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GOVERNMENT OF WEST BENGAL

Labour Department Labour Welfare Branch Writers' Buildings, Kolkata - 700 001

NOTIFICATION

No. 174-LW/1A-04/2008.— dated 13.02.2012.— WHEREAS the proposal to make amendment in the West Bengal Contract Labour (Regulation and Abolition) Rules, 1972, as subsequently amended (hereinafter referred to as the said rules), was published in the *Kolkata Gazette, Extraordinary*, Part I, dated 20.07.2010 vide this Department Notification No. 199- LW / 1A - 04 /2008.— dated 04.03.2010, for information of persons likely to be effected thereby;

NOW, THEREFORE, in exercise of the power conferred by section 35 of the Contract Labour (Regulation and Abolition) Act, 1970(37 of 1970) (hereinafter referred to as the said Act), the Governor is pleased hereby to make after previous publication, as required by sub-section (1) of section 35 of the said Act, the following amendments in the West Bengal Contract Labour (Regulation and Abolition) Rules, 1972, as subsequently amended (hereinafter referred to as the said rules):—

Amendments

In the said rules,—

- (1) for sub-rule (1) of rule 24, substitute the following sub-rule :-
 - "(1) Before a licence is issued, an amount calculated at the rate of 100 rupees for each of the workmen to be employed as contract labour, in respect of which the application for licence has been made, shall be deposited by the contractor for due performance of the conditions of the licence and compliance with the provisions of the Act or the rules made thereunder:

Provided that where the contractor is a Co-operative Society, the amount deposited as security shall be at the rate of 25 rupees for each of the workmen to be employed as contract labour."

(2) for rule 26, substitute the following rules:—
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"26.Fees, (1) The fees to be paid for the grant of certificate of registration under section 7 shall be as specified below, namely:—

If the number of workmen proposed to be employed on contract on any day —

| | | Rupees. |
|-----|-------------------------------------|---------|
| (a) | is 10 but does not exceed 20 | 200.00 |
| (b) | exceeds 20 but does not exceed 50 | 500.00 |
| (c) | exceeds 50 but does not exceed 100 | 1000.00 |
| (d) | exceeds 100 but does not exceed 200 | 2000.00 |
| (e) | exceeds 200 but does not exceed 400 | 4000.00 |
| (f) | exceeds 400 | 5000.00 |

(2) The fees to be paid for the grant or renewal of a licence under section 12 shall be as specified below: If the number of workmen employed by the contractor on any day —

| (a) | is 10 but does not exceed 20 | Rupees. 50.00 |
|------------|-------------------------------------|---------------|
| <i>(b)</i> | exceeds 20 but does not exceed 50 | 125.00 |
| (c) | exceeds 50 but does not exceed 100 | 250.00 |
| (d) | exceeds 100 but does not exceed 200 | 500.00 |
| (e) | exceeds 200 but does not exceed 400 | 1000.00 |
| (f) | exceeds 400 | 1250.00" |

By order of the Governor,

BAIDYANATH CHAKRABORTY,

Dy. Secy. to the Govt. of West Bengal.