

**MINISTRY OF LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT**  
**(Directorate General of Employment and Training)**

**NOTIFICATION**

New Delhi, the 22<sup>nd</sup> September, 2014.

**G.S.R.680(E)** – In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (1) of Section 37 of the Apprentices Act, 1961 (52 of 1961), the Central Government, after consulting the Central Apprenticeship Council, hereby makes the following rules further to amend the Apprenticeship Rules, 1992, namely:-

1. (1) These rules may be called the Apprenticeship (Second Amendment) Rules, 2014.

(2) They shall come into force on the date of their publication in the Official Gazette:-

2. In the Apprenticeship Rules, 1992, for sub-rule (1) of rule 11, the following shall be substituted, namely:-

“(1) The minimum rate of stipend per month payable to trade apprentices shall be follows, namely:-

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| (a) During the first year of training            | : | Seventy per cent of minimum wage of semi-skilled workers notified by the respective State or Union Territory |
| (b) During the second year of training:          | : | Eighty per cent of minimum wage of semi-Skilled workers notified by the respective State or Union Territory  |
| (c) During the third and fourth year of training | : | Ninety per cent of minimum wage of semi-skilled workers notified by the respective State or Union Territory: |

Provided that in the case where the minimum rate of wage for a trade is not notified by the State Government or Union Territory, then, the maximum of minimum wages of the Schedules Employment notified by such State Government or Union Territory for semi-skilled workers shall be taken into account for paying the stipend in respect of that trade:

Provided further that in the case of trade apprentices referred to in clause (a) of Section 6 of the Act, the period of training already undergone by them in a school or other institution recognised by the National Council, shall be taken into account for the purpose of determining the rate of stipend payable”.

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ALOK KUMAR, Director General/Jt.Secy.

**Note:** The principal rules were published in the Gazette of India, Part-II, section 3, sub-section (i), dated the 1<sup>st</sup> August, 1992 vide notification number G.S.R. 356, dated the 15<sup>th</sup> July, 1992 and last amended vide notification number G.S.R.158 (E), dated the 4<sup>th</sup> March, 2014.

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