhi NREGA at the State, District, Sub-division (if any), Block and Gram Panchayat levels will have their monthly contractual emoluments raised by 9 (nine) percentage points over and above the monthly remuneration presently enjoyed by each of them with effect from 1 September 2016;

It is also ordered that after the 9 percent increase with effect from 1 September 2016 as ordered above, there will be further increase of 3 percent even subsequent year with effect from 1 July of that year.

Contractual employees under Mahatma Gandhi NREGA shall include employees engaged by the State Rural Development Agency at the state level, the District Programme Coordinators, the Programme Officers and the Pradhans of the Gram Panchayats / appropriate authority in the Programme Implementing Agencies on the basis of the provisions of the West Bengal Rural Employment Guarantee Scheme or Government Orders issued by the Panchayats & Rural Development Department from time to time against the positions expressly provided for by the State Government.

This order shall not include the Village Level Entrepreneurs (VLE), who are paid incentives and the Skilled Technical Persons, who are paid remunerations on work-charge basis.


29.09.2016

(Dibyendu Sarkar)
Commissioner, P&RD Department

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Copy Forwarded to the Principal Secretary, GTA/ DM &DPC (All), AEO (Silliguri Mahakuma Parishad) for information. The order may be circulated to all the Blocks and Gram Panchayats.



29.09.16

(Dibyendu Sarker)

Commissioner, P&RD Department