

अंडमान तथा निकोबार प्रशासन  
**ANDAMAN AND NICOBAR ADMINISTRATION**  
सचिवालय/SECRETARIAT

Port Blair, dated the 10<sup>th</sup>, August 2023.

**ORDER NO. 2276**

In supersession of Administration's Order No. 1283 dated 9<sup>th</sup> May 2023, the Hon'ble Lt. Governor (Administrator), A & N Islands is pleased to order for grant of 1/30<sup>th</sup> of minimum pay plus dearness allowances to the remaining left out Daily Rated Workers as a onetime measure who have been engaged for regular nature of work (other than DRMs who are engaged on seasonal basis like Forest Department) and working under various Departments, Organizations and Autonomous bodies of A & N Administration. In accordance with the policy decision of A & N Administration vide OM No. 289 dated 22.09.2017, the benefit of 1/30<sup>th</sup> of minimum pay and DA shall be applicable, on the following terms:

- a. The respective Departments, Organizations and Autonomous bodies of Andaman & Nicobar Administration shall adopt the following formula for the purpose of calculation of the enhanced wages
  - (i) DRM Drivers @ 1/30<sup>th</sup> of basic pay of Rs. 19,900 plus applicable DA
  - (ii) Other DRMs @ 1/30<sup>th</sup> of basic pay of Rs. 18,000 plus applicable DA.
- b. The enhanced wages shall be implemented with effect from 1<sup>st</sup> September, 2017.
- c. The concerned departments shall project the additional financial implications arising out of the implementation of the enhanced wages, for additional allocation of funds in RE 2023-2024 and convey the same to the Finance department
- d. In order to rationalize the workforce and to curtail

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unnecessary financial burden on the Government, henceforth, fresh DRM even against the existing slots of DRMs who have since left, shall not be engaged by any Department on its own level, in compliance with the directions of Hon'ble Lt. Governor, A & N Islands vide Note No SLG/PS/2019/757 dated 09.12.2019.

- e. All the Departments, Organizations and Autonomous bodies of the Andaman and Nicobar Administration shall expedite filling up of their regular vacant posts through an open and transparent process as mandated under law and relevant Recruitment Rules
- f. Departments who have exigencies of manpower shall create new posts as per their functional requirements, by observing due formalities and with prior approval of the Competent Authority.

This issues with the approval of the Competent Authority.

(A.YESU RAJ)

Assistant Secretary (Perl.)

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**ORDER BOOK**

Copy to:-

1. The Secretary to Hon'ble Lt. Governor, A & N Islands for kind information.
2. The PS to Chief Secretary, A& N Administration for kind information of Chief Secretary.
3. All Principal Secretaries/Commissioner-cum-Secretaries/Secretaries, Andaman & Nicobar Administration for information & necessary action.
4. All Head of Departments/Offices, Andaman & Nicobar Administration for information & necessary action.
5. All Autonomous bodies & PRIs under A & N Administration for necessary action.

**Signed by A. Yesu Raj**

**Date: 10-08-2023 06:03:00**

**Reason Approved**  
Assistant Secretary (Perl.)