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PART I—Orders and Notifications by the Governor of West Bengal, the High Court, Government Treasury, etc.

## GOVERNMENT OF WEST BENGAL LABOUR DEPARTMENT LW/MW BRANCH CRETARIAT BUY DINGS BLOCK A 12TH ELO

NEW SECRETARIAT BUILDINGS, BLOCK-A, 12<sup>TH</sup> FLOOR, 1, KIRAN SHANKAR ROY ROAD, KOLKATA-700 001

No. LABR-I/597329/2025/(LC-LW/MW)

Kolkata, Dated 20.01.2025

## **NOTIFICATION**

Modifications in The West Bengal Migrant Workers' Welfare Scheme, 2023

In partial modification of the Notification No. LABR/124(LC-LW/MW)/5M-2/2023 dated 16th May, 2023 of this Department, already published in the Official Gazette, Kolkata Extraordinary, the Governor is pleased hereby to modify the following provisions of the "The West Bengal Migrant Workers' Welfare Scheme, 2023" in the said Notification:

- 1. The serial no. 2(d) to undergo the following modifications and will be read as... "Migrant Worker means a person of the age in between 14 to 60 years who is, by origin, a resident of West Bengal and self-employed or employed or working or willing to work in a remunerative activity in any State/Union Territories in India other than West Bengal and also in any country outside India".
- 2. "Family" to be included as new serial no. 2(e):

The Sl. No. 2(e) will be read as... "Family relating to a migrant worker shall be deemed to consist of the migrant worker himself, his/her spouse, son up to 21 years of age or physically challenged son/daughter irrespective of age, unmarried daughter and widow daughter— if residing with the migrant worker, dependent parents, the widow and children up to the age of 14 years of a deceased son of the migrant worker".

3. "Nominee" to be included as new serial no. 2(f):

The Sl. No. 2(f) will be read as...... "Nominee means any person within the family of the migrant worker as may be authorized by the migrant worker to receive assistances in case of death of the migrant worker and include legal heirs, in absence of any such person so authorized as nominee or in case of death of nominee".

4. The following 'words and phrase' shall be inserted after the word 'workplace' at the end of the first para under serial no. 3(a):

"or such other details as may be prescribed"— All other provisions, terms and conditions mentioned in this Department's said Notification will remain unaltered.

The Notification shall come into effect on the date of publication of the Official Gazette, Kolkata Extraordinary subject to fulfillment of other provisions of "The West Bengal Migrant Workers' Welfare Scheme, 2023" for this purpose.

By order of the Governor,

AVANINDRA SINGH, IAS

Secretary to the Government of West Bengal

Labour Department.