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Government of West Bengal
Department of Forests

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From: The Joint Secretary to the Govt. of West Bengal

To: The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (HoFF), Government of West Bengal

Sub: Considering prevailing minimum wage rates while preparing estimates as per S.O.R.,
regarding

Sir,

The Schedule of Rates (S.O.R) for Forestry works was approved and communicated by Forest Department vide No.-Nil- Dt. 15/12/2021 processed in file FOR-13011(11)/37/2021-SECTION(FOR)-Dept. of Forest 2065383/2021/Section (FOR) with the approval of Finance Dept. Govt. of West Bengal vide their U.O. No. Group T/2021-2022/0869 dt.02/12/2021.

It is clarified to all concerned that while preparing cost estimates as per the said S.O.R., the prevailing minimum wage rate, as revised and notified by the Labour Department, Govt. of West Bengal from time to time, is to be taken into consideration.

This may please be transmitted to all concerned, for necessary action.

Yours faithfully

Joint Secretary to the Government of West Bengal

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1. PCCF (WL&CWLW), West Bengal
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6. Member Secretary, West Bengal Zoo Authority
7. PS to the HMoS (Independent Charge), Dept. of Forests
8. Sr. P.S. to the Additional Chief Secretary, Dept. of Forests, W.B.

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