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The Month in Brief

Consumer Price Index Number for Working Class

The Bombay and Sholapur and Consumer Price Index Number for Working class for the month of July, 1973 with the average prices for the year ended December, 1960 equal to 100 were 235, and 281 respectively. The Jalgaon, Nanded, Poona and Aurangabad Consumer Price Index Number for Working class for the month of July, 1973, with the average prices for the year 1961 equal to 100 were 274, 335, 232, and 304 respectively.

Industrial Disputes

During May 1973, there were 97 strikes involving 27,328 workmen and a time loss of 2,17,252 working days, as compared to 87 disputes in April, 1973 ; involving 27,355 workers and time loss of 2,85,816 man-days. Further particulars of industrial disputes are given at pages 100 to 101 and 124 to 133 of this issue.

Absenteeism

During June 1973, the average absenteeism in the textile industry in seven important textile centres in the State viz. Bombay City, Nagpur, Sholapur, Jalgaon, Nanded, Akola and Aurangabad amounted to 20.83 per cent as against 22.76 per cent. in May 1973. For further particulars see pages 102 of this issue.

Production of Cotton Yarn Spun and Manufacture of cloth

During March 1973, Mills in Bombay City produced a total of 1,56,45,000 kgs. of yarn 2,05,000 kgs. of Miscellaneous goods such as blankets, hosiery goods and knitted a fabrics and packed 44,92,000 metres of cotton goods mixed with silk wool, terene, etc. and packed 9,97,92,000 metres wearable and non-wearable cloth and those in Rest of Maharashtra produced 52,81,000 Kgs. of yarn, 1,26,000 Kgs. of miscellaneous goods such as blankets, hosiery and knitted fabrics and packed 2,52,04,000 metres of wearable and non-wearable cloth. The total production of cotton yarn, miscellaneous goods and mixed with silk. wool, terene, etc. packing of wearable and non-wearable cloth for the whole State of Maharashtra amounted to 2,0926,000 Kgs., 3,31,000 Kgs., 45,12,000 metres and 12,49,96,000 metres respectively.

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Current Notes

Wages Committee for rubber Industry

The Government of Maharashtra has appointed under the chairmanship of Shri E. B. Nimbalkar, M.L.A., a committee to hold enquiries and to advise the State Government in the matter of revising minimum rates in the rubber manufacturing industry.

The representative of employers are : Dr. K. N. Modak, Honorary General Secretary, All India Rubber Industries Association, Modak Rubber Products Pvt. Ltd., Bombay ; Shri D. M. Gokhale, Partner, Kohinoor Rubber Products, Poona ; and Shri W. G. Desai, C/o Indian Rubber Generating Co. Ltd., Thana

The representatives of employees are : Shri K. A. Iyer, General Secretary, Bombay Rubber Employees Union, Bombay ; Shri G. P. Coutinho, President, Paper, Rubber and General Workers' Union, Bombay ; and Shri Sadashi Bhat, General Secretary, Poona Labour Union, Poona.

Over 37 Lakh Workers on scarcity works

As many as 37,40,845 workers were daily working on 53,060 scarcity works in 25 districts of the State as on July 15. The daily attendance of workers on 4,685 normal departmental works was 2,24,484 bringing the total number of workers to 39, 65,329 on 57,745 works of both the types.

An expenditure of Rs. 159.06 crores has so far been incurred on relief works in the present scarcity period.

The daily average number of persons receiving gratuity relief as on July 1 was 98,541 the amount distributed being Rs. 91,82,941.

In 25 districts, 55,985 community wells have been taken up and out of these as many as 14,001 have become successful.

Under the wells programme as on July 1, 1973, blasting was complete in respect of 35,264 wells ; 729 wells were bored ; 970 wells were bored with deep drilling and 1,456 wells were revitalised. The number of wells undertaken by zilla parishads as on July 1 was 893.

An expenditure of Rs. 86,98,946 was incurred, till July 15, on provision of drinking water in 25 districts. The amount of tagai loans disbursed during 1972-73 came to Rs. 8.33 crores. An amount of Rs. 9.6 crores has been allotted for tagai for 1973-74.

There were 56 cattle camps with 1,998 cattle heads as on July 15.

Over 30.55 lakh persons working on the scarcity relief works in 25 districts were receiving 'sukhadi' every day as on July 15. The total expenditure on this account came to Rs. 12.01 crores.

Up to July 1, 1973, as many as 3,739 tanks were undertaken out of which 866 were completed. In all 527 canal works were also undertaken the total length excavated being 949.5 km. Road works with 66,420 km. length were also completed till July 1. Bunding in 14,43,977 hectares was completed during this period.

Board for Khoka making Establishments—Employees and Employer register

The Government of Maharashtra has set up a Board for Khoka making establishments and timber markets and shops under Khoka and Unprotected Workers (Regulation of Employment and Welfare) Scheme.

Under the clauses 14 and 15 of the scheme, the employers and employees are required to register themselves with the board.

The registration forms can be had from the office of the Board for Khoka Making Establishments and Timber Market and Shops, C/o 50, Broad Street, Bombay-9.

The aforesaid scheme has been formulated under the Maharashtra Hamal and other Manual Workers (Regulation of Employment and Welfare) Act, 1969.

Increased Dearness Allowance for Municipal Employees

The Government of Maharashtra has sanctioned increased dearness allowance with effect from August 1, 1972, to the municipal employees in the State. The dearness allowance is to be paid on the conditions at the rates sanctioned to the Government employees.

For the purpose, the Government has sanctioned the payment of dearness allowance grants to the municipal councils. Accordingly 'A' class municipal councils will receive 80 per cent grants, 'B' class 85 per cent and 'C' class 90 per cent grants on the expenditure incurred on dearness allowance of employees who are brought on to the raised pay scales. As regards expenditure incurred on the dearness allowance of the employees who are not brought on to the revised pay scales, the Government grants will be 50 per cent of the expenditure.

The arrears payable on account of these increased rates for the period August 1, 1972 to March 31, 1973 will be credited to the Provident Fund Accounts of the municipal employees. However, there will be no contribution by the municipal councils in respect of arrears of dearness allowance. These arrears will be paid in cash in the cases where Provident Fund schemes are not in operation and where Provident Fund Accounts are required to be opened.

I. T. I. Institute at Wangaon

The Government of Maharashtra has accorded sanction to the establishment of an Industrial Training Institute at Wangaon in Thana district with effect from August 1, 1973. In the beginning there will be 56 seats in the institute under : Turner—12 ; Fitter—16 ; Welder—12 and Carpenter—16.

Wooden Furniture Making Industry

The Government of Maharashtra has fixed from August 15, 1973 the rates of wages payable to the different categories of employees in an

Progress at Counter-Inflation talks, British Ministers meet TUC leaders

A further meeting on 27th July 1973 between British Government Ministers and the leaders of the Trades Union Congress (TUC) on fighting inflation described by the Prime Minister, Mr. Edward Heath, as one of the most successful so far, said the Chancellor of the Exchequer, Mr. Anthony Barber. Both sides were agreed on the importance of making Phase 3 of the Government's counter-inflationary policy, due to begin in the autumn, effectively slowing down inflation.

Following a general discussion of the economy in the framework of the Government's aims of an expanding economy and reduced inflation, the main specific topic yesterday was how to reconcile free collective bargaining with the attainment of the second aim. The matter would be discussed further. Mr. Barber said that the Government had not yet been convinced that in present circumstances unrestricted bargaining could be reconciled with the containment of inflation. It would be the Government's responsibility to decide.

Next Meeting

Between now and the next meeting, in three or four weeks, there is to be a continuing staff discussion and the Prime Minister will submit to the TUC proposals on threshold agreements and the means of making the best use of productive resources.

Threshold agreements provide for wage increases which come into force only if the cost of living rises at more than a stated rate. Much thought has been given to them in recent years as a means of taking steam out of the pressure for wage rises.

The TUC General Secretary, Mr. Victor Feather, said he agreed with the Prime Minister's view of the success of the meeting. The TUC shared the Government's view that the attack on inflation was of the utmost importance. At the same time it was opposed to any restrictions on collective bargaining. He was glad that the Government had agreed to respond in detail to the TUC representations, which called for stronger price control, food subsidies and increased pensions.

Mr. Barber said that it was all the more important to co-operate together to produce more and slow down price rises because of the unprecedented increases in world commodity prices.

Chancellor's Comments

Following is the text of remarks on 27th July 1973 by the Chancellor of the Exchequer, Mr. Anthony Barber, at a Press conference following:

"I think it will be remembered that at the last meeting which we had with the TUC, there were five subjects which were agreed for discussion, and we met at 10, Downing Street under the chairmanship of the Prime Minister this morning and then again this afternoon, and at this meeting we discussed

This afternoon, we concentrated mainly on a very big subject and that is how to reconcile free collective bargaining with the containment of inflation, and we considered both the strengths and the weaknesses of free collective bargaining, the advantages and the disadvantages.

We also touched for a time on the question of profits and we also spent quite a time discussing productivity bargaining. At the end of the meeting this afternoon, the Prime Minister suggested that we should submit to the TUC a paper for consideration by them—for consideration in depth—on the question of thresholds, a further paper about the consequences of the announcements which were made in the debate the other day in the House of Commons concerning rate rebates and allowances, and also a very important paper about the best use of our productive resources."

Primary Purpose

There will be, between now and the next meeting with the TUC, continuing staff discussions and then, at the next meeting, the remaining items in the paper which was submitted by the TUC will be discussed, and there will be some consideration given to the actual date of the next meeting but it is expected that it will be in about three or four weeks' time.

To secure rising prosperity for the British people, we have to do two things : we have to sustain an expanding economy and we have to reduce the rate of inflation. In common-sense language, we cannot become more prosperous unless we are prepared to co-operate together both to produce more and to slow down the rise in prices. This is all the more important when we are suffering from an unprecedented rise in world prices over which we have no control.

We are all agreed that there is no point in working towards an arrangement in the autumn to follow Stage 2 which would itself contribute to inflation. The whole purpose of these talks is to agree together on fair action to slow down the rate of inflation and to safeguard our expansion.

Controlling Money Supply

The second point I want to make concerns the recent disturbance in the foreign exchange markets. During recent weeks foreign interest rates have risen considerably and one consequence of this has been some movement of funds out of London and pressure on the exchange rate. Today the Bank of England minimum lending rate has been raised from 9 per cent to 11½ per cent. This action will both stem the rate of domestic monetary expansion and it will also make our interest rates competitive with those abroad.

The purpose is to keep the growth of money supply firmly under control and to strengthen sterling. I know of course all the difficulties which can be caused by rising interest rates, but in these circumstances this action is essential

I should, perhaps, just add that there is a long-arranged meeting in Washington and I am leaving for Washington in about an hour or two—a long-arranged meeting to deal with the long-term reform of the international monetary system and I mention this because, of course, if we are to solve the sort of problems with which the world currency markets have been faced during these recent weeks, then it is essential to push on with the longer-term reform of the system.

We shall certainly not solve everything at our meeting, but I hope that we shall make good progress."

Resumption of Staggering of Weekly Holidays

The Government of Maharashtra has clarified that the orders relating to staggering of weekly holidays stand revived from September 1, and the programme of staggering as applicable to each industrial establishment as fixed in October last, now becomes operative until further orders.

It may be recalled that the orders relating to staggering of weekly holidays in industrial establishments had been kept suspended for the period from August 1 to 31 only.

C. M. Lauds M.S.T.C.s' Work in Running 'Sick' Mills

In inaugurating a two-day conference of Chief executive officers and general managers of the Maharashtra State Textile Corporation at Sachivalaya on the morning, the Chief Minister of Maharashtra, Shri V. P. Naik, said that the country had skill, capacity and talent enough to make every public sector undertaking successful as had been so convincingly demonstrated by the Maharashtra State Textile Corporation, which was probably the biggest industrialist, running 24 units and employing 52,000 workers.

The Chief Minister pleaded for the proper organisation of this talent and said that the M.S.T.C., now having turned corner from a position of loss to that of profit, had a great opportunity to set up a model before the country.

Giving the background of the situation in which the sick textile mills were taken over by the State Government to provide jobs to those rendered jobless by the sick mills, the Chief Minister said that this take over had a social and national background. It underlined the State Government's concern to provide jobs to those prepared to work and to help the poor. The State's Guarantee Employment Scheme in rural areas for all able bodied persons also reflected this concern. He referred to the doubts which were expressed when the mill was taken over in 1957. The situation had now vastly changed and the corporation was now in a position not only to pay the arrears but even to carry out improvements and renovations.

Shri Naik said that fortunately textile mills...

The Chief Minister exhorted the Corporation to tap the various financing agencies and not depend on the Government only, which had to fulfil many other commitments. Irrigation facilities to increase agricultural production was one such commitment, and therefore, he thought, it would be better if the corporation stood on its own feet progressively.

The Chief Minister was happy that the corporation had on its board of directors, 3 directors from amongst the workers. This was necessary, he said, as it would directly involve the workers in the programming of the Corporation. The State Government was pursuing this policy in other state government undertakings because without the willing and intelligent co-operation of the workers industries could not run efficiently. This was all the more so as in an undertaking of this type the employer and employee relationship theory did not fit in as the employer here did not want to squeeze the workers.

The Chief Minister attributed the failure of some public sector undertakings to lack of decentralized power, artificial control and lack of sense of participation on the part of the workers. The sense of belonging to the unit would enthuse the worker to put in his best and increase the production, he said,

The Chief Minister also pleaded for a separate identity for the Maharashtra State Textile Corporation as it had been reported that the forthcoming National Textile Corporation would be holding the Corporation after nationalisation and the State Textile Corporation would have to be wound up or would have to become a subsidiary corporation of the Corporation. The Government would make efforts to preserve the separate identity of the corporation, he said.

Concluding, the Chief Minister expressed confidence about the Corporation's success and cited in this connection the example of cotton trade takeover which was a great success in the very first year of its inception.

Speaking on the occasion, Shri N. M. Tidke, Minister for Industries complemented the Corporation for the successful running of the sick mills in the State. He said that the corporation had not only provided employment to these workers but also stabilised the decentralised handloom and powerloom industry.

The Minister further said that the percentage of the scheduled castes and scheduled tribes workers should be observed according to the Government directives. In respect of the self employment programme, the Minister suggested that the educated youths in poor families should be given priority in recruitment in the industry. He also suggested that the educated sons of the workers should be provided loan facilities from the Nationalised Banks under the guarantee of the Corporation.

Shri D. J. Madan, Chairman of the Corporation welcomed the guests and explained the purpose of the conference. He also detailed the background of the take over of the sick mills, the role of the Corporation in improving its working, the progress achieved so far and the future outlook and plans of the Corporation.

**PUBLIC UTILITY SERVICE DECLARED IN THE MONTH OF
JULY 1973**

The following undertakings have been declared as the Public Utility Service under the provisions of the Industrial Disputes Act, 1947, for the period indicated against them.

Serial No.	Name of the Undertaking	Period	No. and date of the Notification of M. G. G. in which published
1	Kolhapur Municipal Transport Service, Kolhapur.	Six months from 21st July 1973.	IDA.-1469/Lab.-II, dated 21st July 1973, M.G.G. Part I-L on 5th July 1973, at page 5717.
2	Bombay Municipal Corporation, Bombay, and Poona Municipal Corporation, Poona.	Six months from 19th July 1973.	IDA.-1469/Lab.-II, dated 29th June 1973, M.G.G. Part I-L on 19th July 1973 at page 6310.

**ALL INDIA AVERAGE CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBER
FOR INDUSTRIAL WORKERS (ON BASE : 1960—100)
FOR JUNE 1973**

The All-India Average Consumer Price Index Number for Industrial Workers (General) on base 1960—100 for June 1973 is 233 (Two hundred and Thirty Three) as compared to 228 in May 1973. The index for June 1973 on base 1949—100 derived from the 1960 based index works out to 283.

Articles, Reports, Enquiries, etc.

(The views expressed in signed Articles appearing in this section carry weight in as much as they are expressed by the persons who know their subjects well. They, however, do not necessarily reflect the views of Government. All rights concerning these Articles are reserved.)

FINDING JOBS FOR THE PROFESSIONALS

BY

RUTH ELLIOTT*

Britain's biggest employment agency aims to place 150,000—200,000 professional, executive and managerial applicants in jobs each year.

“I ask employers to give us five days to present them with a shortlist of picked candidates,” says Dewi Rees, Director of the Department of Employment's new Professional and Executive Recruitment (PER) service.

How can he hope to run a sophisticated, countrywide service at such speed, dealing as it will have to with variously trained and experienced job seekers and fitting them into often highly specialised posts in industry, the professions and government service ?

Computer Based

The countrywide register is computer-based and therefore can cover the whole country far more comprehensively than any commercial agency could.

Some 85—90 per cent of all the applications can in fact be dealt with by sorting them under headings for age, salary, educational and technical qualifications, experience, geographical mobility, salary and sex, even without time consuming interviews to establish these simple facts.

The computer can produce suitable candidates for, say, a vacancy in Bahrain for an Arabic-speaking marine biologist, for a journalist with some knowledge of agriculture or even sort out a possible job for an experienced works manager from Newcastle in the north east of England who may have narrowed his choice by choosing to remain in the place where he happens to be living.

The new recruitment register, formally launched on 1st March 1973, is based on 40 computer-linked offices in all parts of Britain and is part of a general re-gearing of Britain's employment services at all levels. This is planned as much to help industry and commerce with their immediate and changing needs for trained personnel as to help unemployed people find new jobs.

Changing Jobs

Approximately 10 per cent of Britain's 24 million working population falls within the categories for which the PER will cater : technicians, managers, graduates, computer specialists, researchers, marketing and sales men and

job in any one year, some because they are unemployed, others because they are hoping to better themselves.

Dewi Rees has spent much of his working life in industry and feels that the social role of a government service such as PER will be all the more efficient if it is also commercially successful. He aims to cater for a mass market with methods of modern mass marketing: "When we put six men before an employer three may be employed, three not. But they will be the best men for the job. My aim is not to put men on as many shortlists as possible."

He sees it as one of the definite advantages of modern technological society that jobs and employment prospects are changing and that few people nowadays expect to stay in one job until their retirement. "Of course good men could always improve themselves by changing jobs every four or five years but a change of job gives any man a second chance, especially if he has been in a dead end job."

Near-Automatic Service

While the computer can provide a near automatic mail order job finding service for the bulk of applicants specially trained interviewers will see those unemployed executives who may be having difficulty in landing new posts. They will try to rebuild shattered morale, sometimes with occupational guidance or a crash retraining programme, and help the executives to understand his problems: Are his skills adequate? Or out-of-date? Would retraining help? Are his salary and or status expectations excessive?

With so much attention focussed on job applicants registrations of vacancies are eagerly sought from employers, both state and private. From his personal knowledge of the labour market on both sides of the fence Dewi Rees has taken pains to present the new service personally to hundreds of industrialists in centres throughout the country—"I have pulled out all the stops."

He expects job applicants to do the same and encourages them to contact professional bodies and even commercial agencies in their quest for employment although he presumably feels that PER is likely to place all the square pegs, into appropriately square holes first. "Well, we are far the biggest in the game".

But sheer size is not to be allowed to hinder the new service's freedom to innovate and expand. Dewi Rees is already talking to contacts overseas about jobs. Experience, training and opportunities must never be allowed to go to waste.



Notifications Under Labour Laws

CORRIGENDUM

Maharashtra Mathadi, Hamal and Other Manual Workers (Regulation of Employment and Welfare) Act, 1969.

*Industries and Labour Department No. UWA. 1473/183501/Lab-IV, 21st July 1973.*¹—In Government Notification, Industries and Labour Department, No. UWA. 1472/163418/Lab-IV, dated the 31st January 1973, published in the *Maharashtra Government Gazette, Extraordinary*, dated the 1st February 1973, at pages 139 to 157, in the Metal (excluding Iron and Steel) and Papers Unprotected Workers (Regulation of Employment and Welfare) Scheme, 1973,—

(a) in clause 4, in sub-clause (f), on page 141, for "Personal Officer" read "Personnel Officer";

(b) in clause 9, in sub-clause (e) (iii), for "registered worker" read "registered workers".

CORRIGENDUM

Maharashtra Mathadi, Hamal and Other Manual Workers (Regulation of Employment and Welfare) Act, 1969.

*Industries and Labour Department No. UWA. 1473(FSH)/183500/Lab-IV, 21st July 1973.*²—In Government Notification, Industries and Labour Department, No. UWA. 1471 (FSH)/161764/Lab-IV, dated the 30th December 1972, published in the *Maharashtra Government Gazette, Extraordinary, Part I-L*, dated the 1st January 1973, at pages 41 to 58, in the Fishing Industry Unprotected Workers (Regulation of Employment and Welfare) Scheme, 1972,—

(a) in clause 4, in sub-clause (h), on page 42, for "registered pool workers" read "register of pool workers";

(b) in clause 9, in sub-clause (1), for "provision of" read "provisions of";

(c) in clause 16, in sub-clause (2), for "monthly worker" appearing at two places read "monthly workers";

(d) in clause 22, Heading for "Surrendered of Cards" read "Surrender of Cards";

(e) in clause 29, in sub-clause (3), for "shall not engaged" read "shall not be engaged";

(f) in clause 42,—

(i) in sub-clause (i), in the last line, for "egistered employers" read "registered employers";

(ii) in sub-clause (3), in the last line, for "he State Government" read "the State Government".

CORRIGENDUM

Maharashtra Mathadi, Hamal and Other Manual Workers (Regulation of Employment and Welfare) Act, 1969.

Industries and Labour Department No. UWA. 1473/183502/Lab-IV, 21st July 1973.
 Government Notification, Industries and Labour Department, No. UWA 1472/152 Lab-IV, dated the 31st January 1973, published in the *Maharashtra Government Gazette Extraordinary*, Part I-L, dated the 1st February 1973, at pages 158 to 174, in the *Khadim and Timber Unprotected Workers (Regulation of Employment and Welfare) Scheme, 1973*.

- (a) in clause 6, in sub-clause (11) (iv), on page 161, *for* "divise forms" *read* "diverse forms";
- (b) in clause 11, in sub-clause (2), Heading—
for "Monthly Register" *read* "Register of workers";
- (c) in clause 14, *for* "appended to the within" *read* "appended to the Scheme with";
- (d) in clause 22, Heading—
for "Surrendered of Cards" *read* "Surrender of Cards";
- (e) in clause 29, in sub-clause (3), *for* "engaged himself" *read* "engage himself";
- (f) in clause 30, in sub-clause (4), *for* "workers no piece rate" *read* "workers on rate";
- (g) in clause 37, in sub-clause (1), *for* "poo" *read* "pool";
- (h) in clause 38, in sub-clause (4), *for* "instructions of the ard" *read* "instructions of the Board";
- (i) in clause 40, *for* "purpose o satisfying" *read* "purpose of satisfying".

Industrial Disputes Act, 1947

I

Government of Maharashtra has declared the employment of workmen in the Fire Brigade services under the Bombay Municipal Corporation, Bombay and the Poona Municipal Corporation, Poona, to be a Public Utility Service for the purpose of the Act for a further period of six months from 19th July 1973.

(Government Notification, Industries and Labour Department, No. IDA. 1469/Lab-I, dated 29th June 1973, published in *M. G. G.*, Part I-L, dated 19th July 1973 at page 167)

Industrial Disputes Act, 1947

II

The Government of Maharashtra has appointed Shri D. B. Tadwalkar, Civil Judge (First Division), Nagpur, to be the Presiding Officer, of the Second Labour Court, Nagpur, to fill the vacancy occurred by reason of the expiry of the term of re-employment of Shri Phatak.

(Government Notification, Industries and Labour Department, No. IDA. 1173/Lab-II, dated 12th June 1973, published in *M. G. G.*, Part I-L, dated 26th July 1973 at page 670A)

Industrial Disputes Act, 1947

III

Government of Maharashtra has declared the (1) Workshops, garages and depots and (2) Road Transport Service operated by the Maharashtra State Road Transport Corporation in the Maharashtra to be public utility service for the purpose of the Act for a further period of six months from 5th August 1973 and 26th August 1973 respectively.

(Government Notifications, Industries and Labour Department Nos. IDA. 1467 and 1468/Lab-II, dated 18th July 1973, published in *Maharashtra Government Gazette*, Part I-L, dated 2nd August 1973 at Pages 6796 and 6798.)

Industrial Disputes Act, 1947

IV

Government of Maharashtra has declared the Oxygen and Acetylene Industry to be a public utility service for the purpose of the said Act for a further period of six months from 9th August 1973.

(Government Notification, Industries and Labour Department No. IDA. 1050/Lab-II, dated 18th July 1973, published in *M.G.G.*, Part I-L, dated 2nd August 1973 at Page 6799.)

Payment of Wages Act, 1936

Government of Maharashtra has appointed Sri D. B. Tadwalkar, Judge, Second Labour Court, Nagpur, to be the authority to hear and decide for the areas of Nagpur District, all claims arising out of deductions from the wages or delay in Payment of Wages, or persons employed or paid in those areas, including all matters incidental to such claims.

(Government Notification, Industries and Labour Department, No. PWA. 1573/187125/Lab-III-A, dated 3rd July 1973, Published in *M. G. G.*, Part I-L, dated 25th July 1973 at Page 6717.)

Maharashtra Mathadi, Hamal and other Manual Workers (Regulation of Employment and Welfare) Act, 1969.

I

Government of Maharashtra has made rules, the Maharashtra Mathadi, Hamal and other Manual Workers (Regulation of Employment and Welfare) (Amendment) Rules, 1973 and amended as below:—

2. In rule 2 of the Maharashtra Mathadi, Hamal and other Manual Workers (Regulation of Employment and Welfare) Rules, 1973 (hereinafter referred to as "the said rules"),—

(i) clauses (b) and (f) shall be deleted; and clauses (c), (d), (e) and (g) shall be re-numbered as clauses (b), (c), (d) and (e) respectively;

(ii) after clause (e), so re-numbered, the following shall be added, namely:—

"(f) words and expressions used but not defined in these rules shall have the meanings respectively assigned to them in the Act."

3. In rule 6 of the said rules, in the proviso to sub-rule (1),—

(a) after the words "is not a graduate" the following shall be inserted, namely:—

"but who has passed the Secondary School Certificate Examination or any other equivalent examination of a recognised university";

(b) the words "the general qualifications of the person" shall be deleted;

4. In the Forms appended to the said rules, below the words and figures 'Form I', 'Form II', 'Form III' and 'Form IV' respectively, the brackets, words and figures " (See rule 4) " shall be inserted.

(Government Notification, Industries and Labour Department, No. UWA. 1169/172 Lab-IV, dated 8th June 1973, published in M.G.G., Part I-L, dated 26th July 1973 at Page 6702.)

Maharashtra Mathadi, Hamal and other Manual Workers (Regulation of Employment and Welfare) Act, 1969.

II

Government of Maharashtra, after consultation with the Advisory Committee has approved the following scheme, the same having been previously published as required by sub-section (1) of the said Section 4, namely :—

1. (1) This scheme may be called the Cotton Markets Unprotected Workers (Regulation of Employment and Welfare) (Amendment) Scheme, 1973.

(2) It shall come into force on and from 16th July 1973.

2. In the Cotton Markets Unprotected Workers (Regulation of Employment and Welfare) Scheme, 1972,—

(1) in clause 2, in sub-clauses (1) and (2), after the word " measuring " the words " filling, stitching, sorting, cleaning " shall be inserted ;

(2) in clause 3, after sub-clause (3) the following shall be added, namely :—

" (iv) Clauses 14 and 15 of this Scheme shall in relation to the employment in cotton markets and godowns and in cotton ginning and pressing factories, cotton waste factories and godowns thereof ; in connection with filling, stitching, sorting or cleaning come into force from 16th July 1973 and the remaining clauses of this Scheme shall, in relation to the employment in cotton markets and godowns and in cotton ginning and pressing factories, cotton waste factories and godowns thereof in connection with filling, stitching, sorting, or cleaning, come into force from 16th August 1973. "

(Government Notification, Industries and Labour Department, No. UWA. 1273/172 Lab-IV, dated 15th June 1973, published in M.G.G., Part I-L, dated 26th July 1973 at Page 6706 and 07.)

Maharashtra Mathadi, Hamal and other Manual Workers (Regulation of Employment and Welfare) Act, 1969.

III

Government of Maharashtra has appointed Shri H. A. Sathe, Assistant Commissioner of Labour, Bombay, who shall hold office until a Board is duly constituted under Section 10 of the Act for the Scheduled employment in the khoka making establishment and T markets and Shops.

Bombay Industrial Relations Act, 1946

The Government of Maharashtra has appointed Shri D. B. Tadwalkar (having the prescribed qualifications) to preside over the Second Labour Court at Nagpur, and for that purpose amended the Principal notification as amended by the amending notifications as follows, namely :—

In clause (2) of the notification ; for the words and letters " Shri S. R. Pathak " the word and letters " Shri D. B. Tadwalkar " shall be substituted.

(Government Notification, Industries and Labour Department, No. BIR. 2773/173527/ Lab-I, dated 12th June 1973, published in *M. G. G.*, Part I-L, dated 26th July 1973 at Page 6703.)

Bombay Shops and Establishments Act, 1948

Government of Maharashtra has amended schedule II of the Act and added after entry No. 171 the following, namely:—

" 172. Establishments of the Food Corporation of India, Bombay."

All Provisions except the Provisions of the section 63 thereof for a period of six month from the date of issue of the notification.

(Government Notification, Industries and Labour Department No. BSE. 1473/178722/ LAB-III-A, dated 25th June 1973, published in *Maharashtra Government Gazette*, Part-I-L, dated 26th July 1973 at Page 6712.)

Personal Injuries (Compensation Insurance) Act, 1963 (37 of 1963)

The Government of India has directed as below :—

(i) in the case of an employer having a policy in force on the 30th September 1972, the amount of the advance premium payable in respect of the quarters ending on the 31st December 1972, 31st March 1973 and 30th June 1973, shall be nil and,

(ii) in the case of a person who becomes an employer for the first time during any quarter subsequent to the quarter ending on the 30th September 1972, and is required to take out a policy of insurance in accordance with the provisions of the Personal Injuries (Compensation Insurance) Scheme, 1972, the amount of advance premium in his case shall be three paise per one hundred rupees of his wages bill for the first quarter only in which he is required to take out the policy and the amount of advance premium for the subsequent quarters shall be nil.

(Government Notification, Industries and Labour Department, No. PIA. 1072/180098/ Lab-III-B, dated 9th July 1973, published in *Maharashtra Government Gazette*, Part I-L, dated 2nd August 1973 at Page 6786.)

Contract Labour (Regulation and Abolition) Act, 1970

Government of Maharashtra has appointed Professor, V. B. Kamath as a member representing the principal employers on the State Advisory Contract Labour Board in the vacancy caused by the resignation of the chairman of the Maharashtra State Board of the All India Manufacturer's Organisation and for that purpose Government has amended the said notification as follows, namely :—

In the Schedule appended to the said notification, in entry 3, for the words and figures "The Chairman, Maharashtra State Board of the All India Manufacturer's Organisation,

Factories Act, 1948

The Government of Maharashtra has appointed the Inspectors for the purpose of the Act for the local areas, specified to be the authority to which the Inspector shall be official subordinate.

Name of the Inspector	Local Area	The authority to which Inspector shall be official subordinate
1. Shri N. B. Shinde	.. Poona, Satara, Ahmednagar, Nasik, Dhulia,	Deputy Chief Inspector of Factories, Poona
2. Shri G. R. Gujar	.. Jalgaon, Sangli, Kolhapur, Sholapur and Ratnagiri Districts.	
3. Shri Y. V. Thite	..	
1. Shri V. S. Karmarkar	.. Greater Bombay and Districts of Thana and Kolaba.	Deputy Chief Inspector of Factories, Bombay
2. Shri D. P. Mathrani	..	
3. Shri H. D. Patil.		
4. Shri D. S. Dharmasthal.		
1. Shri V. K. Shrivastav	.. Nagpur, Wardha, Akola, Chanda, Bhandara, Amravati, Bhir, Buldhana, Yeotmal, Aurangabad Parbhani, Osmanabad and Nanded Districts.	Deputy Chief Inspector of Factories, Nagpur.
2. Shri D. H. Katkar.		
3. Shri V. S. Phadke.		

(Government Notifications, Industries and Labour Department, No. FDE. 1273/182 to (x)/Lab-III-B, dated 19th July 1973 published in *M. G. G.*, Part I-L, dated 2nd August at Pages 6791 to 6795.)

Minimum Wages Act, 1948

Classes of employees

Rates per month

Zone-I

Zone-II

Zone-III

2

3

Skilled—

Rs.

Rs.

Rs.

Nurses 175

160

150

Midwives.

Laboratory Technicians.

X-Ray Technicians.

Compounders.

(Provided such Nurses, Midwives, Laboratory Technicians, X-Ray Technicians and Compounders possess Diplomas or Certificates recognised by the Government of Maharashtra).

Employees by whatsoever name called doing work of the nature done by persons falling under any of the foregoing classes of employees.

Semi-skilled—

Nurses 140

130

115

Midwives.

Laboratory Technicians.

X-Ray Technicians.

Compounders.

Dais.

Dressers.

Classes of employees	Rates per month		
	Zone-I	Zone-II	Zone-III
2		3	
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
<p>provided such Nurses, Laboratory Technicians, X-Ray Technicians, Compounders, Dais and Dressers, though without a diploma or certificate recognised by the Government of Maharashtra, have experience of at least three years).</p> <p>accountants.</p> <p>clerks.</p> <p>typists.</p> <p>Telephone Operators.</p> <p>Ambulance Drivers.</p> <p>bookers.</p> <p>Employees by whatsoever name called doing work of the nature done by persons falling under any of the foregoing classes of employees.</p> <p>Unskilled—</p> <p>ward-boys</p> <p>sons.</p> <p>dependants.</p> <p>Collection Collectors.</p> <p>Watchmen.</p> <p>Gardeners.</p> <p>Washermen.</p> <p>Peepers.</p>	<p>105</p>	<p>95</p>	<p>80</p>

Employees by whatsoever name called doing work of the nature done by persons falling under any of the foregoing classes of employees.

Employees by whatsoever name called doing work of the nature done by persons falling under any of the foregoing classes of employees.

Adolescents employed in any of the classes of employment mentioned above in this column.	80 per cent of the rates fixed for adults in respect of the same class of employees.	80 per cent of the rates fixed for adults in respect of the same class of employees.	80 percent of the rates fixed for adults in respect of the same class of employees.
Children employed in any of the classes of employment mentioned above in this column.	60 per cent of the rates fixed for adults in respect of the same class of employees.	60 per cent of the rates fixed for adults in respect of the same class of employees.	60 per cent of the rates fixed for adults in respect of the same class of employees.

Explanation.—For the purpose of this notification—

- (a) Zone-I shall comprise the area within the jurisdiction of the Municipal Corporation of the City of Nagpur.
- (b) Zone-II shall comprise the areas within the jurisdiction of the Municipal Councils of Amravati and Akola.
- (c) Zone-III shall comprise all other areas in the Vidarbha region not falling in Zone-I or Zone-II.
- (d) The minimum rates of wages shall consist of an all inclusive rate allowing for the basic rate, the cost of living allowance the cash value of concessions, if any.
- (e) The minimum rates of daily wages payable to any employees employed on daily wages shall be computed by dividing minimum rate of monthly wages fixed for the class of employees to which he belongs by 26, the quotient being stepped to the nearest paise.

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(Government notification, Industries and Labour Department, No. MWA. 5871/Vidarbha-III-A, dated 23rd May 1973, published in *M. G. G.*, Part I-L dated 26th July 1973 at pages 6669 to 6672).

Minimum Wages Act, 1948

II

The Government of Maharashtra has appointed the Presiding Officers of the Labour Courts to be the Authorities to hear and decide for the areas specified against their names all claims arising out of payment of less than the minimum rates of wages under sub-section (1) of section 12, or in respect of the Payment of remunerations for days of rest or for work done on such days under clause (d) or clause (c) of sub-section (1) of Section 13 or of wages at overtime rate under section 14 to employees employed or paid in that area as follows:

Presiding Officer of Labour Court.

Areas

Shri N. K. Nandapurkar, Judge, Labour Court, Nagpur	Nagpur district, Wardha district, Bhandara district and Chhindwara district.
Shri Sadashiv Narayan Pathak, Judge, Labour Court, Akola.	Akola district, Buldhana district, Yeotmal district and Amravati district.

(Government notification, Industries and Labour Department, No. MWA. 1573/174376/Lab-III-A, dated 25th May 1973 published in *M. G. G.* Part I-L dated 26th July 1973 at Page 6695)

Minimum Wages Act, 1948

III

The Government of Maharashtra has amended the Government Notification, Industries and Labour Department No. MWA. 1569/133422/Lab. II dated 3rd April 1970, as amended from time to time and substituted, after the words "Payment of less than the minimum rates of Wages", the words "or in respect of Wages not paid within the time prescribed in the Government Notification, Industries and Labour Department, No. MWA. 1573/1773/Lab-III-A, dated 15th June 1973, published in *Maharashtra Government Gazette*, Part I-L dated 26th July 1973 at page 6705).

Minimum Wages Act, 1948

IV

The Government of Maharashtra, after considering all representations, has revised from 1st July 1973, the minimum rates of wages payable to the part-time employees of the notified categories working in permanent (residential) theatres in any part of State.

1. Part-time employees who are employed for four hours daily, provided that the wages are not split into two periods.
2. Part-time employees in certain categories who are employed for four hours daily, provided that the wages are not split into two periods.

Explanation.
For the purpose of this notification, the minimum rates of wages shall be 5264/126686/Lab-III-A.

Explanation.
For the purpose of this notification, the disposal of the minimum rates of wages shall be as follows:

Explanation.
For the purpose of this notification, the place where the minimum rates of wages shall be applied shall be as follows:

(Government notification, Industries and Labour Department, No. MWA. 1573/1773/Lab-III-A, dated 26th July 1973 at page 6705)

Minimum Wages Act, 1948

The Government of Maharashtra has revised the minimum rates of wages payable to the part-time employees employed in the following categories:

- (i) Constables
 - (ii) Stone masons
 - (iii) Mairis
 - (iv) Constables
- as specified in the Government notification of 26th July 1973.

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Unskilled

(1) Bairi Spr...

SCHEDULE

Class of employees	Rates
1	2
1. Part-time employees of notified categories who are required to work for more than four hours but not exceeding five hours, daily, provided their hours of work are not split into more two periods of work.	75 per cent. of the rate fixed by the said notification for the notified categories to which the part-time employees belong in respect of the classes of theatres and Zones in which they are employed.
2. Part-time employees of the notified categories who are required to work for four hours or less, daily provided their hours of work are not split into more than two periods of work.	60 per cent. of the rate fixed by the said notification for the notified categories to which the part-time employees belong in respect of the classes of theatres and Zones in which they are employed.

Explanation.— For the purpose of this notification "Zone" means a Zone formed for the purpose of Government Notification, Industries and Labour Department, No. MWA. 5264/126686/Lab-III, dated the 31st December 1966 ;

Explanation.— "Period of work" means the time during which an employee is at the disposal of the employer ;

Explanation.— An employee in a touring theatre or a mobile cinema, who moves from place to place where shows are exhibited shall not be deemed to be a part-time employee.

(Government notification, Industries and Labour Department No. MWA. 5269/140335/Lab-III-A, dated 21st June 1973 published in *Maharashtra Government Gazette*, Part I-L dated 26th July 1973 at pages 6710 to 11).

Minimum Wages Act, 1948

V

The Government of India, after consulting the Advisory Board, has revised the Minimum rates of wages as specified in Column 2 of the schedule of the below categories of employees employed in Employment in —

- (i) Construction or maintenance of roads or in building operations.
- (ii) Stone breaking and Stone crushing
- (iii) Maintenance of buildings and
- (iv) Construction and maintenance of runway.

as specified in the corresponding entries in Column 1 of the schedule and directed that this notification shall come into force from the date at its publication in *official gazette*.

SCHEDULE

Category of work	All inclusive minimum rates of wages per day				
	Area A	Area B-1	Area B-2	Area C	Area D
	Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.
Unskilled					
(1) Bajri Spreader (2) Beldar (Adult Male/Man					

Category of work	All inclusive minimum rates per day			
	Area A.	Area B-1	Area B-2	Area C
	Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.
(7) Bucket Man, (8) Carrier (Stone), (9) Carrier (Water), (10) Cart Man, (11) Caretaker (Bridge), (12) Cleaner (Crane Track) : Cinder for Ash Pit, (13) Chowkidar, (14) Concrete (Hand Mixer), (15) Daffadar, (16) Driver (Bullock : Camel : Donkey : Mule), (17) Flag Man, (18) Flagman (Balast Train), (19) Gate Man, (20) Gangman, (21) Gang Man (Permanent Way), (22) Handle Man, (23) Jumper Man, (24) Kamin (female work), (25) Khalasi, (26) Khalasi (Man Male Woman/Female : Boys/Girls : I/II : Bridge : Electrical : Marine : Moplah : Shore : Store : Steam Road Roller : Survey), (27) Labourer (Garden), (28) Lamp Man, (29) Mali, (30) Mazdoor, (31) Mazdoor (Adult Male, Man Adult Female/Woman), (32) Mazdoor (Adolescent/Boys above 12 years age : Girls : Child : Lorry : Trained), (33) Petrolman, (34) Peon, (35) Searcher, (36) Signal Man (37) Strikers, (38) striker (Moplan Gang), (39) Sweeper, (40) Tatti Boy, (41), Tile Turner, (42) Trolley Man, (43) Valve Controller, (44) Valve-man, (45) Watchman, (46) Waterman, (47) White Washer, (48) Wooder Man, (49) Wooder Man, (50) Borrymen, (51) Coal man, (52) Condenses Attendants, (53) Grass Cutter, (54) Muckhers Jamadars, (55) Slingers, (56) Shunter, (57), Any other categories by whatever name called which are of an unskilled nature ..	5-15	4-68	4-25	3

Semi-skilled/Unskilled Supervisory

(1) Belchawala, (2) Bhisti, (3) Bhisti (with Mushak), (4) Boatman (Head), (5) Breaker, (6) Breaker (Rock : Rock Stone Metal : Stone), (7) Cane Weaver, (8) Chain Man (Head), (9) Charpoy Stringer, (10) Checker, (11) Chowkidar (Head), (12) Cracker, (13) Daftri, (14) Dollyman, (15) Driller, (16) Driller (Hole : Rock), (17) Driver (Skin), (18) Excavator, (19) Fireman, (20) Fireman, (21) Fireman (Brick Kiln : Steam Road Roller), (22) Gate Keeper, (23) Gharami (Thatcher), (24) Glass Man, (25) Greaser, (26) Greaser-cum-Fireman, (27) Grinder, (28) Hammerman, (29) Helper (Artisan), (30) Helper (Sawyer), (31) Jamadar, (32) Keyman, (33) Khalasi (Head Survey : Rivetters-Moplah Gang : Supervisor), (34) Labourer (Rock-Cutting), (35) Lascar, (36) Mali (Head), (37)

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ates of wages

Area C. Rs. P. Area D. Rs. P.

All inclusive minimum rates of per day

Area A. Area B-1 Area B-2 Area C

Rs. P. Rs. P. Rs. P. Rs. P.

Mate, (38) Mate (Blacksmith : Road : Carpenter : Engine Driver and/or Feeder : Fitter : Gang : Khalasi : Mazdoor : Mason : Permanent Way : Pump Driver, Turner), (39) Mazdoor (Heavy-weight : Charge-man : Mistry : Head), (40) Muccadam, (41) Night Guard, (42) Oil Man, (43) Quarry Man, (44) Quarry Operator, (45) Runner (Post Dak), (46) Store Man, (47) Stocker, (48) Stocker (Boilerman) (49) Thatcher, (50) Thoomba Man (Spade Worker), (51) Tindals, (52) Trolleyman (Head Motor), (53) Fitter (Asth. : Semi-skilled), (54) Jamadar (Semi-skilled), (55) Mate (Store), (56) Pump Attendant, (57) Bearer (58) Brakesman, (59) Crowbar Man, (60) Cook, (61) Dandee, (62) Farash, (63) Hacksaw Man, (64) Helper (Locco-crane/Truck), (65) Kasab, (66) Khalasi (Structural), (67) Laboratory Boy, (68) Manjee (Boatman), (69) Masalchi, (70) P. M. Mates, (71) Pintsman, (72) Seacummy, (73) Topaz, (74) Topkar (Big Stone Breaker), (75) Trolley Jamadar, (76) Winchman, (77) Any other Categories by wherever name called which are of a Semi-skilled nature ..

6.84 6.22 5.65 5.14

Skilled

(1) Assistant Mistry, (2) Armature Winder, Grade II and III, (3) Bhandari, (4) Blacksmith, (5) Blacksmith (Selection Grade : Grade II : III Class II and III : Head), (6) Boilerman, (7) Boilerman (Grade II and III), (8) Boiler Foreman Grade II, (9) Bhandari, (10) Brick Layer, (11) Bricklayer (Selection Grade : Class II), (12) Blasterer, (13) Carpenter, (14) Carpenter (Selection Grade : Grade II and III : Class I and III : Assistant : E : I. M. Road), (15) Cabinet Maker, (16) Caneman, (17) Celotec Cutter Maker, (18) Chargeman Class II : and Class III, (19) Carpenter (Ordinary), (20) Checker (Junior), (21) Chick Maker, (22) Chick Man, (23) Concrete Mixture Mixer, (24) Concrete Mixer Operator, (25) Cobbler, (26) Core-maker, (27) Driver, (28) Driver (Motor : Vehicle : Motor Vehicle Selection Grade : Motor Lorry : Motor Lorry Grade II : Lorry : Lorry Grade II : Diesel Engine : Diesel Engine Grade II : Mixer Mechanical : Road Roller I. C. and Cement Mixer, Road Roller, (29) Road

3.85 3.50

Category of work	All inclusive minimum rates per day			
	Area A.	Area B-1.	Area B-2.	Area C.
Skilled—contd.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs.
Roller Driver Grade II, (30) Driver (Engine Static : Stone Crusher : Tractor/Bull Dozer : Steam Road Roller : Water Pump Mechanical : Assistant Road Roller : Mechanical : Steam Crane : Tractor with Bull Dozer : Mechanical Transport : Engine Static and Road Roller : Boiler Attendant : (Engine), (31) Operator (Stone Crusher Mechanical) (32) Distemperer, (33) Electrician, (34) Electrician (Grade II : Class III), (35) Fitter, (36) Fitter (Selection Grade : Grade II, III : Class II, III : Assistant : Pipe : Pipe Class II : Pipe Line : Bending Bars for Reinforcement-cum-Mechanic : Mechanic : and Plumber), (37) Gherami (Head), (38) Glazier, (39) Hole Driller for Blasting, (40) Joiner, (41) Joiner (Cable : Grade II), (42) Line Man (Grade II : III : HT/LT,) (43) Mason (44) Mason (Selection Grade : Grade II and III : Class II and III : Class B. Mistry : Stone : Stone-Class II : Brick work : Stone Work : Bricklayer : Tile Flooring B : B.T.M. Muccadam : Head : Stone Cuttings Ordinary), (45) Machinist, (46) Mechanic, (47) Mechanic (Class II : Air-conditioning : Air-conditioning Grade II : Diesel Grade II : and Road Roller Grade II : Assistant : (Radio), (48) Mason (Gharami), (49) Mistry, (50) Mistry (Grade II : Air-conditioning Grade II P. Way : Survey : Santras : Works), (51) Mason Class A., (52) Moulder, (53) Moulder (Brick : Tile), (54) Painter, (55) Painter (Selection Grade : Grade II and III : Class II : Assistant Lotter and Polisher : Polisher : Rough), (56) Plasterer, (57) Plasterer (Mason Grade II), (58) Plumber, (59) Plumber (Selection Grade : Class II : Assistant Senior Junior : Mistry Grade II), (60) Plumbinb Mistry, (61) Plumber-cum Fitter, (62) Polisher, (63) Polisher (Flour) (64) Pump Driver, (65) Pump Driver (Selection Grade - Grade II and III : Class II), (66) Pump (Engine Driver), (67) P. E. Driver, (68) Pump Man, (69) Pump Man (Assistant), (70) Pumper, (71) Polisher (with spray) Grade II, (72) Ratan Man, (73) River Cutter, (Assistant), (74) Rivetter, (75) Rivetter (Cutter), (76) Road Inspector Grade II (77) Railway Plate Layer				

Category of work	All inclusive minimum rates of Wages per day				
	Area	Area	Area	Area	Area
	A	B-1	B-2	C.	D.
	Rs. p.	Rs. p.	Rs. p.	Rs. p.	Rs. p.
(Selection Grade Class II), (81) Serang, (82) Serang-Pile Driving Pantooms with Boiler, (83) Shapsman, (84) Shift-in-charge, (85) Sprayman, (86) Sprayman (Roads), (87) Stone Cutter, (88) Stone Cutter (Selection Grade : Grade II : Class II), (89) Stone Chisler, (90) Stone Chisler (Class II), (91) Stone Blasterer, (92) Sub-Overseer (unqualified), (93) Surveyors, (94) Surveyors (Assistant), (95) Tailor, (96) Tailor (uphoosty), (97) Tar Sprayer, (98) Tar-Men, (99) Line Man, (100) Tiler (Class II : Wall : Floor : Roof), (101) Tiler (Selection Grade), (102) Tin Smith, (103) Tin Smith, (Selection Grade : Grade II, and III : Class II), (104) Tinker, (105) Trailers, (106) Turner, (107) Upholsterer, (108) Upholsterer—(Grade II and III), (109) Painter Spray Class II, (110) Wood Cutter, (111) Wood Cutter Selection Grade, (112) Wood Cutter Class II, (113) Work Sircar, (114) Welder, (115) Welder Gas, (116) Welder (Class II : Bridge Work), (117) Well Sinker, (118) White Washer, (119) White Washer (Selection Grade : Class II), (120) Wireman, (121) Wireman (Grade II and III Class I : Mechanic : Electrical), (122) White Washing and Colour Washing Man, (123) Operator Pneumatic Tools, (124) Operator (Fitter), (125) Boreman, (126) Borer, (127) Chipper, (128) Chipper-cum-Grinder, (129) Cook (head) : (130) Driller : (Well-Boring) (131) Driver (Loco/Truck), (132) Electrician (Assistant), (133) Mechanic (Tube-well) (134) Mistry (Steel : Tube-well : Telephone), (135) Meter Reader, (136) Meteorological Observer, (137) Navghani, (138) Operator (Batching Plant : Cinema Project : Clamp Shell : Compressor : Crane : Dorric, Diesel Engine ; Doser : Dragline : Drill : Damper : Excavator : Fork Lift, Generator : Erador : Hack-Hammer and Pavement Broader ; Loader : Dump : Pile Driving : Scrapper : Screaming Plant : Shovel : Tractor : Vibrator : Weight Batcher), (139) Railway Guards, (140) Repairer (Battery), (141) Sharper/Slotter, (142) Sprayer (Asphalt), (143) Station Master, (144) Surveyor (Slit), (145) Tradesman, (146) Train Examiner, (147) T...					

Category of work	All inclusive minimum rates of V per day			
	Area A	Area B-1	Area B-2	Area C
	Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.
categories by whatever name called which are of a skilled nature ..	10.25	9.32	8.47	7.70

Highly Skilled :

(1) Armature Winder Grade I, (2) Blacksmith grade I and Class I, (3) Boilerman Grade I, (4) Boilerman Foreman Grade I (5) Brick Layer Class I, (6) Cable Jouner Grade I, (7) Carpenter Grade I and Class I, (8) Celotex Cutter and Decorator, (9) Chargeman Class I, (10) Checker (Senior), (11) Driver (Lorry Grade I : Motor Lorry : Grade I : Motor Vehicle Class I and Diesel Engine Grade I : Road Roller Grade I : Pump Grade I Pump Class I), (12) Electrician Grade I and Class I, (13) Fitter (Grade I : Class I : Pipe Class I : Head), (14) Foreman (Assistant), (15) Line man Grade I, (16) Mason (Skilled Grade I : Class I), (17) Mast Rigger Mechanic Class I and Class II, (18) Mechanic (Head) or Electrician, (19) Mechanic (Diesel Grade I : Road Roller Grade I : Air-conditioning Grade I : Class I : Air-conditioning), (20) Mistry Grade I, (21) Mistry (Air-conditioning) Grade I, (22) Overseer, (23) Overseer (Senior and Junior), (24) Painter (Grade I : Class I, : Spray), (25) Plasterer (Mason) Class I, (26) Plumber (Head) : Class I : Mistry (Grade I), (27) Polisher (with spray) Grade I, (28) Road Inspector Grade I, (29) Sawyer Class I, (30) Stone Cutter Class I, (31) Stone Cutter Grade I, (32) Stone Chiler Class I, (33) Stone Mason Class I, (34) Sub-Overseer (Qualified), (35) Tiler Class I, (36) Tinsmith Grade I and Class I, (37) Upholsterer Grade I, (38) Varnisher Class I, (39) Welder-Cum-Fitter and Air-Conditioning Mechanic, (40) Welder (Gas) Class, (41) White Washer Class I, (42) Wireman Grade I : Class I, (43) Wood Cutter Class I, (44) Grinder (Tool) G. I. , (45) Operator (Batching) Plant Grade I : Clamp Shell Grade I : Compressor Gr. I : Crane Gr. I Diesel Engine Gr. I : Dozer Gr. I : Dragline Gr. I : Drill Gr. I : Dumper Gr. I : Excavator Gr. I : Fork Lift Gr. I : Generator Gr. I, : Grader Gr. I : Leader Gr. I : Pile Driving Gr. I. I. Pump Gr. I : Scraper Gr. I : Screening Plant Gr. I :

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ates of Wages

Area C Area D

Rs. P. Rs. P.

70 700

All inclusive minimum rates of Wages per day

Category of work	All inclusive minimum rates of Wages per day			
	Area A	Area B-1	Area B-2	Area C
	Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.
Shovel Gr. I : Shovel and Dragline : Tractor Gr. I : Vibrator Gr. I : Rigger Gr. I : Rigger Gr. II, (46) Sharper/Slotter Gr. I, (47) Tradesman Class I, (48) Turner/Miller Gr. I, (49) Tyre Vulcaniser Gr. I, (50) Work (Assistant) Gr. I, (51) Any other categories by whatever name called which are of a highly skilled nature.	12.82	11.65	10.59	9.63
Clerical				
(1) M. C. Clerk, (2) Manshi (Matriculate : Non-Matriculate), (3) Store Clerks (Matriculate : Non-Matriculate), (4) Store Issuer, (5) Store Keeper, (6) Store Keeper (Grade I : II : Matriculate II : Non-matriculate), (7) Tally Clerk, (8) Time Keeper, (9) Time-Keeper (Matriculate : non-matriculate), (10) Tool keeper, (11) Work Munshi, (12) Work Munshi (Subordinate), (13) Accounts Clerks, (14) Clerks, (15) Computer, (16) Telephone Operator, (17) Typists, (18) Any other categories by whatever name called which are of a clerical nature.				
Matriculate	10.25	9.32	8.47	7.70
Non-Matriculate	6.84	6.22	5.65	5.14

Explanation.— For the purpose of this notification.

1. Areas A, B1, B2 and C shall comprise of all the places as specified in the I to this notification including all places within a distance of 8 K.M. from the of the Corporation or Municipalities or Cantonment Boards, Notified Area C of a particular place : and Area ' D ' shall comprise of all the places not included A, B1, B2 and C ?
2. Where in any area the wages fixed under this notification are lower than t fixed by the State Government for the corresponding scheduled employment f it is the appropriate Government, the higher rate would be payable as minim under this notification.
3. (a) *Unskilled work* is one which involves simple operations requiring lit skill or experience on the job.
 (b) *Semi-skilled work* is one which involves some degree of skill or competere ired through experience on the job and which is capable of being performed u supervision or guidance of a skilled employee, and includes unskilled superviso.
 (c) *Skilled work* is one which involves skill or competence acquired throug ence on the job or through training as an apprentice or in a technical or v institute and the performance of which calls for initiative and judgement.
4. The minimum rates of wages are applicable to employees engaged by contrac
5. The minimum rates of wages shall consist of an all inclusive rates, and inc the wages for weekly day or rest.

Annexure-I

Name of State/Union Territory 1	Class of cities/towns			
	A 2	B-1 3	B-2 4	C 5
Andhra Pradesh	Hyderabad	..	..	Adoni, Anakapalle, Anaparthi, Bandaru (Masulipatam), Bheemavaram, Chirala, Chittoor, Guddapah, Eluru, Gudivada, Guntakal, Guntur, Kakinada, Khammam, Kothgudem, Kurnool, Madhavaram, Nandyal, Nellore, Nizampet, Proddatur, Rajamahendravaram, Tenali, Tirupati, Vijayapuri, Vijayawada (Bezwada), Visakhapatnam (Vizagapatam), Vizianagaram, Warangal.
Bihar	..	..	Patna	Arrah, Bettiah, Bhagalpur, Biharsar, Bokarao Steel City, Chapra, Dhanbanga, Dhanbad, Dinapur, Gaya, Hazaribagh, Jamshedpur, Katihar, Monghyar-Jamalpur, Muzaffarpur, Purnea, Banchi.
Chandigarh	..	..	..	Chandigarh.
Delhi	Delhi	..	..
Gujarat	..	Ahmedabad	Surat, Yadodara (Baroda)	Anand, Bhavnagar, Bhuj, Broach, Cambay, Dhoraji, Godhra, Gondal, Jamnagar, Junagadh, Kalol, Mahesana, Morvi, Nadiad, Navsari, Patan, Porbandar, Rajkot, Surendranagar, Veraval.
Haryana	..	..	..	Ambala, Bhiwani, Faridabad, Gurgaon, Hissar, Karnal, Panipat, Rohtak, Sonapat, Yamunagar.
Jammu and Kashmir	..	..	Srinagar	Jammu.
Kerala	..	..	Cochin, Trivandrum.	Alleppey, Badagara, Calicut, (Kozhikode) Cannanore, Kayamkulam, Kottayam, Palghat, Tellicherry, Trichur, Quilon.
Madhya Pradesh	..	..	Indore, Jabalpur.	Bhilainagar Industrial Township, Bhopal, Bilaspur, Burhanpur, Chhindwara, Damoh, Dewas, Durg, Gwalior (Lashkar), Khandwa, Mandla, Mhow (Catt.), Murwara, Raigarh.

Name of State/Union Territory	Class of cities/towns			
	A	B-1	B-2	C
1	2	3	4	5
				vati, Aurangabad, Barsi, Bhivandi, Bhusawal, Chanda, Chandrapur, Dhulia, Dombivli, Gondik Ichalkaranji, Jalgaon, Jalana, Kalyan, Kamptee, Khamgaon, Kolhapur, Latur, Malegaon, Nanded, Nandurbar, Nasik, Nasik Road, Deolali, Pandharpur, Parbhani, Pimpri-Chinchwadi, Sangli-Miraj, Satara, Ulhasnagar, Yeotmal, Wardha.
Mysore .. ..	..	Bangalore ..	..	Bagalkot, Belgaum, Bellary, Bhadravati, Bidar, Bijapur, Chitradurga, Davangeri, Gadg-Betgari, Gulbarga, Hussan, Hospet, Hubli, Dharwar, Kolar Gold Fields, Mandya, Mangalore, Mysore, Raichur, Shimoga, Tumkur.
Orissa .. ..	..	..	..	Behrampur, Bhubaneswar, Cuttack, Puri, Rourkela, Sambalpur.
Pondicherry .. ..	..	..	..	Pondicherry.
Punjab .. ..	..	..	Amritsar.	Abohar, Batala, Bhatinda, Ferozepur, Hoshiarpur, Jullunder, Ludhiana, Monga Pathankot, Patiala, Phagwara.
Rajasthan .. ..	..	..	Jaipur ..	Ajmer, Alwar, Beawar, Bharatpur, Bhilwara, Bikaner, Churu, Ganganagar, Jodhpur, Kota, Sikar, Tonk, Udaipur.
Andra Pradesh	Hyderabad	..	..	Adoni, Anakapalle, Anantpur, Bandar (Masulipatam), Bheemavaram, Chirala, Chittor, Cuddapah, Eluru, Gudivada, Guntakkal, Guntur, Kakinada, Khamma Kothgudem, Kurnool, Mahbubnagar, Nandyal, Nellore, Nizamabad, Ongole, Proddatur, Rajahmundry, Tenali, Tirupati, Vijayapuri, Vijayawada (Bezwada). Visakhapatnam (Vizagapatam), Vizianagaram, Warangal.
Bihar .. ..	..	..	Patna ..	Arah, Bettiah, Bhagalpur, Bihar, Bokaro steel City, Chapra, Darbhanga, Dhana- bad, Dinapur, Gaya, Hazaribagh, Jamshedpur, Katihar, Monghyar, Jamalpur, Mazaffarpur, Purnea, Ranchi.
Chandigarh	..	..	..	Chandigarh.
Delhi ..	Delhi ..	..	..
Gujarat	Ahmedabad.	Surat, Vadodara (Baroda)	Anand, Bhavnagar, Bhuj, Broach, Cambey, Dhoraji, Godhra, Gondal, Jamnagar, Junagadh, Kalol, Mahesana, Morvi, Nadiad, Navsari, Patan,

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Minimum Wages Act, 1948

Government of Maharashtra has corrected the mistake in Government Notification, Industries and Labour Department No. MWA. 2566/107639. Lab. III, dated the 8th June 1971, to read as follows, namely:—

Government Notification Industries and Labour Department, No. MWA. 2566/107639/1, dated the 18th June 1971, published at pages 371 to 375 of the *Maharashtra Government Gazette*, Extraordinary, Part I-L, dated the 18th June 1971. in the schedule,

7. Number marker	..	4.60	3.70	3.25
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7. Number marker	..	Rs. 4.60 per hundred bales.	Rs. 3.70 per hundred bales.	Rs. 3.25 per hundred bales.
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Government Notification, Industries and Labour Department, No. MWA.-2571/178906/1-A, dated 23rd July 1973 published in *Maharashtra Government Gazette*, Part I-L, dated 2nd August 1973 at page 6798.)



Labour Legislations

INDUSTRIAL DISPUTES (MAHARASHTRA AMENDMENT) ACT, 1973¹

The following Bill which was introduced in the Maharashtra Legislative Council on the 2nd August 1973 is published under rule 111 of the Maharashtra Legislative Council Rules :-

L. C. BILL No. XVII OF 1973

A BILL

further to amend the Industrial Disputes Act, 1947 in its application to the State of Maharashtra

WHEREAS it is expedient further to amend the Industrial Disputes Act, 1947, XIV of 1947, in its application to the State of Maharashtra, for the purpose hereinafter appearing; It is hereby enacted in the Twenty-fourth Year of the Republic of India as follows :-

1. *Short title.*— This Act may be called the Industrial Disputes (Maharashtra Amendment) Act, 1973.

2. *Amendment of section 7 of Act XIV 1947.*— In section 7 of the Industrial Disputes Act, 1947, (XIV of 1947) in its application to the State of Maharashtra, in sub-section (3), after clause (d), the following clause shall be inserted, namely :-

“(d-1) he has practised as an advocate, attorney or pleader in the High Court or any court subordinate thereto, for not less than seven years; or”.

STATEMENT OF OBJECTS AND REASONS

Section 7 of the Industrial Disputes Act, 1947, provides for the manner in which the Labour Court is to be constituted. Sub-section (3) thereof provides for qualification for appointment of Presiding Officers of a Labour Court. At present in pursuance of the provisions of clause (d) of sub-section (3) of section 7 Civil Judges (Senior Division) or Civil Judges (Junior Division) are appointed as Presiding Officers of Labour Courts. But due to the acute paucity of Civil Judges, Government is finding it very difficult to secure proper persons for these posts with the result that Government is compelled to appoint superannuated Civil Judges (Senior Division) or Civil Judges (Junior Division) who are on the verge of retirement. It is, therefore, proposed to recruit persons from open market amongst advocates, attorneys or pleaders who have a practice of not less than seven years in the High Court or any court subordinate thereto. For this purpose it is proposed to amend sub-section (3) of section 7 of the Act.

The Bill is intended to achieve this object.

MAHARASHTRA MATHADI, HAMAL AND OTHER MANUAL WORKERS (REGULATION OF EMPLOYMENT AND WELFARE) ACT, 1969. THE CLOTH MARKETS OR SHOPS UNPROTECTED WORKERS (REGULATION OF EMPLOYMENT AND WELFARE) (AMENDMENT) SCHEME 1973.

Industries and Labour Department No. UWA. 1471(CL)/173641/Lab.-IV, dated 29th May 1973.²—Whereas, a scheme called the Cloth Markets or Shops Unprotected Workers (Regulation of Employment and Welfare) Scheme, 1971 (hereinafter referred to as “the said Scheme”), published in Government Notification, Industries and Labour Department, No. UWA. 1471 (CL)/102307/Lab.-IV, dated the 11th March 1971, applies to the employment, in cloth markets or shops, in connection with loading, unloading, stacking, carrying, weighing,

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And whereas, the Government of Maharashtra considers it necessary to amend the provisions of the said Scheme in pursuance of the proposals made by the Cloth Markets and Shops Unprotected Workers (Regulation of Employment and Welfare) Board in its meeting held on the 8th November 1971 and approved by the Advisory Committee ;

Now, therefore, in exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (1) of section 4 of the said Act, and of all other powers enabling it in that behalf, the Government of Maharashtra after consultation with the Advisory Committee, hereby makes the following scheme, the same having been previously published as required by the said section 4 and considering suggestions received, namely :—

1. (1) This scheme may be called the Cloth Markets or Shops Unprotected Workers (Regulation of Employment and Welfare) (Amendment) Scheme, 1973.
- (2) It shall come into force on the 16th day of July 1973.

2. In clause 4 of the Cloth Markets or Shops Unprotected Workers (Regulation of Employment and Welfare) Scheme, 1971 (hereinafter referred to as the said Scheme),—

(f) for sub-clause (d), the following shall be substituted, namely :—

“(d) “ registered employer” means the employer whose name is for the time entered in the register of employers; ” ;

(ii) for sub-clause (h), the following shall be substituted, namely :—

“(h) “ registered worker” means a worker whose name is for the time being entered in the register of pool workers or in the register of monthly workers;

(iii) after sub-clause (n), the following shall be added, namely :—

“(o) the words and expressions used but not defined in the scheme shall have the meaning respectively assigned to them in the Act.”.

3. In clause 6 of the said Scheme,—

(a) in sub-clause (1),—

(i) after item (ii), the following shall be added, namely :—

“ Provided that, if on the date of enforcement of the Scheme a *toli* of work has been working for any employer then that *toli* shall be allotted to that employer and he shall continue to work for him unless with the sanction of the Board any character of workers introduced (i) at the request of such employer or (ii) at the request of all workers of such *toli* ;”

(ii) after item (vi) the following items shall be inserted, namely :—

“(vi-a) regrouping of *tolis*, any addition of workers therein or change in its nature to be made in consultation with Mukadam and workers in the *toli*. The names of the workers and employers who employ them to be taken into consideration in regrouping *tolis* ;

“(vi-b) any change in the Mukadam of a *toli* to be made in consultation with workers therein and the employers who employ them;”

(b) in sub-clause (4), after the words “scheduled bank”, the words “ or any co-operative bank” shall be inserted ;

(c) in sub-clause (11),—

(i) in item (i), the words “ under the various categories” shall be deleted ;

(ii) in item (ii), the words “ in any category” shall be deleted ;

(iii) after item (ii), the following shall be inserted, namely :—

“ Provided that, if more than 50 employers suggest in writing that there is a need for a review of workers, the Board shall undertake the review immediately; ”

“(iv) in item (iv), the words “ in any category” shall be deleted ;

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after item (iii), the following proviso shall be added, namely :—

“ Provided that, temporary addition of workers to any *toli* of workers shall be done after consultation with the Mukadam and the workers therein, and if such temporary workers for six months continuously in the *toli* they shall be absorbed in the *toli* on permanent basis as registered workers; ”

In clause 8 of the said Scheme,—

sub-clause (e), the words “ and promotion ” shall be deleted.

In clause 9 of the said Scheme,—

in sub-clause (c), the words “ when they are not otherwise employed in accordance with this scheme ” shall be deleted;

in sub-clause (e), items (ii) and (iv) shall be deleted;

sub-clause (k) shall be deleted;

Clauses 12 and 13 of the said Scheme, shall be deleted.

In clause 14 of the said Scheme,—

the words “ engaged in selling, purchasing or trading or acting as agents in the Cloth Markets or Shops in the areas to which the Scheme applies ” shall be deleted;

after the words “ shall get ” the word “ himself ”, shall be inserted;

for the words “ this business ” the words “ his business ” shall be substituted.

For clause 16 of the said Scheme, the following shall be substituted, namely :—

Vacancies in monthly workers.—(1) A vacancy in monthly workers shall be filled by an employer with the approval of the Secretary; pool workers from the *toli* working for the employer shall be given first preference for employment in such vacancies. If none of the pool workers is willing to work as monthly worker in the vacancy, the employer may fill the vacancy by a worker of his choice, and the said worker shall be registered under the Scheme.

A worker from a *toli* who is appointed as a monthly worker may return to his *toli* with the consent of the Mukadam and the workers in the *toli*. In case of such transfer, the benefits that might have accrued to the worker in respect of services with the employer, shall be transferred to the Board to the extent they are in the custody of the employer or to the extent the employer is responsible.

If the services of a monthly worker are terminated by any employer for any reason, the worker may appeal to the Board and the decision of the Board shall be binding on the worker and the employer.”

In clause 19 of the said Scheme,—

sub-clause (i), the following shall be substituted, namely :—

“(i) Every registered worker shall be supplied with an identity card.”

Clause 23 of the said Scheme shall be deleted;

For clause 24 of the said Scheme, the following shall be substituted, namely :—

24. *Employment of monthly workers.*—(1) The monthly workers who on the date of enforcement of the Scheme have been working on monthly rated payment system shall continue to work in the same capacity, under the same employer.

13. In clause 29

(i) for sub-clause

“(3) No registered worker shall be appointed unless he is allotted a *toli*”

(ii) for sub-clause

“(4) A registered worker of the Board, shall be appointed on the Board.”

(iii) after sub-clause

“(6) All the wages of goods entrusted to workers shall be paid to workers' wages”

14. In clause 30

(i) for sub-clause

“(2) A registered worker shall be appointed to him by the Secretary”

(ii) sub-clause

15. In clause 31

(i) in sub-clause

in any area to which the Scheme applies”

(ii) for sub-clause

“(2) When the Mukadam is required to be deputed to any area, then the Mukadam shall, at the time being, add the name of the Mukadam to the list of Mukadams”

(iii) sub-clause

16. In clause 34

17. In clause 35

namely :—

“(i) Personnel of the Board or otherwise, that shall be appointed to the Board”

(ii) On receipt of an appeal, the Mukadam may deem fit, to refer the appeal to the Board, if the provisions of the Scheme so require, the employer shall be bound to refer the appeal to the Board”

(iii) A registered worker may appeal to the Board”

18. In clause 38

(a) sub-clause

(b) in sub-clause

19. Clauses 30

13. In clause 29 of the said Schedule,—

(i) for sub-clause (3), the following shall be substituted, namely :—

“(3) No registered worker shall engage himself for employment under any employer, unless he is allotted to that employer by the Secretary.”;

(ii) for sub-clause (4), the following shall be substituted, namely :—

“(4) A registered worker in a pool who is available for work shall carry out the direction of the Board, and shall accept any employment that may be allotted to him by the Board.”

(iii) after sub-clause (5), the following new clause shall be added, namely :—

“(6) All the workers in a group shall be jointly responsible for any damage to loss or of goods entrusted to them during the course of their work. The cost of the goods damaged or lost shall be determined and recovered by the Board by deduction from workers' wages in suitable instalments if necessary and paid to the employer.”

14. In clause 30 of the said Scheme,—

(i) for sub-clause (2), the following shall be substituted, namely :—

“(2) A registered employer shall not employ a worker other than a worker allotted to him by the Secretary in accordance with the provisions of this Scheme.

(ii) sub-clause (3), shall be deleted.

15. In clause 31 of the said Scheme,

(i) in sub-clause (1), the brackets and the words “(other than a registered employer in any area to which this Scheme applies)” shall be deleted ;

(ii) for sub-clause (2), the following shall be substituted, namely :—

“(2) When there is sudden pressure of work or the work of an employer is emergently required to be done and the workers in the *toli* allotted to him are not able to cope with it, then the Mukadam, on his own, or at the direction of the employer, may engage for the time being, additional registered workers belonging to another group for doing the works

(iii) sub-clause (3) shall be deleted.

16. In clause 34 of the said Scheme, the words “ by cheque ” shall be deleted.

17. In clause 35 of the said Scheme for sub-clause (1), the following shall be substituted namely :—

“(i) Personnel Officer may, on receipt of the information, whether on a written complaint or otherwise, that an employer has failed to carry out the provisions of this Scheme, investigate into the matter and submit his report in writing to the Chairman ;

(ii) On receipt of the report and after causing such further investigation to be made as he may deem fit, the Chairman on being satisfied that the employer had failed to carry the provisions of the Scheme, may give the employer a warning in writing or may direct that the employer should be prosecuted under the provisions of this Scheme ;

(iii) A registered employer who is aggrieved by the warning given by the Chairman may appeal to the Board.”.

18. In clause 38 of the said Scheme,—

(a) sub-clause (3) shall be deleted;

(b) in sub-clause (5), the brackets and figure “(3)” shall be deleted.

21. In clause 42 of the said Scheme,—

(i) in the heading, after the word "scheme" the words " and provision for amenities benefits to registered workers " shall be added;

(ii) in sub-clause (1)—

(a) after the words " cost of operating this scheme" the words " and for providing different benefits, facilities and amenities to registered workers " shall be inserted.

(b) for the words " specify by written order" the words " specify by public notice by written order", shall be substituted;

(iii) sub-clause (2) shall be deleted;

(iv) in sub-clause (3), for the words " fifty per cent", the words " thirty per cent." shall be substituted.

22. The Schedule appended to the said Scheme shall be deleted.

Employees' Family Pension (Second Amendment) Scheme, 1973*

The Office of the Central Provident Fund Commissioner, New Delhi, has communicated with a letter dated July 6, 1973, notification No. S-70012(3)/71-P.F.-II of March 3, 1973, from the Department of Labour & Employment of the Ministry of Labour, Rehabilitation of the Government of India conveying the Employees' Family Pension (Second Amendment) Scheme, 1973. This is deemed to have come into force on the 1st of March 1971.

The following proviso shall be added to paragraph 6 in the Employees' Family Pension Scheme, 1971 :

" Provided that where there has been a break in the membership of the Family Pension Fund on account of closure of an establishment, strike, lock out, leave without retrenchment, termination, discharge or for any other such reason and the period of such break between two spells of reckonable service either under the same establishment or under different establishments covered under the Act does not exceed one year, a member, if he has not withdrawn the benefit to which he is entitled under this Scheme, and his provident fund accumulations under the Employees' Provident Funds Scheme, 1952, or the Provident Fund Scheme of an exempted establishment as the case may be, shall continue to be a member of the Family Pension Fund :

Provided further that such breaks during which the contributions to the Family Pension Fund are payable shall be excluded from the total reckonable service in the manner specified in sub-paragraph (2) of paragraph 34A".

In sub-paragraph (2) of paragraph 23, for the words " the members of the Family Pension Fund or persons belonging to his family", the words " a member of the Family Pension Fund or persons belonging to his family or persons entitled to receive his provident fund accumulations " shall be substituted.

In paragraph 28, after sub-paragraph (2) the following sub-paragraph shall be inserted, namely:—

" (3) Where a member who continues to retain his membership of the Family Pension Fund by virtue of the proviso to paragraph 6 dies during the period of reckonable service, the Family Pension payable shall be calculated by treating the notional age of the member arrived at in the manner specified in sub-paragraph (2) of paragraph 34A as the age of entry".

In paragraph 31, after the words and figures " in the order indicated in paragraph 30, the following shall be inserted, namely: " and where the age of entry is less than the age of exit, the age of entry shall be substituted for the age of exit".

In paragraph 31, for the existing proviso, the following shall be substituted, namely:—

“ Provide that life assurance benefit as stated above shall be payable in respect of such entrants who had entered this Scheme at the age of 25 or below :

Provided further that where a member who continues to retain his membership of the Family Pension Fund by virtue of the proviso to paragraph 6 dies during the period of reckonable service, the life assurance benefit payable shall be calculated by treating the notional age of entry arrived at in the manner specified in sub-paragraph (2) of paragraph 34A as the age of entry”.

In paragraph 31A, after the words and figures “ to receive Family Pension under paragraph 29 ”, the following shall be inserted, namely :—

“ and where the member has not left a family, the amount shall be payable to the person or persons entitled to receive his provident fund accumulations, in the proportion in which the said accumulations may be payable under the provisions of the Employees’ Provident Funds Scheme, 1952 or the provident fund rules applicable to the exempted establishment, as the case may be.”

In sub-paragraph (2) of paragraph 32, after the words and figures “ to receive Family Pension under paragraph 29 ”, the following shall be inserted, namely :—

“ and where the member has not left a family, the retirement benefit shall be payable to the person or persons entitled to receive his provident fund accumulations, in the proportion in which the said accumulations, may be payable under the provisions of the Employees’ Provident Funds Scheme, 1952 or the provident fund rules applicable to the exempted establishments, as the case may be.”

After sub-paragraph (2) of paragraph 32, the following sub-paragraph shall be inserted, namely :—

“(3) Where a member continues to retain his membership of the Family Pension by virtue of the proviso to paragraph 6 attains the age of 60 years during the period of reckonable service, the retirement benefit payable shall be calculated by treating the notional age of entry arrived at in the manner specified in sub-paragraph (2) of paragraph 34A as the age of entry”.

Paragraph 33 shall be renumbered as sub-paragraph (1) thereof and after the paragraph so renumbered, the following sub-paragraphs shall be inserted, namely :—

“(2) Where a member of the Family Pension Fund to whom any amount has become payable under sub-paragraph (1) dies before the amount has been actually paid to him, the amount payable under sub-paragraph (1) shall be payable to a member of his family who would have been entitled to receive Family Pension under paragraph 27 and where the member has not left a family the amount shall be payable to the person or persons entitled to receive his provident fund accumulations, in the proportion in which the said accumulations may be payable under the provisions of the Employees’ Provident Funds Scheme, 1952 or the provident fund rules applicable to the exempted establishments, as the case may be.

(3) Where a member who continues to retain his membership of the Family Pension Fund by virtue of the proviso to paragraph 6 dies or applies for withdrawal benefit during the period of any break in the membership of the Family Pension Fund the withdrawal benefit payable shall be calculated in the manner specified in sub-paragraph (1) by treating the notional age of entry arrived at in the manner specified in sub-paragraph (2) of paragraph 3bA as the age of entry.”

Paragraph 34 shall be renumbered as sub-paragraph (1) thereof and after the paragraph so renumbered, the following sub-paragraph shall be inserted, namely :—

“(2) For the purpose of applying the factor given in Table II to the cases governed by

Paragraph 34A, shall be renumbered as paragraph 34C, and before the paragraph so renumbered, the following paragraphs shall be inserted, namely :--

" 34A. Payment of Family Pension and other benefits in certain cases :

(1) Where a member of the Family Pension Fund whose membership has been retained under proviso to paragraph 6, dies after the cessation of reckonable service, family pension and life assurance benefit shall not be payable in respect of such member; but only the withdrawal benefit shall be payable to his family who would have been entitled to receive family pension under paragraph 29 and where the member has not left a family, the benefit shall be payable to the person or persons entitled to receive his provident fund accumulations, in the proportion in which the said accumulations may be payable under the provisions of the Employees' Provident Funds Scheme, 1952, or the provident fund rules applicable to the exempted establishments, as the case may be.

(2) For the purpose of calculating the withdrawal benefit payable under sub-paragraph (1), and the other benefits payable under sub-paragraph (3) of paragraph 28, the second proviso to paragraph 31, sub-paragraph (3) of paragraph 32, and sub-paragraph (3) of paragraph 33, the notional age of entry shall be arrived at by deducting the aggregate reckonable service from the age at cessation of membership and the benefit shall be determined by assuming this notional age as the age at entry.

34B. " Simultaneous payment of benefits : The retirement benefit payable under paragraph 32 and 33 respectively shall be paid simultaneously with the payment of the provident fund accumulations of the member under the Employees' Provident Funds Scheme, 1952, or the provident fund rules applicable to an exempted establishment as the case may be."

In Table I of the Schedule, the following entries shall be inserted in the beginning, namely :—

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Consumer Price Index Number for Working Class for July 1973

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1973—A rise of 5 points

In July 1973, the Consumer Price Index Number for Working Class (New Series) for the Bombay Centre with base January to December 1960 equal 100 was 235 being 5 points higher than that in the preceding month. The index relates to the standard of life ascertained during the year 1958-59 family living survey at the Bombay Centre.

The index number for the food group increased by 7 points to 269 due to a rise in the average prices of rice, bajra, bread, arhardal, gramdal, moongdal, masurdal, uriddal, coconut oil, groundnut oil, milk pure curd, ghee, bhajia and jelebi.

The index number for the pan, supari, tobacco etc. group remained constant at 240.

The index number for the fuel and light group increased by 1 point to 209 due to a rise in the average prices of fire-wood and charcoal.

Six monthly house rent survey was conducted by the Director, Labour Bureau, Simla, during July 1973. Accordingly the index number for housing remained stationary at 118.

The index number for clothing bedding and footwear group increased by 4 points to 215 due to a rise in the average prices of sarees, dhoties, shirtings, rag cloth, trouser cloth, mulmul, markin, bush-shirt and vest.

The index number for miscellaneous group decreased by 1 point to 174 due to a fall in the average prices of school book, cinema show, durrie and washing soap.

CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBERS (NEW SERIES) FOR WORKING CLASS FOR BOMBAY CITY

(Average price for the calendar year 1960=100)

Group	Weight proportional to the total expenditure	Group Index Number	
		June 1973	July 1973
A. Food	57.1	262	269
B. Pan, Supari, Tobacco, etc.	4.9	240	240
C. Fuel and Light	5.0	208	209
D. Housing	4.6	118	118
E. Clothing, Bedding and Footwear	9.4	211	215
F. Miscellaneous	19.0	175	175
Total	100.0		
<i>Consumer Price Index Number</i>	<i>....</i>	<i>230</i>	<i>235</i>

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CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBER (NEW SERIES) FOR WORKING CLASS
FOR BOMBAY CENTRE— contd.

Articles	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index number	
			Year ended December 1960	June 1973	July 1973	June 1973	July 1973
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
A. Food—							
a) Cereals and Cereal Products—							
1) Rice	kg.	59.23	0.70	1.34	1.48	191	211
2) Wheat	"	25.05	0.41	0.91	0.91	222	222
3) Jawar	"	9.42	0.53	.	.		
4) Bajra	"	3.22	0.55	2.22	2.30	404	418
5) Bread	125 g.	0.92	0.12	0.37	0.39	308	325
6) Grinding charges	3 kg.	2.16	0.09	0.21	0.21	233	233
Total ..		100.00					
Sub-group Index I-A (a) ..						228	242
b) Pulses and pulse Products—							
1) Arhar dal	kg.	63.78	0.78	2.57	2.58	329	331
2) Gram dal	"	12.99	0.60	2.24	2.44	373	407
3) Moong dal	"	12.21	0.90	3.57	3.59	397	399
4) Masur dal	"	7.87	0.78	2.27	2.41	291	309
5) Urid dal	"	3.15	0.88	3.23	3.24	367	368
Total ..		100.00					
Sub-group Index I-A (b) ..						342	348
c) Oils and Fats—							
1) Coconut oil	500 ml.	9.55	1.36	4.37	4.77	321	351
2) Groundnut Oil	"	71.05	1.00	3.69	4.21	369	421
3) Vanaspati (loose)	500 g.	19.40	1.75	3.73(1)	3.73	213(1)	213(1)
Total ..		100.00					
Sub-group Index I-A (c) ..						334	374
d) Meat, Fish and Eggs—							
1) Goat's Meat	500 g.	52.54	1.48	4.35	4.26	294	288
2) Fish fresh—							
(i) Boneblows	Dozen	38.41	0.44	1.59	1.59	321	321
(ii) Pamfret	Each		1.23	3.46	3.46		
3) Fish dry Bombil	Dozen	3.97	0.25	0.70	0.74	280	296
4) Eggs	"	5.08	1.93	4.69	4.99	243	259
Total ..		100.00					
Sub-group Index I-A (d) ..						301	300

Since no quotations of jowar were available its weight is imputed to Bajra which is an allied millet.
(1) Quotation from March 1973.

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Articles	1
(e) Milk and Milk Products—	
(1) Milk—	
(i) Pure	
(ii) Aaroy	
(2) Curd	
(3) Ghee	
Sub-group Index I-A (e) ..	
(f) Condiments Spices—	
(1) Salt ..	
(2) Turmeric	
(3) Chillies (dry)	
(4) Chillies (green)	
(5) Onion	
(6) Garlic	
(7) Coconut	
Other Spices—	
(8) Pepper	
(9) Jeera	
(10) Lavang	
Sub-group Index I-A (f) ..	
(g) Vegetables Fruits—	
(1) Potatoes	
(2) Muli	
(3) Brinjals	
(4) Cauliflower	
(5) Cabbage	
(6) Bhendi	
(7) Tomatoes ripe	
(8) Tomatoes raw	
(9) Cucumber	
(10) Pumpkin red	
(11) Karela	
(12) Palak	
(13) Methi	
(14) Tondli	
(15) Alu-leaves	
(16) Banana	
(17) Orange	
(18) Lemon	
(19) Mango	
(20) Mango Amba	
Index Number ..	

CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBER (NEW SERIES) FOR WORKING CLASS
FOR BOMBAY CENTRE—contd.

Articles 1	Unit of quantity 2	Weight proportional to total expenditure 3	Price per unit of quantity			Index number	
			Year ended December 1960 4	June 1973 5	July 1973 6	June 1973 7	July 1973 8
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
(e) Milk and Milk Products—							
(1) Milk—							
(i) Pure ..	L. ..	86.87	1.15	3.15	3.23	219	223
(ii) Aarey ..	" ..	..	1.03	1.70	1.70		
(2) Curd ..	kg. ..	1.31	1.57	4.00	4.16	255	265
(3) Ghee ..	" ..	11.82	7.50	15.88	17.40	212	232
Total ..		100.00					
Sub-group Index I-A (e) ..						219	225
(f) Condiments and Spices—							
(1) Salt ..	kg. ..	5.40	0.13	0.26	0.27	200	208
(2) Turmeric ..	500 g. ..	5.40	0.72	2.91	2.96	404	411
(3) Chillies (dry) ..	" ..	28.42	1.35	2.62	2.65	194	196
(4) Chillies (green) ..	" ..	6.83	0.41	1.87	1.37	456	334
(5) Onion ..	" ..	19.42	0.15	0.44	0.48	293	320
(6) Garlic ..	" ..	4.67	0.60	2.03	2.06	338	345
(7) Coconut ..	Each (500 g.) ..	12.95	0.33	1.03	1.03	312	312
Other Spices—							
(8) Pepper ..	500 g. ..	16.91	3.69	4.82	4.94	291	294
(9) Jeera ..	" ..	..	1.80	3.93	4.23		
(10) Lavang ..	10 g. ..	..	0.31	1.62	1.59		
Total ..		100.00					
Sub-group Index I-A (f) ..						281	280
(g) Vegetables and Fruits—							
(1) Potatoes ..	½ kg. ..	19.74	0.25		0.67		268
(2) Muli ..	Judi ..	1.95	0.06		0.25		417
(3) Brinjals ..	½ kg. ..	8.24	0.26		0.73		281
(4) Cauliflower ..	" ..	4.34	0.35		1.26		360
(5) Cabbage ..	" ..	6.07	0.26		1.29		496
(6) Bhendi ..	" ..	4.34	0.42		0.97		231
(7) Tomatoes ripe ..	" ..	9.76	0.38		1.69		442
(8) Tomatoes raw ..	" ..	..	0.25		1.10		307
(9) Cucumber ..	" ..	0.65	0.29		0.89		320
(0) Pumpkin red ..	" ..	2.17	0.20		0.64		320
(1) Karela ..	" ..	1.52	0.42		1.07		255
(2) Palak ..	Judi. ..	1.30	0.06		0.18		300
(3) Methi ..	Judi. ..	3.04	0.06		0.29		483
(4) Tondli ..	½ kg. ..	7.38	0.26		0.82		315
(5) Alu-leaves ..	Judi. ..	4.77	0.06		0.14		233
(6) Banana ..	Doz. ..	14.10	0.48		1.35		281
(7) Orange ..	" ..	3.47	2.10		4.25		202
(8) Lemon ..	" ..	1.95	0.48		1.30		271
(9) Mango Ratnagiri ..	" ..	5.21	3.46		..		165
(0) Mango Amba ..	" ..	..	1.82		3.00		..

CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBER (NEW SERIES) FOR WORKING CLASS
FOR BOMBAY CENTRE—contd.

Articles	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index number		
			Year ended Dec. 1960	June 1973	July 1973	June 1973	July 1973	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	
<i>(h) Other Food—</i>			Rs.	P.	Rs.	P.	Rs.	P.
(1) Sugar (Crystal) ..	500 g. ..	29.57	0.60	1.26	1.25	210	203	
(2) Tea Leaf ..	50 g. ..	12.52	0.39	0.61	0.61	156	156	
(3) Snacks (Bhajiya) ..	Plate of 8 pieces	15.01	0.11	0.33	0.34	300	309	
(4) Snacks (Jalebi) ..	kg. ..	7.11	1.90	6.79	6.86	357	361	
(5) Tea Readymade ..	Cup ..	34.55	0.07	0.19	0.19	271	271	
(6) Cold Drink ..	Bottle of 340 ml.	1.24	0.12	0.57	0.57	475	475	
Total ..		100.00						
<i>Sub-group Index I-A(h) ..</i>						252	253	
<i>I-A, Food Group—</i>								
(a) Cereals and cereals Products.	....	35.29				228	242
(b) Pulses and Pulse Products.	....	4.79				342	348
(c) Oils and Fats ..	....	5.78				334	374
(d) Meat, Fish and Eggs	....	10.62				301	300
(e) Milks and Milk Products.	....	9.53				219	225
(f) Condiments and Spices.	....	6.76				281	280
(g) Vegetables and Fruits	....	8.24				313	309
(h) Other Food ..	....	18.99				252	253
Total ..		100.00						
<i>Food-group Index I-A. ..</i>						262	269	
<i>I-B. Pan, Supari, Tobacco, etc.</i>								
(1) Pan (leaf) ..	100 leaves ..	18.55	0.52	2.23	2.23	429	429	
(2) Pan (finished) ..	Each ..	9.89	0.04	0.11	0.11	275	275	
(3) Supari ..	500 g. ..	19.44	3.42	4.75	4.71	139	138	
(4) Katha ..	..	3.53	4.76	12.81	12.83	269	270
(5) Bidi ..	Kattn of 25	28.80	0.16	0.30	0.30	188	188	
(6) Cigarette ..	Pkt. of 10 ..	6.54	0.14	0.44	0.45	314	321	
(7) Chewing Tobacco ..	kg. ..	13.25	4.16	6.85	6.87	165	165	
Total ..		100.00						
<i>Sub-group Index I-B ..</i>						240	240	
<i>II. Fuel and Lighting—</i>								
(1) Firewood ..	40 kg. ..	11.51	3.39	7.19	7.28	212	215	
(2) Kerosene Oil ..	litre ..	42.64	0.28	0.61	0.61	218	218	
(3) Electricity charges	Unit ..	9.81	0.22	0.34	0.34	155	155	
(4) Charcoal ..	40 kg. ..	28.22						

SUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBER (NEW SERIES) FOR WORKING CLASS FOR BOMBAY CENTRE— contd.

Classes	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Year ended December 1960	June 1973	July 1973	June 1973	July 1973
			2	3	4	5	6	7	8
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
Residential House ..		100.00				118	118
Total ..		100.00					
Group Index ..						118	118
Clothing, Bedding and Footwear :—							
Washed	Pair ..	10.72	9.97	25.63	25.93	239	243
Unbleached	Do. ..		8.89	19.61	20.06		
Chalkaranji	Each ..	28.14	11.74	21.25	21.81	179	183
Salgaon	Do. ..		10.72	18.90	19.40		
Sharrock	Metre ..	24.87	1.68	3.71	3.70	220	223
Mafatlal	Do. ..		1.65	3.63	3.74		
Cloth	Do. ..	5.95	1.60	3.87	4.01	242	251
Cloth	Do. ..	2.76	1.80	4.50	4.58		
	Do. ..	8.54	2.23	5.03	5.10	255	262
	Do. ..		1.09	3.11	3.21		
	Each ..	3.94	4.20	8.19	8.70	195	207
	Do. ..	3.77	5.45	14.52	13.82		
	Do. ..	2.18	1.18	3.06	3.22	259	273
Gents	Pair ..	3.10	16.75	29.65	29.65		
For Ladies	Do. ..	6.03	6.57	9.40	9.40	143	143
Total ..		100.00					
Number for Group ..						211	215
Miscellaneous—							
Medical Care—							
Doctor Fees	Per. Visit ..	19.78	2.58	4.46	4.46	173	173
Medicine	4 Doses. ..	32.46	0.76	1.00	1.00	132	132
Life Insurance Premium	..	47.76	0.69	0.70	0.70	101	101
Total ..		100.00					
Index-V (a) ..						125	125
Education and Recreation—							
School Fee	Per Student ..	22.54	6.75	6.78	6.78	100	100
School Book	Each ..	7.64	2.47	2.78	2.50	113	101
Stationery—							
Stationery Book	..	4.73	0.12	0.21	0.23	192	200
Pencil	..		0.12	0.25	0.25		
Stationery Paper	Per Copy ..	7.64	0.07	0.15	0.15	214	214
Stationery Paper	Adult ..	57.45	0.48	1.39	1.39		
						290	290

CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBER (NEW SERIES) FOR WORKING CLASS
FOR BOMBAY CENTRE— contd.

Articles	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Year ended December 1960	June 1973	July 1973	June 1973	July 1973
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
(c) Transport and Communications—							
(1) Railway fare for 80 Km.	Per Passenger.	51.13	1.61	2.45	2.45	152	152
(2) Bus fare	Per Adult ..	38.60	0.15	0.20	0.20	133	133
(3) Postage	Per Card ..	10.27	0.05	0.10	0.10	200	200
Total ..		100.00					
<i>Sub-group Index V(c)</i> ..						150	150
(d) Personal Care and Effect—							
(1) Hair Oil	Bottle (114 ml.)..	26.92	1.36	2.83	2.83	203	203
(2) Barber Charges	Per head ..	44.23	0.94	1.76	1.77	187	188
(3) Toilet Soap	Cake ..	14.91	0.44	0.74	0.75	168	170
(4) Tooth Powder	Small Bottle No. 3.	7.21	0.50	0.79	0.79	158	158
(5) Blade	Pkt. of 5 ..	0.96	0.27	0.42	0.42	156	156
(6) Umbrella	Each ..	5.77	5.55	13.20	13.18	238	237
Total ..		100.00					
<i>Sub-group Index V(d)</i> ..						191	191
(e) Others—							
(1) Durrie	Each ..	2.66	4.93	11.97	11.72	243	238
(2) Trunk	..	2.66	5.82	16.09	16.21	276	279
(3) Utensils (Brass)	500 g. ..	7.99	2.84	10.98	11.00	387	387
(4) Bucket (Balti)	Each ..	2.16	2.96	7.17	7.19	242	243
(5) Laundry charges	Per Piece ..	25.29	0.15	0.32	0.32	213	213
(6) Washing Soap	Bar ..	35.28	1.28	2.02	2.01	158	157
(7) Tailoring charges of Shrit.	Each ..	23.96	1.19	2.64	2.64	205	205
(8) Tailoring charges of Blouse.	..	..	0.89	1.68	1.68	205	205
Total ..		100.00					
<i>Sub-group Index V(e)</i> ..						209	208
V. Miscellaneous Group—							
(a) Medical Care	....	28.27	..	..	..	125	125
(b) Education, Recreation and Amusement.	....	11.94	..	..	..	223	223
(c) Transport and Communication.	....	14.81	..	..	..	150	150
(d) Personal Care and Effect.	....	18.89	..	..	..	191	191
(e) Others	....	26.09	..	..	..	..	..

SHOLAPUR*

—A rise of 15 points

In July 1973, the Consumer Price Index Number for Working Class (New Series) for the Sholapur Centre with base January to December 1960 equal to 100 was 281 being 15 points higher than that in the preceding month. The index relates to the Standard of life ascertained during the year 1958-59 family expenditure survey in Sholapur City.

The index number for the food group increased by 23 points to 335 due to a rise in the average prices of rice, jowar, arhardal, gramdal, masurdal, groundnut oil, vanaspati, goatmeat, beef, fish fresh (Rahu), milk, ghee, gur and Jalebi.

The index number for the pan supari, tobacco etc. group decreased by 14 points to 181 due to a fall in the average price of pan leaf.

The index number for fuel and light group increased by 2 points to 189 due to a rise in the average prices of dung-cake and Kerosene oil.

The six monthly house-rent survey was conducted by the Director, Labour Bureau, Simla during June 1973. Accordingly the index number for housing increased by 1 point to 151.

The index number for the clothing, bedding and footwear group increased by 5 points to 220 due to a rise in the average prices of long cloth, shirting, kurta and trouser cloth.

The index number for miscellaneous group increased by 2 points to 180 due to a rise in the average price of utensils copper.

CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBER (NEW SERIES) FOR WORKING CLASS
FOR SHOLAPUR CITY

(Average prices for the calendar year 1960 = 100)

Groups	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Group Index Numbers	
		June 1973	July 1973
I-A. Food	63.0	312	335
I-B. Pan, Supari, Tobacco, etc.	3.4	195	181
II. Fuel and Light	7.1	187	189
III. Housing	5.2	152	151
IV. Clothing, Bedding and Footwear	9.0	215	220
V. Miscellaneous	12.3	178	180
Total	100.0		
Consumer Price Index Number		266	281

CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBER (NEW SERIES) FOR WORKING CLASS
FOR SHOLAPUR CENTRE - contd.

Articles	Unit of Quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Year ended December 1960	June 1973	July 1973	June 1973	July 1973
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
I-A. Food—							
(a) Cereals and Products—							
(1) Rice	kg. ..	26.98	0.55	1.25	1.32	227	240
(2) Wheat .. .. .	.. ..	13.53	0.41	0.91	0.91	222	222
(3) Jowar .. .. .	.. ..	56.97	0.46	1.84	2.12	400	461
(4) Grinding Charges ..	3 kg. ..	2.52	0.05	0.15	0.15	300	300
Total ..		100.00					
Sub-group Index I-A (a) ..						327	365
(b) Pulses and Products—							
(1) Arhar dal	kg. ..	76.17	0.75	2.72	2.75	363	367
(2) Gram dal .. .. .	.. ..	18.22	0.56	2.20	2.35	393	420
(3) Masur dal .. .. .	.. ..	5.61	0.73	2.12	2.25	290	308
Total ..		100.00					
Sub-group Index I-A (b) ..						364	373
(c) Oils and Fats—							
(1) Groundnut oil ..	kg. ..	98.91	1.94	7.88	9.17	406	473
(2) Vanaspati (loose) ..	500 g. ..	1.09	1.86	5.71	5.85	307	315
Total ..		100.00					
Sub-group Index I-A (c) ..						405	471
(d) Meat, Fish and Eggs—							
(1) Goat meat	kg. ..	72.32	2.45	5.90	6.00	241	245
(2) Beef .. .. .	.. ..	23.69	0.66	1.65	2.31	250	350
(3) Fish (fresh) Rahu ..	.. ..	1.50	1.46	3.50	4.00	240	274
(4) Fish (dry) Zinga ..	.. ..	2.49	2.14	4.00	4.00	187	187
Total ..		100.00					
Sub-group Index (d) ..						242	269
(e) Milk and Milk Products—							
(1) Milk	l. ..	89.79	0.67	2.45	2.50	366	373
(2) Ghee	kg. ..	10.21	6.19	16.00	17.25	258	279
Total ..		100.00					
Sub-group Index (e) ..						355	368

CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBER (NEW SERIES) FOR WORKING CLASS
FOR SHOLAPUR CENTRE-- contd.

Articles	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Year ended Dec. 1960	June 1973	July 1973	June 1973	July 1973
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
<i>Spices and</i>							
..	kg.	4.71	0.09	0.20	0.20	222	222
..	"	3.40	1.11	5.80	5.84	523	526
..	300 g.	4.98	0.23	1.05	0.49	457	213
..	"	59.43	0.65	1.60	1.64	246	252
..	kg.	7.59	1.20	4.90	4.62	408	385
..	"	10.73	0.23	0.80	0.97	348	422
..	300 g.	7.85	0.24	1.20	1.24	500	517
..	Each	1.31	0.27	0.81	0.84	300	311
Total ..		100.00					
Index (f) ..						309	308
<i>Vegetables and fruits--</i>							
..	kg.	15.00	0.46	..	1.50	..	326
..	300 g.	1.00	0.09	..	0.30	..	333
..	"	16.50	0.25	..	0.51	..	204
..	"	1.00	0.21	..	0.45	..	214
..	200 g.	7.50	0.12	..	0.35	..	292
..	300 g.	13.50	0.13	..	0.40	..	308
..	200 g.	31.50	0.09	..	0.22	..	244
..	Doz.	13.50	0.51	..	1.31	..	257
..	"	0.50	0.28	..	0.68	..	243
Total ..		100.00					
Sub-group ..						308	264
<i>Food--</i>							
..	kg.	47.53	1.16	2.15	2.15	185	185
..	"	7.97	0.64	2.17	2.35	339	367
..	Pkt. of 50 g.	21.56	0.39	0.58	0.58	149	149
..	Cup	20.74	0.07	0.15	0.15	214	214
..	kg.	1.10	1.60	7.00	7.00	438	438
..	"	1.10	2.17	6.20	7.00	286	323
Total ..		100.00					

CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBER (NEW SERIES) FOR WORKING CLASS
FOR SHOLAPUR CENTRE—contd.

Articles 1	Unit of quantity 2	Weight proportional to total expenditure 3	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Year ended Dec. 1960 4	June 1973 5	July 1973 6	June 1973 7	July 1973 8
I-A. Food—			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
(a) Cereals and Products.		48.79				327	365
(b) Pulses and Products.		7.28				364	373
(c) Oils and Fats ..		4.99				405	471
(d) Meat, Fish and Eggs.		6.79				242	269
(e) Milk and products ..		7.37				355	363
(f) Condiments and Spices.		8.25				309	308
(g) Vegetables and Fruits.		4.29				308	264
(h) Other Food ..		12.24				200	202
Total ..		100.00					
Group Index I-A ..						312	335
I-B. Pan, Supari, Tobacco, etc.—							
(1) Pan (leaf) ..	100 leaves	10.22	0.19	0.93	0.67	489	353
(2) Pan finished ..	Each ..	6.07	0.04	0.08	0.08	200	200
(3) Supari ..	300 g. ..	19.49	1.77	1.50	1.50	85	85
(4) Katha ..	50 g. ..	3.84	0.51	1.25	1.25	245	245
(5) Bidi ..	Katta of 25	37.06	0.19	0.30	0.30	158	158
(6) Cigarettes ..	Pkt. of 10 ..	5.43	0.15	0.50	0.50	333	333
(7) Chewing tobacco ..	50 g. ..	17.89	0.21	0.36	0.36	171	171
Total ..		100.00					
Group Index I-B ..						195	181
II. Fuel and Light—							
(1) Firewood ..	40 kg. ..	62.01	3.57	6.00	6.00	168	168
(2) Coal ..	" ..	13.81	6.99	16.00	16.00	229	229
(3) Dung cake ..	100 cakes ..	7.06	0.85	1.94	2.06	228	242
(4) Match Box ..	Each (50 sticks)	4.06	0.05	0.07	0.07	140	140
(5) Kerosene Oil ..	500 ml. ..	13.06	0.15	0.34	0.35	227	233
Total ..		100.00					
Group Index II ..						187	189
III. Housing—							

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CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBER (NEW SERIES) FOR WORKING CLASS
FOR SHOLAPUR CENTRE— contd.

WORKING CLASS

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Articles	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Year ended Dec. 1960	June 1973	July 1973	June 1973	July 1973
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
IV. Clothing, Bedding and Footwear—							
Dhoti—							
(i) Laxmi Mills .. Pair ..		8.53	10.69	27.71	26.59	251	
(ii) Vishnu Mills	10.47	25.41	25.41		
Saree .. Each ..		29.79	10.05	21.00	21.00	209	
Shirt		2.92	3.41	5.24	5.24	154	
Long cloth .. m. ..		7.48	1.39	3.04	3.24	219	
Shirting—							
(i) Ahmedabad Mills		25.70	1.61	2.87	3.12	193	
(ii) Century Mills	1.49	3.09	3.11		
Markin		17.41	1.28	3.43	3.54	268	
Trousers cloth		2.57	1.47	3.56	3.84	242	
Chappal (Lady's) .. Pair ..		4.67	6.40	9.40	9.40	147	
Shoes (Gent's)		0.93	15.98	28.55	28.55	179	
Total ..		100.00					
Group Index IV ..						215	
V. Miscellaneous—							
(a) Medical Care—							
(1) Doctor's fee .. Per Visit ..		29.23	4.33	5.00	5.00	115	
(2) Medicine .. Phial of 3 doses		70.77	0.71	0.92	0.92	130	
Total ..		100.00					
Sub-group Index V(a) ..						125	
(b) Education, Recreation and Amusement—							
(1) School fee .. Per Student		33.15	6.00	5.90	5.90	98	
(2) School Book .. Each ..		22.65	2.50	2.97	2.66	119	
(3) Stationery—							
(i) Exercise Book		5.53	0.12	0.20	0.20	146	

CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBER (NEW SERIES) FOR WORKING
FOR SHOLAPUR CENTRE— contd.

Articles	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index
			Year ended Dec. 1960	June 1973	July 1973	June 1973
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.	
(e) Transport and Communication—						
(1) Railway fare (from Sholapur to Poona).	Per Passenger	67.41	5.22	7.45	7.45	143
(2) Bus fare ..	Per Adult	32.59	0.15	0.25	0.25	167
Total ..		100.00				
Sub-group Index V(c) ..						151
(d) Personal care and Effects—						
(1) Hair Oil ..	Bottle of 250 g.	39.28	2.00	5.62	5.62	281
(2) Barber charges ..	Per adult	49.11	0.62	1.30	1.30	210
(3) Toilet Soap ..	Each ..	8.93	0.44	0.75	0.75	170
(4) Ornaments (glass) ..	Per dozen	2.68	0.75	0.75	0.75	100
Total ..		100.00				
Sub-group Index V(d) ..						231
(e) Others—						
(1) Utensils (Copper)	500 g. ..	6.07	3.25	20.00	25.00	615
(2) Laundry Charges	Per Piece.	9.64	0.11	0.22	0.22	200
(3) Washing Soap ..	Bar of 12 Pieces.	44.64	1.31	2.10	2.10	160
(4) Tailoring Charges—						
(i) Shirt ..	Each ..	36.43	0.80	1.44	1.44	170
(ii) Blouse ..	" ..	..	0.70	1.12	1.12	
(5) Durrie ..	" ..	3.22	3.80	9.52	9.52		251
Total ..		100.00				
Sub-group Index V(e) ..						198
V. Miscellaneous Group						
(a) Medical care ..		25.86				125
(b) Education, Recreation and Amusement		15.92				186
(c) Transport and Communication.		12.49				151
(d) Personal care and Effects.		21.02				231
(e) Others ..		24.71				198
Total ..						

NAGPUR *

259—A rise of 39 points

In July 1973 the Consumer Price Index Number for Working Class (New Series) for Nagpur Centre with base January to December 1960 equal to 100 was 259 being 39 points higher than that in the preceding month. The index relates to the standard of life ascertained during the year 1958-59 Family Living Survey in Nagpur City.

The index number for the food group increased by 65 points to 311 due to a rise in the average prices of rice, arhardal, moongdal, gingelli oil, groundnut oil, vanaspati, linseed oil, fish (fresh), eggs, salt, turmeric, chillies (dry), onions, garlic, corriander, ginger, zeera, gur, bhajia, jalebi and a rise in the sub-group index number of vegetables and fruits.

The index number for the pan, supari, tobacco, etc. group decreased by 10 points to 204 due to a fall in the average prices of pan leaf and chewing tobacco.

The index number for the fuel and light group increased by 5 points to 191 due to a rise in the average prices of coke and kerosene oil.

The six monthly house-rent survey was conducted by the Director, Labour Bureau, Simla during the period ending June 1973. Accordingly the index number for housing increased by 5 points to 143.

The index number for the clothing, bedding and footwear group increased by 3 points to 240 due to a rise in the average prices of dhoti, shirting, long cloth, markin and bed sheet.

The index number for the miscellaneous group increased by 1 point to 16 due to a rise in the average prices of toilet soap and washing soap.

CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBER (NEW SERIES) FOR WORKING CLASS FOR NAGPUR CITY

(Average prices for the calendar year 1960 = 100)

Groups	Weights proportional to total expenditure	Group Index Numbers	
		June 1973	July 1973
I-A. Food	57.2	246	311
I-B. Pan, Supari, Tobacco, etc.	3.8	214	204
II. Fuel and Light	5.7	186	191
III. Housing	6.6	138	143
IV. Clothing, Bedding and Footwear	10.9	237	240
V. Miscellaneous	15.8	166	167
Total	100.0		

CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBER (NEW SERIES) FOR WORKING CLASS
FOR NAGPUR CENTRE—contd.

Articles 1	Unit of Quantity 2	Weight proportion- al to total expenditure 3	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Basic Price 4	June 1973 5	July 1973 6	June 1973 7	July 1973 8
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs .P.		
I-A. Food—							
(a) Cereals and Cereal Products—							
(1) Rice ..	kg. ..	53.60	0.64	1.31	2.78	205	434
(2) Wheat (0.S.) ..	" ..	35.69	0.41	0.91	0.91	222	222
(3) Jowar ..	" ..	8.72	0.41	0.76(i)	0.76(i)	185	185
(4) Grinding charges ..	3 kg. ..	1.99	0.08	0.16	0.16	200	200
Total ..		100.00					
Sub-group I-A (a) Index..						209	332
(b) Pulses and Pulse Products—							
(1) Arhar dal ..	kg. ..	68.17	0.71	2.50	2.52	352	355
(2) Gram dal ..	" ..	28.12	0.52	2.02	2.00	388	385
(3) Moong dal ..	" ..	3.71	0.55	2.72	2.75	495	500
Total ..		100.00					
Sub-group I-A (b) Index..						368	369
(c) Oils and Fats—							
(1) Gingelli Oil ..	kg. ..	4.84	2.75	8.00	9.20	291	335
(2) Groundnut Oil ..	" ..	7.91	1.92	8.08	9.20	421	479
(3) Vanaspati (loose) ..	500 g. ..	9.67	1.79	4.25	4.50	237	251
(4) Linseed Oil ..	kg. ..	77.58	1.54	5.45	6.00	354	390
Total ..		100.00					
Sub-group I-A (c) Index ..						345	381
(d) Meat, Fish and Eggs—							
(1) Goat-meat ..	kg. ..	90.16	2.68	7.00	7.00	261	261
(2) Fish (fresh)—							
(i) Rahu ..	" ..	5.32	3.22	6.00	6.12	202	206
(ii) Mangur ..	" ..	..	3.22	7.00	7.12	187	221
(3) Eggs ..	dozen ..	4.52	2.06	3.86	4.55		
Total ..		100.00					
Sub-group I-A (d) Index ..						255	256
(e) Milk and Milk Products—							
(1) Milk ..	L. ..	71.96	0.80	1.74	1.71	218	214
(2) Curd ..	kg. ..	3.57	2.14	4.00	4.12		
(3) Ghee ..	" ..	24.47					

CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBER (NEW SERIES) FOR WORKING CLASS
FOR NAGPUR CENTRE— contd.

Articles 1	Unit of Quantity 2	Weight proportion- al to total expenditure 3	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Basic Price 4	June 1973 5	July 1973 6	June 1973 7	July 1973 8
(f) Condiments and Spices—			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
(1) Salt ..	Kg.	5.59	0.13	0.25	0.28	192	215
(2) Turmeri ..	..	7.69	1.63	7.00	7.19	429	441
(3) Chillies (dry) ..	..	49.65	2.88	5.19	5.44	180	189
(4) Onion ..	..	18.65	0.27	0.58	0.85	215	315
(5) Garlic ..	..	6.53	1.06	2.20	2.25	208	212
(6) Corriander ..	..	2.33	1.16	3.20	3.25	276	280
(7) Ginger ..	..	3.50	2.96	8.00	8.25	270	279
(8) Zcera ..	..	6.06	3.49	7.15	7.31	205	209
Total ..		100.00					
Sub-group I-A(f) Index..						215	241
(g) Vegetables and Fruits—							
(1) Potatoes ..	kg.	45.31	0.39	1.26	..	..	323
* (2) Muli ..	..	..	0.34	N.A.	..	..	249
(3) Brinjals ..	..	27.08	0.41	1.20	..	..	182
(4) Ladys finger. ..	..	4.60	0.60	1.09	..	..	179
(5) Gourd ..	..	2.08	0.29	0.52	..	..	245
(6) Tondli ..	..	5.21	0.44	1.08	..	..	274
(7) Palak ..	..	5.68	0.31	0.85	..	..	213
(8) Chauli Sag ..	..	0.57	0.38	0.81	..	..	256
(9) Banana ..	Doz.	9.38	0.39	1.00	..	..	..
(10) *Mango ..	..	..	3.80	N.A.	..	..	..
Total ..		100.00					
Sub-group Index I-A (g)..						272	280
(h) Other Food—							
(1) Sugar ..	kg.	44.71	1.22	2.15	2.15	176	176
(2) Gur ..	..	2.40	0.72	2.25	2.30	312	319
(3) Tea leaf ..	Pkt. of 25g.	13.26	0.19	0.32	0.32	168	168
(4) Bhajia ..	kg.	8.46	2.14	6.00	6.12	280	286
(5) Jalebi ..	..	1.97	1.61	7.00	7.12	435	442
(6) Tea (ready made) ..	Cup	29.20	0.06	0.30	0.30	500	500
Total ..		100.00					
Sub-group I-A(h) Index..						287	288
I-A. Food—							
(a) Cereals and Cereal Products.		49.53	..	..	..	209	332
(b) Pulses and Pulse Products.		8.83	..	..	..	368	369
(c) Oils and Fats ..		6.05	..	..	..	345	381
(d) Meat, Fish and Eggs		5.00	..	..	..	255	256
(e) Milk and Milk Products.		7.51	..	..	..	210	209
(f) Condiments and Spices.		6.95	..	..	..	215	241
(g) ..		6.67	..	..	..	272	280

CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBER (NEW SERIES) FOR WORKING CLASS
FOR NAGPUR CENTER— contd.

Articles 1	Unit of quantity 2	Weight proportional to total expenditure 3	Price per Unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Basic Price 4	June 1973 5	July 1973 6	June 1973 7	July 1973 8
I-B. Pan, Supari, Tobacco, etc.—			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
(1) Pan-leaf ..	100 leaves.	14.85	0.29	1.36	1.19	469	410
(2) Pan (ready-made) ..	Each	13.61	0.03	0.07	0.07	233	233
(3) Supari ..	kg.	26.60	6.71	8.00	8.00	119	119
(4) Katha ..	"	5.36	8.57	12.00	12.00	140	140
(5) Bidi ..	Katta of 25	21.44	0.16	0.25	0.25	156	156
(6) Cigarettes ..	Pkt. of 10	8.04	0.15	0.50	0.50	333	333
(7) Chewing and leafy tobacco.	kg.	10.10	5.00	6.25	6.00	125	120
Total ..		100.00					
I-B. Group Index ..						214	204
II. Fuel and Light—							
(1) Fire-wood ..	40 kg.	69.55	2.38	4.31	4.31	181	181
(2) Coke ..	"	5.90	2.88	7.79	7.84	270	272
(3) Kerosene Oil ..	Litre	14.13	0.34	0.69	0.80	203	235
(4) Electricity Charges ..	Unit	2.74	0.29	0.36	0.36	124	124
(5) Coal ..	40 kg.	2.61	6.38	13.00	13.00	204	204
(6) Match box ..	Each (50 sticks)	5.07	0.05	0.07	0.07	140	140
Total ..		100.00					
Group II Index for Fuel and Light.						186	191
III. Housing—							
Residential House ..		100.00					
Total ..		100.00				138	143
Group III Index for Housing.						138	143
IV. Clothing, Bedding and Footwear—							
(1) Dhoti Emp. Mill	Pair	9.87	12.10	28.38	28.89	236	240
(2) " Model Mill	Pair		10.68	25.35	25.81		
(3) Saree	each	36.48	8.09	13.31	13.31	165	165
(4) Shirting Emp. Mill	m.	18.35	1.21	3.25	3.39	308	316
(5) " Model Mill.	m.	..	1.05	3.64	3.69		
(6) Trousers Cloth ..	m.	3.34	1.43	4.26	4.26	298	298
(7) Long cloth ..	m.	3.06	1.14	3.98	4.19	349	368
(8) Markin Emp. Mill	m.	13.06	1.04	4.28	4.29	353	354
(9) " Model Mill	m.	..	1.09	3.21	3.21		
(10) Pajama ..	each	1.60	4.25	7.00	7.00	165	165
(11) Ganji ..	each	1.25	1.23	2.00	2.00	163	163
(12) Shirt ..	each	1.60	3.75	7.00	7.00	187	187
(13) Bed Sheet ..	Pair	2.01	8.50	18.28	19.15	215	225
(14) Shoes (Gents) ..	Pair	4.17	16.00	28.55	28.55	178	178
(15) Chappal (Gents) ..	Pair	..	..	..	..	..	..

CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBER (NEW SERIES) FOR WORKING CLASS
FOR NAGPUR CENTRE— contd.

Articles	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per Unit of Quantity			Index Number	
			Basic Price	June 1973	July 1973	June 1973	July 1973
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
V. Miscellaneous—							
(a) Medical care—							
(1) Doctor's fee ..	Per visit ..	22.98	3.00	5.00	5.00	167	167
(2) Medicine ..	Phial of 3 doses.	45.06	0.75	0.75	0.75	100	100
(3) E.S.I. Premium ..	....	31.96	0.69	0.70	0.70	101	101
Total ..		100.00					
Sub-group V (a) Index ..						116	116
(b) Personal care and effects—							
(1) Hair oil ..	Bottle of 114 ml.	24.01	1.37	2.64	2.64	193	193
(2) Barber charges ..	Per Adult ..	38.30	0.50	1.25	1.25	250	250
(3) Toilet soap ..	Per Cake ..	15.80	0.46	0.75	0.90	163	196
(4) Tooth powder (Medium size) ..	Bottle ..	2.74	0.87	1.60	1.60	184	184
(5) Ornaments (glass) ..	Dozen ..	4.25	0.75	0.75	0.75	100	100
(6) Watch ..	Each ..	12.16	65.00	90.00	90.00	138	138
(7) Face powder (small)	Tin ..	2.74	1.00	2.75	2.75	275	275
Total ..		100.00					
Sub-group V (b) Index ..						201	207
(c) Education, Recreation and Amusements—							
(1) School fee ..	Per Student	23.53	5.50	5.50	5.50	100	100
(2) School Book ..	Each ..	17.65	2.00	2.50	2.50	125	125
(3) Toy ..	..	1.02	0.24	0.26	0.26	108	108

CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBER (NEW SERIES) FOR WORKING CLASS
FOR NAGPUR CENTRE— contd.

Articles	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per Unit of Quantity			Index Number	
			Basic price	June 1973	July 1973	June 1973	July 1973
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
(d) Transport and Communication—							
(1) Railway fare of 80 km.	Per Passenger	45.49	1.61	2.45	2.45	152	152
(2) Bus fare ..	Per Adult ..	29.19	0.15	0.25	0.25	167	167
(3) Post card ..	Each ..	3.85	0.05	0.10	0.10	200	200
(4) Rickshaw charges ..	Per Adult ..	21.46	0.37	0.62	0.62	168	168
Total ..		100.00					
Sub-group V (d) Index ..						162	162
(e) Others—							
(1) Cot ..	Each ..	5.94	5.50	11.00	11.00	200	200
(2) Trunk/Box ..	.. ..	2.05	5.01	9.00	9.00	180	180
(3) Earthenware ..	.. ..	2.05	0.30	2.00	2.00	667	667
(4) Utensil. Aluminium	Kg. ..	4.79	8.50	15.00	15.00	176	176
(5) Utensil Brass ..	.. ..	11.42	7.71	20.00	20.00	259	259
(6) Laundry charges ..	Per piece ..	9.59	0.12	0.25	0.25	208	208
(7) Washing Soap ..	Bar ..	33.11	1.30	2.14	2.22	165	171
(8) Tailoring Charges	Shirt ..	31.05	0.88	1.62	1.62	192	192
	Blouse ..	..	0.75	1.50	1.50		
Total ..		100.00					
Sub-group V(e) Index ..						201	203
Miscellaneous—							
(a) Medical care ..		28.00				116	116
(b) Personal care and effects.		18.30				201	207
(c) Education, Recreation and Amusements.		19.55				168	168
(d) Transport and Communication.		12.25				162	162
(e) Others ..		21.90				201	203
Total ..		100.00					
Miscellaneous group Index						166	167

AURANGABAD*

304—A rise at 9 po

In July 1973, the Aurangabad Centre 304 being 9 points higher to the standard of the Survey for Aurangabad.

The index number rose in the average salt, turmeric, chilli, banana and gur.

The index number due to a rise in the Six monthly

Aurangabad by the Employment, Bombay Rent index decreased.

The index number point to 220 due to long cloth.

The index number 181 due to a fall in the

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AURANGABAD*

304—A rise at 9 points

In July 1973, the Consumer Price Index Number for Working Class for the Aurangabad Centre with base year January to December 1961 equal to 100 was 304 being 9 points higher than that in the preceding month. The index relates to the standard of life ascertained during the year 1958-59. Family Living Survey for Aurangabad Centre.

The index number for the food group increased by 15 points to 377 due to a rise in the average prices of jowar, gramdal, moongdal, masurdal, karad oil, salt, turmeric, chilies dry, tamarind, mixed spices, jeera, potatoes, onions, banana and gur.

The index number for the fuel and light group increased by 7 points to 179 due to a rise in the average prices of firewood and chips.

The Six monthly house rent survey ending June 1973 was conducted at Aurangabad by the Office of the Commissioner of Labour and Director of Employment, Bombay, in the month of July 1973. Accordingly, the House Rent index decreased by 3 points to 191.

The index number for the clothing and footwear group has increased by 1 point to 220 due to a rise in the prices of dhoti, saree, cloth for trouser and long cloth.

The index number for the miscellaneous group decreased by 4 points to 181 due to a fall in the average prices of panleaf and supari.

**CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBER FOR WORKING CLASS FOR
AURANGABAD CITY**

(Average prices for the calendar year 1961=100)

Groups	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Group Index Number	
		June 1973	July 1973
I. Food	60.72	362	377
II. Fuel and Light	7.50	172	179
III. Housing	8.87	194	191
IV. Clothing and Footwear	9.29	219	220
V. Miscellaneous	13.62	185	181
Total	100.00		
Consumer Price Index Number .. .. .	....	295	304

CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBER FOR WORKING CLASS FOR
AURANGABAD CITY— contd.

Articles 1	Unit of quantity 2	Weight propor- tional to total expenditure 3	Price per unit of Quantity			Index Number	
			Basic Price 4	June 1973 5	July 1973 6	June 1973 7	July 1973 8
I. Food Group—							
(a) Cereals and Cereal Products—							
(1) Rice ..	kg	5.40	0.69	1.17	1.17**	170	179
(2) Wheat ..	"	10.12	0.42	0.89	0.89	212	211
(3) Jowar ..	"	30.33	0.38	2.20	2.28	579	600
(4) Grinding charges for cereals.	"	2.35	0.02	0.05	0.05	250	259
Total ..		48.20					
Index Number sub-group I(a).						440	453
(b) Pulses and Pulse Products—							
(1) Turdal without husk.	kg	3.96	0.70	2.92	2.83	417	404
(2) Gramdal Katori ..	"	2.05	0.60	2.11	2.34	352	390
(3) Moongdal without husk.	"	1.11	0.71	3.37	3.43	475	483
(4) Masurdal Thick grain.	"	0.74	0.64	2.16	2.26	338	353
Total ..		7.86					
Index Number sub-group I(b).						401	407
(c) Oils and Fats—							
(1) Groundnut oil Whitish.	½ Ltr.	2.00*	1.07	....	....	....	....
(2) Karad Oil ..	"	3.49	1.11	3.78	4.38	341	395
(3) Vanaspati Dalda..	½ kg (loose)	0.48	1.58	3.97	3.97†	251	251
Total ..		5.97					
Index Number sub-group I(c).						333	383
(d) Mutton, Fish and Eggs—							
(1) Mutton, Goat meat	½ kg	4.70	1.26	3.00	3.00	238	238
(2) Fish (dry)—							
(a) Bombil ..	kg	0.24	2.90	7.00	7.00		
(b) Zinga ..	"	2.13	5.00	5.00		
(c) Nathani ..	"	1.93	6.00	6.00		
Total ..		4.94					
Index Number sub-group I(d).						238	262

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(a) Milk and Milk Products—
Milk—
(Buffalo Milk)

Total

Index Number sub-group I(a).

(f) Condiments and Spices—

(1) Salt—
White ..
(2) Turmeric—
White ..
(3) Chillies (dry)—
Superior quality ..
(4) Tamarind ..
(5) Mixed spices—
Bojwar ..
(6) Jira ..
Thick Blackish (gray)

Total

Index Number sub-group I(f).

(g) Vegetables and Vegetable Products—

(1) Potatoes—
Medium ..
(2) Onions—
Red ..
(3) Brinjals—
Medium ..
(4) Tomatoes—
(1) Red ..

(2) Green
(1) Garlic—
Medium ..

Other Vegetables—
Varieties available in the month of June 1973—

(1) Bhendi
(2) Dodka

Vegetables available in the month of July 1973

(1) Dilpasand
(2) Gawar
(3) Bhendi

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Index Number		Articles	Unit of Quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
June 1973	July 1973				Basic price	June 1973	July 1973	June 1973	July 1973
7	1	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
		(e) Milk and Milk Products—			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
		Milk—							
		(Buffalo Milk) ..	200 ml. ..	6.65	0.16	0.30	0.30	188	188
		Total ..		6.65					
170		Index Number sub-group I(e).						188	188
212		(f) Condiments and Spices—							
579		(1) Salt—							
250		White ..	kg ..	0.35	0.11	0.21	0.22	191	200
		(2) Turmeric—							
		White ..	250 gm ..	0.31	0.34	1.31	1.35	385	390
440		(3) Chillies (dry)—							
		Superior quality ..	½ kg ..	4.62	0.90	2.88	2.91	320	320
		(4) Tamarind ..	.. ..	0.45	0.49	2.90	2.95	592	600
		(5) Mixed spices—							
		Bojwar ..	250 gm. ..	1.80	0.42	1.26	1.31	300	310
417		(6) Jira—							
		Thick Blackish (gray). ..	.. ..	0.30	0.69	1.79	1.87	259	270
352		Total ..		7.83					
475		Index Number sub-group I(f).						326	330
338		(g) Vegetables and Vegetable Products—							
401		(1) Potatoes—							
		Medium ..	½ kg ..	1.35	0.30	0.66	0.75	220	250
		(2) Onions—							
		Red ..	kg ..	1.06	0.25	0.51	1.00	204	400
....		(3) Brinjals—							
		Medium ..	½ kg ..	0.48	0.24	0.79	0.75	329	310
341		(4) Tomatoes—							
251		(1) Red ..	.. ..	0.64	0.28	2.05	0.05	608	600
		(2) Green ..	.. ..		0.18	0.87	0.87		
		(5) Garlic—							
		Medium ..	50 gm ..	0.68	0.06	0.20	0.20	333	330
333		Other Vegetables—							
		Varieties available in the month of June 1973—							
		(i) Bhendi ..	½ kg ..	1.80	0.39	0.74	0.73	231	
		(ii) Dodka ..	.. ..		0.27	0.73			
238		Varieties available in the month of July 1973							
262		(i) Dilpasand ..	½ kg ..		0.17		0.52		

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CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBER FOR WORKING CLASS FOR AURANGABAD CITY—contd.

Articles	Unit of Quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Basic Price	June 1973	July 1973	June 1973	July 1973
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
Fruits and Fruit Products—							
Banana—							
Medium ..	Doz. ..	1.14	0.32	0.88	1.38	275	431
Total ..		1.14					
Number sub-group						275	431
Sugar, Honey and Related Products—							
Sugar—							
Medium ..	kg ..	3.45	1.17	2.15	2.15	184	184
Gur—							
superior ..	" ..	1.81	0.46	2.18	2.33	474	507
Total ..		5.26					
Number sub-group						284	295
Beverages—							
Tea leaf—							
Brooke Bond	50 gm ..	1.86	0.41	0.57	0.57	139	139
Prepared Tea—							
Chalu Chaha ..	Cup ..	4.28	0.08	0.20	0.20	250	250
Total ..		6.14					
Number sub-group						216	216
Group—							
Cereals and cereals products.	....	48.20				440	453
Pulses and pulse products.	....	7.86				401	407
Oils and fats ..	....	5.97				333	383
Mutton, fish and eggs.	....	4.94				239	239
Milk and Milk products.	....	6.65				188	188
Condiments and spices.	....	7.83				326	332
Vegetables and vegetable products.	....	6.01				283	231
Fruits and fruit products.	1.14				275	431
Sugar, honey and related products.	5.26				284	295

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Articles	Unit of Quantity
1	2
II. Fuel and Light—	
(1) Firewood and chips—	
(i) Mixture ..	37 1/2
(ii) Babhool ..	"
(2) Kerosene Ordinary.	1.
(3) Match Box Wimco, Home Brand.	Bo
Total ..	s
Index Number Group II.	
III. Housing—	
Rent—	
House rent for selected tenements.	P.M
Total ..	
Index Number Group III.	
IV. Clothing and Footwear—	
(a) Clothing—	
(1) Dhoti 8.2 mts. length and 119 to 121 cms. width.	Pe
(2) Saree 7.3 to 8.2 mts. length and 102 to 152 mt. width.	"
(3) Cloth for trousers 89 to 97 cms. width.	"
(4) Longcloth 89 to 97 cms. width.	"
(5) Coloured fabric 67 to 69 cms. width.	"
Total ..	
Index Number sub-group IV (a).	
(b) Footwear—	
Shoes—	
(i) Bata Co	

CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBER FOR WORKING CLASS FOR AURANGABAD CITY— contd.

Index Number	Articles	Unit of Quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
				Basic Price	June 1973	July 1973	June 1973	July 1973
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.			
275	11. Fuel and Light— (1) Firewood and chips— (I) Mixture ..	37 kg. ..	81.82	2.87	4.19	4.44	154	163
	(II) Babhool ..	" ..	.....	2.80	4.56	4.81		
	(2) Kerosene Ordinary.	l. ..	12.44	0.22	0.65	0.65	295	295
275	(3) Match Box Wimco, Horse Brand.	Box of 50 sticks.	5.74	0.06	0.09	0.09	150	150
	Total ..		100.00					
84	Index Number Group II.						172	179
174	III. Housing— Rent— House rent for selected tenements.	P.M. ..	100.00	4.70			194	191
884	Total ..		100.00	(Jan. 1971)				
	Index Number Group III.						194	191
39	IV. Clothing and Footwear—							
50	(a) Clothing—							
	(1) Dhoti 8.2 mts. length and 119 to 121 cms. width.	Per sq. metre.	6.04	1.07	2.15	2.18	201	204
	(2) Sarree 7.3 to 8.2 mts. length and 102 to 152 ms. width.	" ..	31.57	1.28	2.64	2.63	206	205
16	(3) Cloth for trousers 89 to 97 cms. width.	" ..	2.51	2.36	5.00	5.09	212	216
	(4) Longcloth 89 to 97 cms. width.	" ..	36.63	1.64	3.93	3.95	240	241
	(5) Coloured fabric 67 to 69 cms. width.	" ..	18.17	1.86	4.05	4.05	218	218
	Total ..		94.92					
	Index Number sub-group IV (a).						221	222
	(b) Footwear—							
	Shoes—							
175	(I) Bata Co. ..	Per pair ..	5.08	15.08	28.55	28.55	180	180
	(II) Flex Co	" ..		10.22	22.95	22.95		

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	Unit of Quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Basic Price	June 1973	July 1973	June 1973	July 1973
	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
and Feet-	....	94.92	....	....	....	221	222
..	....	5.08	....	....	....	180	180
Total ..		100.00					
Group IV.						219	220
..	Bundle of 100 leaves	3.84	0.50	1.88	1.27	376	254
..	Bida ..	2.19	0.04	0.09	0.09	225	225
..	50 gm	4.36	0.41	0.52	0.51	127	124
..	" ..	1.78	0.72	1.27	1.28	176	178
Total ..		12.17					
Sub-group						230	191
..	Bundle ..	15.38	0.15	0.28	0.28	187	187
..	Packet of 25 gm	3.18	0.19	0.20	0.20	105	105
Total ..		18.56					
Sub-group						173	173
Utilities-- (Market).	Each ..	2.55	7.18	18.00	18.00	251	251

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CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBER FOR WORKING CLASS FOR AURANGABAD CITY-- contd.

Articles	Unit of Quantity	Weight proportional to expenditure		
			1	2	3
..	Per piece.	4		
..	Cake ..	9		
Total ..		14		
Index Number Sub-group Y (c).				
..	Two tablets. Per day.	4		
..	..	7		
Total ..		12		
Index Number Sub-group Y (e).				
..	Small bottle.	4		
..	Adult ..	8		
..	" ..	7		
..	" ..	7		
..	Cake	1		
..	" 2 pkts. of 5 blades each.	6		
Total ..		1		
Index Number Sub-group Y (f).				
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..	..	1		

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CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBERS FOR WORKING CLASS FOR AURANGABAD CITY— contd.

Articles	Unit of Quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Basic Price	June 1973	July 1973	June 1973	July 1973
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
(d) Washing Soap—							
(1) Laundry—							
Ordinary washing and ironing of cotton shirt.	Per piece.	4.86	0.11	0.20	0.20	182	182
(2) Washing Soap— Sunlight ..	Cake ..	9.27	0.42	0.62	0.62	148	148
Total ..		14.13					
Index Number Sub-group V (d).						159	159
(e) Medical care—							
(1) Patent Medicine, Anacin.	Two tablets.	4.67	0.12	0.15	0.15	125	125
(2) Mixture (Daily) ..	Per day.	7.61	0.68	1.00	1.00	147	147
Total ..		12.28					
Index Number Sub-group V (e).						139	139
(f) Personal Care—							
(1) Hair Oil, Tata Co.	Small bottle.	5.82	1.30	2.71	2.75	208	212
(2) Barber charges—							
(i) Hair cut and shave.	Adult ..	8.70	0.50	1.35	1.35	250	250
(ii) Haircut ..	" ..	...	0.37	1.00	1.00		
(iii) Shave ..	" ..	...	0.19	0.40	0.40		
(3) Toilet Soap—							
(i) Life Buoy ..	Cake	2.74	0.48	0.75	0.75	156	157
(ii) Hamam ..	" ..	0.33	0.48	0.75	0.76		
(4) Blade Six morning	2 pkts. of 5 blades each.	0.33	0.57	0.90	0.90	158	158
Total ..		17.59					
Index Number Sub-group V (f).						220	221
(g) Education and Reading—							
(1) School fees for Student		1.90	3.01	5.55	5.55	184	184

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CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBERS FOR WORKING CLASS FOR AURANGABAD CITY—concl'd.

Articles	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Basic Price	June 1973	July 1973	June 1973	July 1973
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
Recreation and Amusement—							
Cinema							
Lowest class ..	Full ticket.	6.90	0.44	1.05	1.05	239	239
Total ..		6.90					
Index Number Sub-group V (h).						239	239
Transport and Communication—							
(1) Rail—							
Fare for 50km ..	Full ticket	6.19	1.04	1.50	1.50	144	144
(2) Bus—							
S. T. fare for 30 miles.	"	5.30	1.50	2.20	2.20	147	147
(3) Postage—							
(1) Post card ..	Per card	1.10	0.05	0.10	0.10	167	167
(2) Money Order	Rs. 30 ..	..	0.45	0.60	0.60		
Total ..	...	12.59					
Index Number Sub-group V (i).						147	147
Miscellaneous Group—							
Pansupari ..	....	12.17				230	191
Tobacco and Tobacco Products.	....	18.56				173	173
Household utilities ..	....	2.55				251	251
Washing Soap ..	....	14.13				159	159
Medical care ..	....	12.28				139	139
Personal care ..	....	17.59				220	221
Education and Reading.	....	3.23				172	172
Recreation and Amusement.	6.90				239	239
Transport and Communication.	12.59				147	147
Total ..		100.00					

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NANDED***335—A rise of 28 points**

In July 1973, the Consumer Price Index Number for Working Class for the Nanded Centre with base year January to December 1961 equal to 100 was 335 being 28 points higher than that in the preceding month. The index relates to the standard of life ascertained during the year 1958-59 family living survey at the Nanded Centre.

The index number for the food group increased by 46 points to 424 due to a rise in the average prices of rice, jowar, gramdal, masurdal, groundnut oil, mutton, milk, ghee, tamarind, onion (white), brinjal, tomato (Red), garlic and banana.

The index number for the fuel and light group decreased by 1 point to 175 due to decrease in the average price of kerosene oil.

The six monthly house rent survey ending June 1973 was conducted by the office of the Commissioner of Labour and Director of Employment, Bombay in July 1973. Accordingly, the index number for house rent increased by 6 points to 147.

The index number for the clothing and footwear group decreased by 1 point to 227 due to a fall in the prices of dhoti, saree and long cloth.

The index number for the Miscellaneous group remained stationary at 191.

**CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBERS FOR WORKING CLASS FOR
NANDED CITY**

(Average prices for the calendar year 1961=100)

Groups	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Group Index Number	
		June 1973	July 1973
I. Food	61.46	378	424
II. Fuel and Light	5.88	176	175
III. Housing	4.62	141	147
IV. Clothing and Footwear	12.22	228	227
V. Miscellaneous	15.82	191	191
Total ..	100.00		
<i>Consumer Price Index Number</i> ..		307	335

CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBERS FOR WORKING CLASS FOR
NANDED CENTRE— contd.

Articles 1	Unit of quantity 2	Weight propor- tional to total ex- penditure 3	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Basic price 4	June 1973 5	July 1973 6	June 1973 7	July 1973 8
I. Food Group—			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
<i>(a) Cereals and Cereal Products—</i>							
(1) Rice ..	Kg. ..	13.02	0.64	1.24(i)	286	194	447
(2) Wheat ..	.. ..	6.81	0.42	0.89	0.89	212	212
(3) Jowar ..	.. ..	30.64	0.34	2.13	2.23	626	656
(4) Grinding charges ..	5 Kgs. ..	2.82	0.13	0.15	0.15	115	115
Total ..		53.29					
<i>Index Number Sub-group I (a).</i>						441	519
<i>(b) Pulses and Pulse Products—</i>							
(1) Turdal— (f) Gawran (medium)	Kg. ..	3.89	0.64	2.48	2.47	388	386
(2) Gramdal Punjab (medium).	.. ..	1.84	0.57	2.12	2.35	372	412
(3) Moongdal— Without husk ..	.. ..	1.55	0.66	3.18	3.15	482	477
(4) Uriddal without husk	.. ..	0.54	0.77	3.01	3.00	391	390
(5) Masurdal— (a) Big ..	.. ..	0.82*	0.61	2.15	2.27	352	372
(b) Medium ..	.. ..	....	0.61	....		
Total ..		8.64					
<i>Index Number Sub-group I (b).</i>						398	407
<i>(c) Oil and Fats—</i>							
(1) Groundnut Oil Meetha tel (Reddish in Colour).	Kg. ..	4.84	2.22	8.04	9.03	362	407
Total ..		4.84					

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CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBERS FOR WORKING CLASS FOR
NANDED CENTRE— contd.

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Index Number		Articles	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
June 1973	July 1973				Basic price	June 1973	July 1973	June 1973	July 1973
7	8	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
					Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
218	217	(j) Beverages— (1) Tea leaf— (i) Brooke Bond ..	Packet of 50 gms.	1.13	0.35	0.55	0.55	157	
219	274	(ii) Lipton ..	..	....	0.35	0.55	0.55		
318	327	(2) Hot drink— (i) Chalu Chaha ..	Per Cup ..	4.49	0.07	0.15	0.15	232	
295	393	(ii) Canteen tea ..	.. ..	....	0.04	0.10	0.10		
400	460	Total ..		5.62					
302	268	<i>Index Number Sub-group I(j).</i>						217	
283	306	I. Food Group— (a) Cereals and Cereal Products.		53.29				441	
347	388	(b) Pulses and Pulse Products.		8.64				398	
347	388	(c) Oils and Fats ..		4.84				362	
261	184	(d) Mutton, Fish and Eggs.		6.23				251	
		(e) Milk and Milk Products.		4.83				233	
		(f) Condiments and Spices.		7.12				342	
		(g) Vegetable and Vegetable Products.		4.29				283	
		(h) Fruit and Fruit Products.		0.87				347	
		(i) Sugar, Honey and Related Products.		4.27				287	
		(j) Beverages ..		5.62				217	
		Total ..		100.00					
		<i>Index Number for Food Group I.</i>						378	
		II. Fuel and Light— (1) Firewood and Chips							
347	388	(i) Dhawda (old) ..	20 Kgs. ..	80.76	1.66	2.82	2.82	165	
		(ii) Gaheri ..	.. ..	....	1.57	2.50	2.50		
		(2) Kerosene— (i) Rock oil white in colour.	Per litre ..	13.99	0.26	0.67	0.65	258	
		(3) Match Box— (i) Wimmer ..	Per Box ..	5.25	0.06	0.08	0.08	133	

CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBERS FOR WORKING CLASS FOR
NANDED CENTRE— contd.

Articles 1	Unit of quantity 2	Weight proportional to total expenditure 3	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number ¹	
			Basic price 4	June 1973 5	July 1973 6	June 1973 7	July 1973 8
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
V. Miscellaneous—							
(a) Pansupari—							
(1) Pan leaf—							
(i) Local (medium) ...	Bundle of 25 leaves.	2.83	0.07	0.30	0.30	464	464
(ii) Local (inferior) ..	" ..	....	0.04	0.20	0.20		
(2) Pan finished without masala.	Per Vida.	6.61	0.04	0.08	0.08	200	200
(3) Supari Manglori ..	50 gms.	4.22	0.41	0.35	0.36	85	88
Total ..		13.66					
<i>Index Number for Sub-group V(a).</i>							
(b) Tobacco and Tobacco Products—						219	220
(1) Bidi Kalilakali ..	Bundle of 25 Bidiies.	9.00	0.13	0.22	0.22	169	169
(2) Cigarettes—							
(i) Golkonda ..	Packet of 10 Cigarettes.	6.34	0.10	0.32	0.32	333	333
(ii) Charminar ..	" ..	....	0.13	0.45	0.45		
(3) Jarda Lal Dadhi Brand.	Packet of 25 gms.	1.63	0.14	0.25	0.25	179	179
Total ..		16.97					
<i>Index Number for Sub-group V(b).</i>						231	231
(c) Household Utillites—							
(1) Utensils Brass— Lota, Poona ..	Kg. ..	1.90	7.80	18.00	18.00	231	231
(2) Utensils Aluminium— Baghuna without chbap.	100 gms.	0.69	0.90	1.13	1.13	126	126
Total ..		2.59					
<i>Index Number for Sub-group V(c).</i>						203	203
(d) Washing soap—							
(1) Laundry ordinary	Per shirt...	3.74	0.12	0.20	0.20	167	167

**CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBERS FOR WORKING CLASS FOR
NANDED CENTRE— contd.**

Articles	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Basic Price	June 1973	July 1973	June 1973	July 1973
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
(e) Medical Care—							
(1) Patent Medicine—							
(i) Anacin ..	2 Tablets	9.36	0.13	0.13	0.13	128	128
(ii) Aspro ..	"	....	0.10	0.15	0.15		
(iii) Zinda Tilasmath	Bottle	....	0.37	0.50	0.50		
(2) Mixture, Doctor's daily Mixture.	Per day	5.47	0.62	0.75	0.75	121	121
Total ..		14.83					
Index Number for Sub-group V (e).						126	126
(f) Personal Care—							
(1) Hair Oil—							
(i) Tata Co. Coconut Oil.	Small bottle.	4.20	1.34	2.55	2.55	190	190
(2) Barber charges—							
(i) Hair cut with shave	Adult ..	7.20	0.41	1.00	1.00	257	257
(ii) Hair cut	" ..	....	0.31	0.75	0.75		
(iii) Shave	" ..	....	0.14	0.40	0.40		
(3) Toilet soap—							
(i) Harnam ..	Cake ..	1.93	0.48	0.75	0.75	156	156
(ii) Lifebuoy ..	" ..	....	0.48	0.75	0.75		
(4) Blades—							
(i) Bharat ..	Packet of 10 blades	0.07	0.47	0.88	0.88	186	186
(ii) 6 Morning ..	2 pkts. of 5 blades each.	....	0.54	1.00	1.00		
Total ..		13.40					
Index Number for Sub-group V (f).						221	221
(g) Education and Reading—							
(1) School fees for VIII Standard.	Per student.	3.30	2.14	4.90	4.90	229	229
(2) School Books—							
(i) Marathi Vachan Maln.	Per copy	3.43	0.75	2.00	2.00	202	202
(ii) Subodh Ganit ..	" ..	....	0.69	0.95	0.95		
Total ..		6.73					
Index Number for Sub-group V (g).						215	215
(h) Recreation and Amusement—							
(1) Cinema— Lowest Class ..	Full ticket.	6.62	0.30	0.75	0.75	250	250
Total ..		6.62					

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Articles	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Basic Price	June 1973	July 1973	June 1973	July 1973
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
(i) Transport and Communications—							
(1) Rail—							
(i) Fare for III Class 50 km.	Adult Ticket.	7.94	1.04	1.50	1.50	144	144
(ii) Bus—S. T. Bus fare for 20 miles.	..	3.14	1.00	1.55	1.55	155	155
(2) Postage—							
(i) Card ..	Single ..	0.57	0.05	0.10	0.10	167	167
(ii) M. O. Charges	Rs. 30 ..	....	0.45	0.60	0.60		
(3) Rickshaw Fare for 2 miles.	One Passenger.	3.29	0.22	0.50	0.50	227	227
Total ..		14.94					
Index Number for Sub-group V(i).						166	166
V. Miscellaneous—							
(a) Pansupari ..		13.66	....	....	....	219	219
(b) Tobacco and Tobacco Products.		16.97	....	....	....	231	231
(c) Household Utilities		2.59	....	....	....	203	203
(d) Washing soap ..		10.26	....	....	....	124	124
(e) Medical care ..		14.83	....	....	....	126	126
(f) Personal care ..		13.40	....	....	....	221	221
(g) Education and Reading.		6.73	....	....	....	215	215
(h) Recreation and Amusement.		6.62	....	....	....	250	250
(i) Transport and Communication.		14.94	166	166
Total ..		100.00				191	191
Index Number for Group V							

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JALGAON***274—A rise of 15 points**

In July, 1973 the Consumer Price Index Number for Working Class for Jalgaon City with base January to December 1961 equal to 100 was 274 being 15 points higher than that in the preceding month. The index relates to the standard of life ascertained during the year 1958-59 Family Living Survey at Jalgaon Centre.

The index number for the food group increased by 24 points to 334 due to a rise in the average prices of wheat, jowar, gramdal, Moongdal, groundnut oil, milk, ghee, turmeric, chillies (dry), zcera, potatoes, onions, other vegetables, banana and gur.

The index number for the fuel and light group increased by 1 point to 185, due to a rise in the average prices of firewood and chips.

The index number for the clothing and footwear group increased by 6 points to 211 due to a rise in the prices of dhoti, cloth for trouser, long cloth and coloured poplin.

The index numbers for the miscellaneous group and housing remained stationary at 176 and 137 respectively.

**CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBER FOR WORKING CLASS FOR
JALGAON CITY**

(Average price for the calendar year 1961=100)

Groups	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Group Index Numbers	
		June 1973	July 1973
I. Food ..	60.79	310	334
II. Fuel and Light ..	7.20	184	185
III. Housing ..	6.11	137	137
IV. Clothing and Footwear ..	10.29	205	211
V. Miscellaneous ..	15.61	176	176
Total ..	100.00		
<i>Consumer Price Index Number</i> ..		259	274

*Details regarding the scope and method of compilation of the index will be found on pages 758 to 760 of the January 1966 issue of the Labour Gazette.

CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBERS FOR WORKING CLASS FOR JALGAON CENTRE— contd.

Articles	Unit of Quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Basic Price	June 1973	July 1973	June 1973	July 1973
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
Food Group—							
<i>Cereals and cereal products—</i>							
Rice ..	kg. ..	6.72	0.63	1.21	R 1.21	192	192
Wheat ..	" ..	10.89	0.46	0.89	1.11	193	241
Jowar ..	" ..	21.16	0.35	1.84	1.96	526	560
Grinding charges— for cereals ..	7 kg. ..	1.94	0.12	0.35	0.35	292	292
Total ..		40.71					
						371	401
<i>Index Number for Sub-group I (a).</i>							
<i>Pulses and Pulse Products—</i>							
Turdal—							
(i) Jalna ..	kg. ..	3.79	0.73	2.60	2.60	356	356
(ii) Gawran (Bharwa) ..	" ..	....	0.66	....	....	....	....
Gramdal ..	" ..	2.13	0.58	2.07	2.32	357	400
Moongdal—							
(i) With husk ..	kg. ..	1.35	0.70	3.12	3.16	420	426
(ii) Without husk ..	" ..	....	0.83	3.27	3.32		
Uriddal—							
(i) With husk ..	kg. ..	0.86	0.65	2.80	2.80	398	398
(ii) Without husk ..	" ..	....	0.83	3.03	3.03		
Total ..		8.13					
						371	384
<i>Index Number for Sub-group I (b).</i>							
Oil and Fats —							
(i) Groundnut oil ..	kg. ..	7.21	2.28	7.92	9.01	347	395
(ii) Vanaspati dalda ..	½ kg. ..	1.16	1.99	R 3.42	R 3.42	172	172

CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBERS FOR WORKING CLASS FOR
JALGAON CENTRE— contd.

Articles	Unit of Quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Basic Price	June 1973	July 1973	June 1973	July 1973
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
(d) Mutton, Fish and Eggs—							
(1) Mutton—							
(i) Goat meat ..	½ kg. ..	4.38	1.45	3.00	3.00	207	207
(2) Fish (dry)—							
(i) Bombil big ..	kg. ..	0.91	2.72	7.60	8.00	204	180
(ii) Zinga ..	..	....	2.70	6.00	6.00		
(3) Fish fresh—							
Varieties selected for June 1973.—							
(i) Rahu ..	..	....	2.14	4.00			
(ii) Sanakhhol ..	..	....	1.79	4.00			
(iii) Barile machali ..	..	....	1.05	2.17			
Varieties selected for July 1973.—							
(i) Sanakhhol ..	..	....	2.68		4.00		
(ii) Barile machali ..	..	....	1.11		2.17		
(iii) Karsi ..	..	....	2.59		3.17		
Total ..		5.29					
Index Number for Sub-group I(d).						210	205
(e) Milk and Milk products—							
(1) Milk (Buffalo) ..	l. ..	8.42	0.77	1.94	2.00	252	260
(2) Ghee (Buffalo) ..	½ kg. ..	1.31	3.71	8.45	10.00	228	270
Total ..		9.73					
Index Number for Sub-group I(e).						249	261
(f) Condiments and Spices							
(1) Salt—							
(i) White ..	kg. ..	0.29	0.13	0.22	0.22	176	176
(ii) Black ..	..	....	0.12	0.22	0.22		
(2) Turmeric—							
(i) Sangli (whole) ..	250 g. ..	0.30	0.34	1.31	1.36	385	400
(3) Chillies (dry)—							
(i) Asoda ..	kg. ..	4.56	1.65	5.45	5.74	330	348
(4) Coriander ..	250 g. ..	0.24	0.31	0.85	0.85	274	274
(5) Mixed spices—							
(i) Garam Masala ..	..	1.86	4.95	11.22	11.22		
(ii) Lahoti powder ..	200 gr.	1.79	1.71	1.71	161	161
(6) Jira ..	250 gr. ..	0.37	0.68	1.84	1.86	211	274
Total ..		7.62					

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(1) Potato

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CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBERS FOR WORKING CLASS FOR
JALGAON CENTRE— contd.

Articles	Unit of Quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Basic Price	June 1973	July 1973	June 1973	July 1973
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
Grains and Vegetable products—							
Wheat—							
..	½ kg.	1.15	0.28	0.58	0.59	201	207
Small	..	....	0.24	0.47	0.49		
Beans—							
1	kg.	0.86	0.27	0.53	0.75	198	291
White	..	....	0.27	0.54	0.82		
Chickpeas	250 g.	0.54	0.20	1.46	1.46	730	730
Other Vegetables selected for							
3—							
Green chilies	250 g.	2.92	0.25	0.22	0.16	155	
Green chilies	..	....	0.09	0.16			
Green chilies	..	....	0.13	0.26			
3—							
..	..	....	0.04		0.14	285	
..	..	....	0.26		0.43		
..	..	....	0.13		0.44		
Total		5.47					
						228	313
Number for Sub- (g).							
and Fruit products—							
Apples—							
..	dozen	1.61	0.29	0.75	0.92	260	311
Small	..	....	0.23	0.60	0.70		
Total		1.61					
						260	311
Number for Sub- (h).							
Honey and products—							
..	kg.	5.60	1.23	2.37	2.37	193	193
..	1st	1.63	0.57	2.36	2.48	414	435
Total		7.23					

CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBERS FOR WORKING CLASS FOR
JALGAON CENTRE—*contd.*

Articles	Unit of Quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Basic Price	June 1973	July 1973	June 1973	July 1973
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
(j) Beverages—							
(1) Tea leaf—							
(i) Brooke Bond	Pkt. of 50g.	2.11	0.40	0.60	0.60	148	148
(ii) Lipton Lable	.. ..	..	0.41	0.60			
(2) Hot drink—							
Prepared tea	Cup of 3½ ozs.	3.73	0.12	0.25	0.25	208	208
Total ..		5.84					
Index Number for Sub-group I(j).						187	187
I. Food—							
(a) Cereals and Cereal Products.	....	40.71	....			371	401
(b) Pulses and Pulse Products.	....	8.13	....			371	384
(c) Oils and Fats	..	8.37	....			323	364
(d) Mutton, Fish and Eggs.	....	5.29	....			210	205
(e) Milk and Milk Products.	....	9.73	....			249	261
(f) Condiments and Spices.	....	7.62	....			281	292
(g) Vegetables and Vegetable Products.	....	5.47	....			228	313
(h) Fruits and Fruit Products.	....	1.61	....			260	311
(i) Sugar, Honey and related Products.	....	7.23	....			243	247
(j) Beverages	..	5.84	....			187	187
Total ..		100.00					
Index Number for all Food groups.						310	334
II. Fuel and Light—							
(1) Firewood and chips—							
(i) Khair	37 kgs. ..	78.50	3.39	6.50	6.50	199	200
(ii) Dhawda	.. ..	....	3.15	6.50			
(iii) Adjator Mixed	.. ..	....	2.71	5.40	5.50		
(2) Kerosene—							
(i) Chakkar Brand	1 ..	11.40	0.45	0.65	0.65	144	144
(3) Electricity charges	Per Unit ..	6.28	0.50	0.36	0.36	72	72
(4) Match Box—							
Horse head brand	Box of 50 ..	3.82	0.06	0.10	0.10	167	167
Box of 50 sticks.	sticks						

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III. Housing
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IV. Clothing
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(a) Clothing
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(2) Saree
(3) Cloth f
(4) Long c
(5) Colour

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group IV (a)

(b) Foot wear
(1) Shoes—
(i) Bata
(ii) Car
(2) Chapp
(i) Bata

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Group IV (b)

IV. Clothing
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(2) Foot w

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V. Miscellaneous
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CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBERS FOR WORKING CLASS FOR JALGAON CENTRE— contd.

Article	Unit of Quantity	Weight proportional to Total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Basic Price	June. 1973	July. 1973	June. 1973	July. 1973.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
ing	p.m.	100.00				137	137
Total ..		100.00					
umber for III						137	137
ing and Foot-							
g—	per sq. mt.	17.82	1.23	2.36	2.41	192	196
..	..	27.15	1.24	2.22	2.16	179	174
for trouser	..	0.51	2.15	5.67	5.78	264	269
cloth	..	32.06	1.61	3.96	4.18	246	260
red poplin	..	14.36	2.13	4.19	4.46	197	209
Total ..		91.90					
umber for Sub-						208	214
(a)—							
ear—							
a Co.	per pair	3.53	17.20	29.65	29.65	169	169
ona Co.	..	....	18.78	31.25	31.25		
als—							
a Co.	..	4.57	6.25	10.45	10.45	167	167
Total ..		8.10					
umber for Sub-						168	168
(b).—							
ing and Foot-							
ing		91.90				208	214
wear		8.10				168	168
Total ..		100.00					
umber for Group						205	211
aneous—							
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la pan	Bundle of 100	2.01	0.55	0.88	0.93	160	169
nished—							
h Masala	Vida	5.39	0.04	0.06	0.06	150	150
i (Manglori)	250 g.	2.81	2.98	2.09	2.08	100	100
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pur	50 g.	0.85	0.73	1.23	1.23	175	175
rum	0.36	0.65	0.65		
Total ..		11.06					
umber for Sub-						141	143
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CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBER FOR WORKING CLASS FOR JALGAON CENTRE—contd.

Articles	Unit of Quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Basic price	June. 1973	July 1973	June. 1973	July 1973
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
(b) Tobacco and Tobacco Products—							
(1) Bidis—							
(i) Camel brand ..	Bundle of 25	5.80	0.19	0.38	0.38	179	179
(ii) Shiledar ..	" ..	" ..	0.19	0.30	0.30		
(2) Jarda—							
(i) Gangaram Brand.	Pkt. of 50g.	3.54	0.24	0.55	0.55	234	234
(ii) Chandrakant brand ..	" ..	" ..	0.23	0.55	0.55		
Total ..		9.34					
Index Number for Sub-group V(b)—						200	200
(c) Household utilities—							
(1) Utensils—							
(i) Lota (Poona) ..	½ kg. ..	5.28	3.55	9.00	9.00	257	257
(ii) Lota (Nasik) ..	" ..	" ..	3.45	9.00	9.00		
Total ..		5.28					
Index Number for Sub-group V(c)—						257	257
(d) Washing Soap—							
(1) Laundry—							
(i) Ordinary washing and ironing of cotton	per piece ..	2.54	0.10	0.20	0.20	200	200
(2) Washing soap—							
(i) 501 Bar Soap ..	Bar ..	7.44	1.40	2.10	1.10	165	169
(ii) B. Dhantak Co.	Cake ..	" ..	0.40	0.72	0.75		
Total ..		9.98					
Index Number for Sub-group V(d)—						174	177
(e) Medical Care—							
(1) Dr. Vaze's Cough syrup.							
(1) Dr. Vaze's Cough syrup.	Small bottle.	3.80	1.50	2.00	2.00	133	133
(2) Daily mixture ..							
(2) Daily mixture ..	per day ..	11.98	0.58	0.62	0.62	107	107
Total ..		15.78					
Index Number for Sub-							

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(f) Personal care—
(1) Hair oil—
Tata Co.

(2) Barber charge—
(i) Hair cut

(ii) Hair cut

(iii) Shave

(3) Toilet Soap—
(i) Life Bu

(ii) Hamar

(4) Blades—
(i) Bharat

(ii) Six M

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group V (f).

(g) Educational

ing—

(1) Book—
Balbhara

Chauth

(2) School f

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CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBERS FOR WORKING CLASS FOR
JALGAON CENTRE— contd.

Articles	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Basic Price	June. 1973	July 1973	June. 1973	July 1973
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
<i>(f) Personal care—</i>							
(1) Hair oil — Tata Co. ..	Small bottle	4.89	1.32	2.80	2.80	212	212
<i>(2) Barber charges—</i>							
(i) Hair cut with shave	Adult ..	7.32	0.50	1.25	1.25	217	217
(ii) Hair cut	.. ..	..	0.40	1.00	1.00		
(iii) Shave	.. ..	..	0.20	0.30	0.30		
<i>(3) Toilet Soap—</i>							
(i) Life Buoy	Cake ..	3.02	0.48	0.75	0.77	155	159
(ii) Hamam cake	.. ..	..	0.49	0.75	0.77		
<i>(4) Blades—</i>							
(i) Bharat Blade	Pkt. of 10 blades.	0.11	0.44	0.80	0.80	179	179
(ii) Six Morning	2 Pkts. of 5 blades each	..	0.57	1.00	1.00		
Total		15.34				203	204
<i>Index Number for Sub-group V (f).</i>							
<i>(g) Education and Reading—</i>							
(1) Books— Balbharati Chauthe Pustak.	Copy ..	5.42	0.75	2.00	2.00	267	267
(2) School fees— For VIII Std. ..	Per student per month	3.46	5.00	5.00	5.00	100	100
Total ..		8.88				202	202
<i>Index Number for Sub-group V (g).</i>							
<i>(h) Recreation and Amusement—</i>							
(1) Cinema (Lower class)	Adult ..	6.69	0.32	0.78	0.78	244	244
Total ..		6.69				244	244
<i>Index Number for Sub-group V (h).</i>							
<i>(i) Transport and Communication—</i>							
(1) Rail— Railway fare 50 km. ..	Per Passenger.	12.48	0.98	1.50	1.50	153	153
(2) Bus fare— S. T. Bus 32 km. (Full ticket).	.. ..	4.09	1.00	1.55	1.55	155	155
<i>(3) Postage—</i>							
(i) Single card	Per card ..	1.08	0.05	0.10	0.10	167	167
(ii) M. O. charges, Rs. 30.	..	..	0.45	0.60	0.60		

CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBERS FOR WORKING CLASS FOR
JALGAON CENTRE—*contd.*

Articles 1	Unit of Quantity 2	Weight propor- tional to total ex- penditure 3	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Basic price 4	June 1973 5	July 1973 6	June. 1973 7	July 1973 8
V. Miscellaneous—			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
(a) Pan-Supari	11.06	..	..	..	141	143
(b) Tobacco and Tobacco Products.	9.34	..	..	..	200	200
(c) Household Utilities	5.28	..	..		257	257
(d) Washing Soap	9.98	..	..		174	177
(e) Medical Care	15.78	..	..	..	113	113
(f) Personal Care	15.34	..	..	..	203	204
(g) Education and Read- ing.	8.88	..	..	..	202	202
(h) Recreation and Amusement.	6.69	..	..	..	244	244
(i) Transport and Com- munications.	17.65	..	..	..	154	154
Total ..		100.00					
Index Number for Group V.						176	176

POONA*

232—A rise of 5 points

In July 1973, the Consumer price Index Number for Working Class for Poona Centre with base January to December 1961 equal to 100 was 232 being 5 points higher than that in the preceding month. The index relates to the standard of life ascertained during the year 1958-59 Family Living Survey at the Poona Centre.

The index number for the food group increased by 8 points to 274 due to rise in the average prices of bajari, turdal, gramdal, moongdal, groundnut oil, mutton, bombil, zinga, eggs, ghee, chillies (dry), turmeric, tamarind, potatoes, onions, brinjals, tomatoes, and other vegetables.

The index number for the fuel and light group increased by 5 points to 197 due to a rise in the prices of firewood and charcoal.

The index number for the clothing and footwear group increased by 2 points to 213 due to a rise in the prices of saree, cloth for trouser and long cloth.

The index number for the miscellaneous group and housing remained stationary at 172 and 124 respectively.

**CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBERS FOR WORKING CLASS FOR
POONA CITY**

(Average prices for the calendar year 1961=1.0)

Groups	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Group Index Numbers	
		June 1973	July 1973
I. Food	55.85	266	274
II. Fuel and Light	6.89	192	197
III. Housing	6.65	124	124
IV. Clothing and Footwear	10.31	211	213
V. Miscellaneous	20.30	172	172
Total ..	100.00		

CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBERS FOR WORKING CLASS FOR
POONA CENTRE—*conyd.*

Articles	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number		
			Basic price	June 1973	July 1973	June 1973	July 1973	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	
I. Food Group—			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.			
(a) Cereals and Cereal Products—								
(1) Rice ..	kg. ..	13.81	0.76	1.32	1.30	174	171	
(2) Wheat ..	" ..	11.28	0.53	0.91	0.91	172	172	
(3) Jowar ..	" ..	8.39	0.45	.....	.....	.....	.....
(4) Bajari ..	" ..	3.08	0.51	2.17	2.29	425	449	
(5) Grinding Charges— For Cereals ..		4 kg. ..	1.42	0.14	0.32	0.29	229	207
Total ..			37.98					
Index Number for Sub-group I(a).						251	257	
(b) Pulses and Pulse Products—								
Turdal—								
Laxmi Chhap or Surti (Fine) ..	kg. ..	3.80	0.80	2.91	3.00	364	375	
Gramdal ..	" ..	1.81	0.60	2.17	2.39	362	398	
Mungdal—								
Without Husk (Medium) ..	" ..	0.68	0.82	3.56	3.80	434	463	
Total ..			6.29					

CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBERS FOR WORKING CLASS FOR
POONA CENTRE— contd.

Articles	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Basic Price	June 1973	July 1973	June 1973	July 1973
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
Grains and Fats—							
Groundnut Oil ..	kg.	1.94	2.32	8.10	8.95	349	386
Radai Oil ..	½ kg.	3.94	1.20	..R	..R	..	..
Maspati (Dalda) ..	..	1.22	1.66	3.09	3.09	186	186
(Loose)							
Total ..		7.10					
Number for Sub-I (c).						321	351
Meat, Poultry, Fish and Eggs—							
Meat—							
Goat Meat ..	½ kg.	3.68	1.51	3.50	3.75	231	248
Sheep Meat ..	..	....	1.52	3.50	3.75		
(Dry)—							
Bombil (Big) ..	kg.	1.01	2.60	6.00	6.60	259	258
Bombil (Small) ..	..	....	2.46	6.00	6.60		
Chinga ..	..	....	2.57	5.60	6.00		
Fish—							
Species selected in the month of June 1973—							
Bombay wamb ..	kg.	....	1.90	5.55	6.17	259	258
Butter fish ..	..	....	2.45	6.23			
Amali ..	..	....	1.18	3.62			
Species selected in the month of July 1973—							
Bombay wamb ..	kg.	....	2.29	0.35	6.17	206	224
Butter fish ..	..	....	2.21		5.86		
Amali ..	..	....	1.21		..		
Eggs (Hen's) ..	Each	0.57	0.17		0.38		
Total ..		5.26					
Number for Sub-I (d).						234	247
Milk and Milk Products—							
Buffalo ..	200 ml.	10.66	0.15	0.34	0.34	227	227
Amul (tinned) ..	kg.	0.93	7.88	17.55	18.01	223	229
Total ..		11.59					
Number for Sub-I (e).						226	227

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CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBERS FOR WORKING CLASS FOR POONA CENTRE—contd.

Articles 1	Unit of Quantity 2	Weight proportional to total expenditure 3	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Basic price 4	June 1973 5	July 1973 6	June 1973 7	July 1973 8
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
Condiments and Spices—							
White (Medium)	Kg. ..	0.16	0.11	0.22	0.22	200	200
Chillies (Dry) Gawran Medium.	250 g. ..	2.04	0.47	1.37	1.41	291	300
Coriander, Sangli and Akhi (Medium).	..	0.15	0.33	1.21	1.33	367	403
Marinid-Old Chinch No. 1.	Kg. ..	0.24	1.08	4.12	4.22	381	391
Spices—							
Garam Masala	50 g. ..	3.27	0.84	2.54	2.54	302	302
Total ..		5.86					
						301	305
Number for Sub-I(f).							
Vegetables and Vegetable Products—							
Tomatoes—							
Big Size	1/2 kg. ..	1.87	0.29	0.67	0.67	242	246
Small Size	..	..	0.23	0.58	0.60		
Onions—							
Big Size	kg. ..	0.92	0.31	0.75	0.94	256	318
Small Size	..	..	0.24	0.65	0.80		
Onions—Big Size	..	0.56	0.49	1.42	1.68	290	343
Onions—Medium Red	..	0.77	0.79	2.69	3.49	341	442
Onions—Medium Red 2.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Vegetables selected for June 1973—							
Bhendi	kg. ..	4.42	0.62	1.40	..	323	..
Ghewada	..	..	0.52	2.25			
Tondli	..	..	0.41	1.27			
Vegetables selected for July 1973—							
Bhendi	kg. ..	..	0.69	..	1.91	..	334
Tondli	..	..	0.53				
Ghewada	..	..	0.42				
Total ..		8.54					
						297	323
Number for Sub-I(g).							
Fruits and Fruit Products—							
Apples—							
Big Size	doz. ..	1.23	0.49	1.20	1.15	249	243
Small Size	0.39	0.99	0.98		
Total ..		1.23					
Number for Sub-I(h).							

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(f) Sugar, Honey Related Products—
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Total ..
Index Number Sub-I(f).
(j) Beverages—
Tea leaf—
Brooke (Medium).
Lipton (Medium).
Hot drinks—
Prepared Tea
Total ..
Index Number Sub-I(j).
I. Food Sub-groups
(a) Cereals and products.
(b) Pulses and products.
(c) Oils and Fats.
(d) Mutton, Fish, Eggs.
(e) Milk and products.
(f) Condiments and Spices.
(g) Vegetables and vegetable products.
(h) Fruits and products.
(i) Sugar, Honey Related Products.
(j) Beverages

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CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBERS FOR WORKING CLASS FOR POONA CENTRE— contd.

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Index Number	
June 1973	July 1973
8	8
200	200
291	300
67	403
81	391
22	302
1	305
246	
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343	
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323	
243	

Articles	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Basic price	June 1973	July 1973	June 1973	July 1973
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
<i>(I) Sugar, Honey and Related Products—</i>			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
Sugar	kg. ..	6.29	1.18	2.70	2.66	229	225
Gur	" ..	1.20	0.58	2.46	2.50	424	431
Total ..		7.49					
<i>Index Number Sub-group I(I).</i>						260	258
<i>(J) Beverages—</i>							
<i>Tea leaf—</i>							
Brooke Bond (Medium) ..	Packet of 50 gs. ..	3.43	0.38	0.60	0.60	156	156
Lipton (Medium) ..	" ..	..	0.39	0.60	0.60		
<i>Hot drinks—</i>							
Prepared Tea ..	Cup of 3 1/2 ozs.	5.23	0.06	0.17	0.17	283	283
Total ..		8.66					
<i>Index Number Sub-group I(J).</i>						233	233
I. Food Sub-groups—							
(a) Cereals and Cereal products.	.....	37.98	..	..	..	251	257
(b) Pulses and Pulse products.	.....	6.29	..	..	..	371	391
(c) Oils and Fats ..	.....	7.10	..	..	..	221	351
(d) Mutton, Fish and Eggs.	.....	5.26	..	..	..	234	247
(e) Milk and Milk Products.	.....	11.59	..	..	..	226	227
(f) Condiments and Spices.	.....	5.86	..	..	..	301	305
(g) Vegetables and Vegetable products.	.....	8.54	..	..	..	297	323
(h) Fruits and Fruit products.	.....	1.23	..	..	..	249	243
(i) Sugar, Honey and Related products.	.....	7.49	..	..	..	260	258
(j) Beverages ..	.....	8.66	..	..	..	233	233
Total ..		100.00					

CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBERS FOR WORKING CLASS FOR
POONA CENTRE— contd.

Articles	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Basic Price	June 1973	July 1973	June 1973	July 1973
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
II. Fuel and Light—							
(1) Firewood and chips (Rawal medium).	37 kg. ..	30.63	3.08	6.11	6.43	198	209
(2) Kerosene, Chavi Brand.	5 litres ..	24.03	1.54	3.15	3.15	205	205
(3) Electricity charges ..	Per unit ..	6.45	0.19	0.28	0.28	147	147
(4) Charcoal—							
(i) Big Size ..	37 kg. ..	35.36	7.47	13.51	13.55	187	190
(ii) Patti or Rawal ..	.. ..	....	5.63	10.83	11.14		
(5) Match box (Tekka 50 sticks).	Box ..	3.53	0.05	0.10	0.10	200	200
Total ..		100.00					
<i>Index Number Group II.</i>						192	197
III. Housing—							
(2) Rent for selected tenements.	Per month	100.00				124	124
Total ..		100.00					
<i>Index Number Group III</i>						124	124
IV. Clothing and Footwear—							
<i>(a) Clothing—</i>							
(1) Dhoti ..	Per sq. metre.	3.57	1.28	2.46	2.46	192	192
(2) Saree ..	.. ..	29.86	1.28	2.66	2.69	208	210
(3) Cloth for trousers ..	.. ..	5.25	2.62	6.00	6.39	229	244
(4) Long cloth ..	.. ..	11.76	1.64	3.93	4.04	240	246
(5) Coloured Poplin ..	.. ..	40.44	2.25	4.73	4.73	210	210
Total ..		90.88					
<i>Index Number Sub-group IV(a).</i>						214	216
<i>(b) Footwear—</i>							
<i>(1) Shoes—</i>							
(i) Bata Co. ..	Per Pair ..	4.27	17.14	29.65	29.65	174	172
(ii) Flex Co.		19.30	33.95	33.95		
<i>(2) Chappals—</i>							
(i) Bata Co.	4.85	6.18	10.45	10.45	186	186
(ii) Flex Co.		8.40	17.10	17.10		

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CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBERS FOR WORKING CLASS FOR POONA CENTRE— contd.

Index Number		Articles	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
June 1973 7	July 1973 8				Basic Price 4	June 1973 5	July 1973 6	June 1973 7	July 1973 8
198	209								
205	203								
147	147								
187	190								
200	200								
		IV. Clothing and Foot-wear—contd.							
		(1) Clothing ..		90.88	....	....	....	214	216
		(2) Foot-wear ..		9.12	....	....	....	181	180
		Total ..		100.00					
		<i>Index Number Group IV</i>						211	213
		V. Miscellaneous—							
		(a) Pan-Supari—							
92	197	(1) Pan-leaf—							
		(i) Gawran Kachhi. 100 ..		1.08	0.33	1.22	1.15	370	348
		(2) Pan Finished—							
		(i) Poona Masala .. Each vada ..		1.82	0.04	0.10	0.10	250	250
24	124	(3) Supari—							
		(i) Manglori .. 50 gs. ..		1.57	0.45	0.49	0.49	109	109
		Total ..		4.47					
		<i>Index Number Sub-group V(a).</i>						229	224
		(b) Tobacco and Tobacco Products—							
2	192	(1) Bidies—							
8	210	(i) Charbhai .. Bundle of 25 bidies.		2.56	0.15	0.30	0.30	200	200
9	244	(ii) Pawar .. ..		....	0.15	0.30	0.30		
0	246	(2) Cigarettes—							
0	210	(i) Charminar .. Pkt. of 10 Cigarettes		1.94	0.15	0.50	0.50	292	297
		(ii) Pila Hathi .. ..		....	0.20	0.50	0.52		
		(3) Chewing Tobacco—							
		(i) Akoli Jarda No. 1 50 g. ..		1.92	0.37	0.50	0.50	152	152
		(ii) Akoli Jarda No. 2 .. ..		....	0.28	0.45	0.45		
		(iii) Satara Jarda .. ..		....	0.31	0.50	0.50		
		Total ..		6.42					
		<i>Index Number Sub-group V(b).</i>						213	215

CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBERS FOR WORKING CLASS FOR POONA CENTRE— contd.

Index Number	Articles	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
				Basic Price	June 1973	July 1973	June 1973	July 1973
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.			
192	(h) Recreation and Amusement— Cinema— Lowest Class ..	Ticket ..	6.74	0.52	1.25	1.25	240	240
	Total ..		6.71					
	Index Number Sub-group V(h)						240	240
	(i) Transport and Communication—							
	(1) Railway—							
	(1) Railway Fare for 50 k.m.	Per Passenger	6.46	0.98	1.50	1.50	153	153
	(2) Bus Fare—							
	(i) P.M.T. Bus fare 3.22 k.m.	.. ..	11.43	0.10	0.20	0.20	173	173
	(ii) S. T. Fare 48 k.m.	.. ..	....	1.50	2.20	2.20		
	(3) Postage—							
	(i) Single Card ..	Per card ..	1.29	0.05	0.10	0.10	167	167
	(ii) M. O. Charges ..	Rs. 25 ..	....	0.45	0.60	0.60		
	Total ..		19.18					
	Index Number Sub-group V(i).						166	166
	Miscellaneous—							
	(a) Pan Supari ..	....	4.47	....			229	224
	(b) Tobacco and Tobacco Products.	....	6.42	....			213	215
	(c) House-hold Utilities	....	4.76	....			252	252
	(d) Washing Soap ..	....	11.60	....			186	186
	(e) Medical Care ..	....	18.72	....			125	125
	(f) Personal Care ..	....	14.20	....			178	178
	(g) Education and Reading.	....	13.91	....			126	130
	(h) Recreation and Amusement.	....	6.74	....			240	240
	(i) Transport and Communication.	....	19.18	....			166	166

CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBERS FOR WORKING CLASS FOR CERTAIN INDUSTRIAL CENTRES IN INDIA

The following table gives the Consumer Price Index Number for Working Class for Bombay, Sholapur, Jalgaon, Nagpur Nanded, Aurangabad, Poona, Madras and Kanpur during June 1973 and July 1973 :—

Consumer Price Index Numbers for Working Class of certain Industrial Centres in India for the months of June 1973 and July 1973.

Groups	Bombay (a)		Sholapur (a)		Nagpur (a)	
	June 1973	July 1973	June 1973	July 1973	June 1973	July 1973
Food	261	269	312	335	246	311
Pan, Supari, Tobacco, etc. ..	240	240	195	184	214	204
Fuel and Light	208	209	187	189	186	191
Housing	118	118	152	151	138	143
Clothing, bedding, footwear ..	211	215	215	220	237	240
Miscellaneous	175	174	178	180	166	167
Consumer Price Index Number ..	230	235	266	281	220	259
Groups	Jalgaon		Nanded		Aurangabad	
	June 1973	July 1973	June 1973	July 1973	June 1973	July 1973
Food	310	334	378	424	362	377
Fuel and Light	184	185	176	175	172	179
Clothing	205	211	228	227	219	220
House Rent	137	137	141	147	194	191
Miscellaneous	176	176	191	191	185	181
Consumer Price Index Number ..	259	274	307	335	295	304
Groups	Poona		Madras		Kanpur	
	June 1973	July 1973	June 1973	July 1973	June 1973	July 1973
Food	266	274				
Pan, Supari, Tobacco, Intoxicants ..	..	..		
Fuel and Light	192	197	I.N.R.	I.N.R.		
Clothing	211	213				
House Rent	124	124				
Miscellaneous	172	172				
Consumer Price Index Number ..	227	232				

BASE (a) Average prices for January to December 1960=100.

The following table shows the Consumer Price Index Numbers for Bombay, Sholapur, Jalgaon, Nagpur, Ahmedabad, Madras and Kanpur on base August 1939 equal to 100 :—

Month and Year	Bombay	Ahmedabad	Sholapur	Jalgaon	Nagpur	Madras	Kanpur
July 1972	858	825	1,078	1,084	1,060	I.N.R.	I.N.R.
August 1972	842	834	1,104	1100	1,065		
September 1972	858	834	1,119	1,106	1,065		
October 1972	858	860	1,141	1,116	1,065		
November 1972	858	868	1,173	1,143	1,070		
December 1972	863	899	1,199	1,153	1,070		
January 1973	867	916	1,199	1,148	1,065		
February 1973	880	934	1,214	1,164	1,075		
March 1973	896	951	1,256	1,180	1,081		
April 1973	917	964	1,297	1,211	1,096		
May 1973	951	973	1,355	1,238	1,133		
June 1973	972	999	1,392	1,370	1,148		
July 1973	993	..	1470	1449	1352	..	..

INDEX NUMBERS FOR BOMBAY, SHOLAPUR, JALGAON AND AHMEDABAD ON BASE SHIFTED TO 1944 EQUAL TO 100

Month and Year	Bombay	Ahmedabad	Sholapur	Jalgaon
July 1972	380	284	392	367
August 1972	373	287	401	375
September 1972	380	287	406	378
October 1972	380	292	414	387
November 1972	378	299	426	391
December 1972	382	309	435	389
January 1973	384	316	441	395
February 1973	390	322	456	400
March 1973	397	327	471	410
April 1973	406	332	471	410
May 1973	422	335	492	420
June 1973	376	344	505	464
July 1973	367	534	491

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INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS IN MAHARASHTRA
REVIEW FOR THE MONTH OF JUNE 1973

Courts and Tribunals

of the Court	No. of applications etc. received during the month	Break-up of the applications
1	2	3
<i>Under Bombay Industrial Relations Act, 1946</i>		
<i>Industrial Courts—</i>		
Industrial Court, Maharashtra, Bombay.	24	No. 11 References. 2 Submissions. 9 Appeals. .. Revision applications. .. Review applications. .. Criminal appeals. 1 Miscellaneous application. 1 Miscellaneous Application (TR) (IC). .. Appeals under Chapter VII (regarding S. Os.)
	Total ..	24
Industrial Court, Maharashtra (Nagpur Bench)	10	.. References. .. Submissions. 8 Appeals. 1 Revision application. .. Review applications. .. Criminal appeals. 1 Miscellaneous application. .. Appeals under Chapter VII (regarding S. Os.).
	Total ..	10
Industrial Court, Maharashtra (Nagpur Bench). Cases under section 10 of the Central Provinces Berar Industrial Dis-settlement Act, 1947.	1	1 Miscellaneous application.
	Total ..	1

Name of the Court

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III. (a) Industrial Courts, Bombay.

(b) Industrial Courts, Nagpur.

IV. Labour Courts

Name of the Court

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(1) Labour Courts, Bombay.

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Name of the Court	Total No. of Applications etc., received	Break up of the applications received under						
		Industrial Disputes Act, 1947	Bombay Industrial Relations Act, 1946	Industrial Employment (Standing Orders) Act, 1946				
1	2	3	4	5				
(2) Labour Courts, Poona.	67	No. 14	Under Sections 10, 10A, 12(5), 33A and 33B.	No. ..	Illegal strikes and lockouts.	No. ..	Under Section 13-A.	
		..	Under Section 33(2)(b)	13	1	Illegal change.	..	Criminal complaints.
		32	Under Section 33C(2).	..	13	Miscellaneous Submissions.	..	References.
		..	Under Section 36A.	..	7	Miscellaneous applications.	..	Remanded Appeals.
		..	Miscellaneous applications.	..	..	..	..	..
		Total	..	46	..	21	..	..
(3) Labour Courts, Kolhapur.	53	No. 9	Under Sections 10, 10A, 12(5), 33A and 33B.	No. ..	Illegal strikes and lockouts.	No. ..	Under Section 13-A.	
		..	Under section 33(2)(b).	..	2	Illegal change.	..	Miscellaneous
		40	Under Section 33C(2).	..	1	Criminal complaint.	..	Submissions.
		..	Under Section 36A.	..	..	References.	..	Miscellaneous applications.
		..	Miscellaneous applications.	..	1	Application under Section 78-D.	..	..
		Total	..	49	..	4	..	..

Name of the Court	Total No. of Applications, etc., received	Break up of the applications received under					
		Industrial Disputes Act, 1947	Bombay Industrial Relations Act, 1946	Industrial Employment (Standing Orders) Act, 1946			
1	2	3	4	5			
(4) Labour Courts, Nagpur.	94	No. 24	Under Sections 10, 10A, 12(5), 33A and 33B.	No. 10	Illegal strikes and lockouts.	No. 13	Under Section 13A
		..	Under Section 33(2)(b).	..	Illegal change. Criminal complaints.	..	
		34	Under Section 33C(2).	..	Miscellaneous Submissions.	..	
		..	Under Section 36A.	..	References. Miscellaneous application.	..	
		19	Under Sec. 33 (Central Govt.)	..		..
		4	Miscellaneous applications.	..		..
	Total	..	81	..	13	..	
(5) Labour Court, Akola.	81	No. 5	Under Sections 10, 10A, 12(5), 33A and 33B.	No. 2	Illegal Strikes and lockouts.	No. 13	Under Section 13A.
		..	Under section 33(2) (b).	..	Illegal change. Criminal complaints.	..	
		12	Under Section 33C (2).	..	Submissions. Miscellaneous	..	
		..	Under Section 36A.	..	References. Miscellaneous applications.	..	
		..	Miscellaneous applications.	..	Reinstatements.	..	
		

Name of the Court	Total No. of Applications etc., received	Break up of the applications received under		
		Industrial Disputes Act, 1947	Bombay Industrial Relations Act, 1946	Industrial Employment (Standing Orders) Act, 1946
1	2	3	4	5
(6) Labour Court, Sholapur.	26	9 Under Section 10.	1 Illegal change.	.. Under Section 13A.
		14 Under Section 33C(2).	2 Applications Under Section 78-D.	
	Total ..	23	3	..

V. Labour Court, Nagpur	..	....	Break up of the applications received under section 16 of the Central Provinces and Bearar Industrial Disputes Settlement Act, 1947.	
	Total ..	....	

Wage Boards—

Nil references were received by the Wage Board during the month under review. Their break up is as under :—

Type of references	Received by the Wage Board for			Total
	Cotton Textile Industry	Silk Textile Industry	Sugar Industry	
1	2	3	4	5
Remanded references
Modification applications
Implementation references
Total			

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An analysis of disputes handled by the Conciliation Machinery in the State during June 1973 under various Acts is given below :—

(a) Cause-wise analysis of the cases received during the month :—

Act	Issues relating to pay, allowances and bonus	Employment, leave hours of work and Miscellaneous causes	Total
(1) Industrial Disputes Act, 1947	174	215	389
(2) Bombay Industrial Relations Act, 1946	49	15	64
(3) Bombay Industrial Relations (Extension and Amendment) Act, 1964	..	1	1
Total ..	223	231	454

(b) Result-wise Analysis of the cases dealt with during the month :—

Act	Pending at the beginning of the month 1	No. of cases received during the month 2	Settled amicably 3	Ended in failure 4	Withdrawn or not pursued by parties 5	Closed 6	Total handled (3 to 6) 7	Pending at the end of the month 8
I.D. Act, 1947 ..	1070	389	134	113	103	88	443	1016
B.I.R. Act, 1946	203	64	2	11	16	..	29	238
B.I.R. (Ext. and Amdt.) Act, 1964	29	1	1	2	..	1	4	26
Total ..	1,302	454	137	126	124	89	476	1,280

Industry-wise and district-wise analysis of the cases received during the month under Bombay Industrial Relations Act, 1946 and Bombay Industrial Relations (Extension and Amendment) Act, 1964, are given below :—

Act	Cotton Textile 2	Silk Textile 3	Woollen Textile 4	Textile Processing 5	Hosiery 6	Banking 7	Sugar 8	Electricity Industry 9	Transport. 10	Total 11
B.I.R. Act, 1946	24	2	2	3	..	25	5	2	1	64

Act	Textile Industry 2	Paper Industry 3	Printing Industry 4	Press Industry 5	Shops 6	Bidi 7	Cinema 8	Local Bodies 9	Other Misc. 10	Total 11
B.I.R. (Extension and Amendment) Act, 1964.	1	1

District-wise analysis is given below :—

Act	Bombay	Thana	Poona	Sholapur	Satara	Sangli	Kolhapur	Ahmednagar	Total
B.I.R. Act, 1946	7	2	4	10	....	....	39	2	64

Act	Nagpur	Wardha	Chanda	Akola	Buldhana	Total
B.I.R. (Extension and Amendment) Act, 1964.	1	....	....	....	....	1

Registration of Agreements, Settlements, Awards, etc.

Eighteen Agreements, Settlements, Awards, etc. were registered and 24 award orders were registered

INDUSTRIAL DISPUTES IN MAHARASHTRA STATE DURING MAY 1973

Disputes in May 1973	..	..	..	..	97
Work People involved	..	..	..	..	27,328
Working days lost	..	..	..	..	2,17,252

Though the number of disputes due to strike activity in Maharashtra State during the month of May 1973, have increased as compared to the previous months, there was fall in number of workers affected and time lost.

The figures for the month under review show 97 disputes in progress involving 27,328 workers and a time loss of 217252 man-days as compared to 87 disputes in April 1973 with 27,355 workers affected and time loss of 2,85,816 man-days.

Thirteen of the total disputes in progress during May 1973 were in the Textile industry 30 in the Engineering Industry and the remaining 54 were in other industries 65 of the total disputes involving 15,477 workers were actually recorded during the month while 32 disputes involving 11,851 workers were carried over from the previous month.

The following table gives an analysis of industrial disputes by group of industries.

Industry Group	Number of disputes in progress			No. of work-people involved in all disputes May 1973	Aggregate man days lost in May 1973
	Started before beginning May 1973	Started in May 1973	Total		
Textile	3	10	13	6,801	31,525
Engineering	11	19	30	9,371	1,24,488
Miscellaneous	18	36	54	11,156	61,239
Total, May 1973 ..	32	65	97	27,328	2,17,252
Total, April 1973 ..	40	47	87	27,355	2,85,816

*The word "disputes" in the official sense means interruption of work and it is hereby used in that sense as virtually synonymous with "strike". In compiling statistics of the industrial disputes, however, disputes in which 10 or more persons are involved are included.

Forty-five of the disputes arose over questions of " pay, allowances and bonus dues " 42 related to " retrenchment and grievances about personnel " 3 on leave and hours of works and the remaining 7 were due to other causes.

Out of the 60 disputes that terminated during the course of the month 26 were settled either entirely or partially in favour of the workers 25 in favour of the employers, while the result of the remaining 9 disputes were indefinite.

**PROGRESS OF IMPORTANT INDUSTRIAL DISPUTES IN
MAHARASHTRA STATE DURING THE MONTH
OF MAY 1973**

1. *Oil Seals Mfg. Co. Pvt. and its Sister Concern, Bombay.*—The worker of Oil Seals Mfg. Co. Pvt. Ltd., and its Sister Concerns at Bombay employing about 455 Workers resorted to strike from 23rd October 1972 over their demand for increase in Wages. The Strike continued till the end of the month.

2. *Swastic Rubber Products at Chinchwad, Poona.*—The workers of the Swastic Rubber Products at Chinchwad, Poona employing 3005 workers resorted to strike from 2nd February 1973 protesting against suspension of three workers. The strike ended on May 1st 1973.

3. *Vasant Fine Litho Works at Gondia.*—The workers of the Vasant Fine Litho Works at Gondia employing about 315 workers resorted to strike from May 1973 demanding for Payment of arrears of Wages, etc. The strike continued till the end of the month.

4. *International Tractor Co. of India Ltd., Bombay.*—The strike in International Tractor Co. of India Limited at Bombay, which commenced from 22nd May 1973 affecting 1867 over the workers demand for reinstatement of terminated employce continued till the end of the month.

ABSENTEEISM STATISTICS FOR THE MONTH OF JUNE 1973 (COTTON TEXTILE)

The Textile Industry

The statistics of absenteeism in the Textile Industry in the State of Maharashtra are compiled from the mills at seven important Textile Centres in State viz., Bombay City, Sholapur, Nagpur, Jalgaon, Akola, Aurangabad and Nanded.

Returns were received from 58 Mills i.e. 74.14 per cent of the 79 Mills reported working at these centres during the month of June 1973. The average absenteeism in the Textile Industry in these centres amounted to 20.83 per cent as against 22.76 per cent in the previous month.

The following table shows the average percentage of absenteeism at the seven centres for the month of June 1973 on the basis of information for all Working shifts :—

Centre	Number of Mills		Percentage column 2	No. of man-days Scheduled to work	No. of man-days absent	Average percentage of absenteeism	
	Working	Furnished information				June 1973	May 1973
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
1. Bombay ..	58	43	74.14	34,09,850	7,37,326	21.62	22.92
2. Sholapur ..	7	6	85.71	3,07,284	63,043	20.52	22.05
3. Jalgaon ..	3	3	100.00	1,04,114	11,964	11.49	15.76
4. Nagpur ..	2	1	50.00	2,49,243	52,908	21.23	23.58
5. Akola ..	..	..	....	....	....	....	....
6. Aurangabad ..	1	1	100.00	9,750	1,372	14.07	17.90
7. Nanded ..	1	1	100.00	83,330	13,586	16.30	....
8. Other Centres ..	7	6	85.71	2,68,543	42,822	15.95	24.25
9. All Centres ..	79	61	77.29	44,32,114	9,23,021	20.83	22.76

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NIGHT SHIFT IN COTTON MILLS IN BOMBAY CITY

At the beginning of July, 1973 there were 48 mills in Bombay City working Night Shift and the number of men doing night work was 79,836.

LABOUR TURNOVER IN COTTON TEXTILE UNDERTAKINGS
FOR JUNE 1973

In all 68 Cotton Textile undertakings in Maharashtra State employing 2,47,100 workers on an average recorded an average percentage of Labour Turnover of 2.39 for the month of June 1973. The increase in employment of Labour (accession) was reported to be 1.43 per cent. Whereas the extent of decrease in employment (separation) registered in the total labour employed in all undertaking was 0.96.

The following table indicates the correlation of labour turnover with the size of establishments :—

LABOUR TURNOVER FOR MAHARASHTRA STATE FOR
JUNE 1973

Group	Number of workers	Rate per 100 workers				
		Accession	Separation	Flux	Labour Increase	Labour Decrease
Up to 100	51	....	....	....	....	....
101 to 500	1,243	1.37	4.18	5.55	....	2.81
501 to 1,000	3,090	1.26	0.39	1.65	0.87	....
1,001 to 2,000	12,434	1.50	0.74	2.24	0.76	....
More than 2,000	2,30,282	1.42	0.96	2.38	0.46	....
All establishments	2,47,100	1.43	0.96	2.39	0.47	....

It may be seen that the rate of labour turnover was the highest viz. 5.58 per cent. in establishments engaging upto 101 to 500 workers, while it was lowest viz. 1.65 per cent. in undertakings employing upto 501 to 1000 workers.

Considering the labour turnover according to centres, it may be observed that the highest rate of labour turnover viz. 4.26 per cent was recorded in Sholapur Centres, whereas Nagpur area registered the smallest rate of 1.17 per cent. The following table indicates percentages of labour turnover in cotton textile undertakings in different areas of the State.

CENTRE-WISE LABOUR TURNOVER FOR JUNE 1973

Centre	No. of workers	Rate per 100 Workers				
		Accession	Separation	Flux	Labour increase	Labour decrease
Bombay	2,05,963	1.33	0.97	2.30	0.36	....
Sholapur	15,357	3.11	1.15	4.26	1.96	....
Dhulia } Jalgaon }	9,869	1.81	0.81	2.62	1.00	....
Aurangabad	....	....	....	....	....	....
Nagpur	9,229	0.43	0.74	1.17	0.31
Other Centres	6,682	1.18	1.71	2.89	0.53
All Centres	2,47,100	1.43	0.96	2.39	0.47

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wards labour turnover in Bombay City more or less the same trends available in the State as a whole could be seen from the following table.

LABOUR TURNOVER FOR BOMBAY CITY FOR JUNE 1973

Group	No. of workers	Rate per 100 workers				
		Accession	Separation	Flux	Labour increase	Labour decrease

	776	2.19	6.06	8.25	....	3.87
00	1,494	1.41	0.80	2.21	0.61	....
,000	7,638	1.70	0.77	2.47	0.93	....
0	1,96,055	1.32	0.96	2.28	0.36	....
Establishments	2,05,963	1.33	0.97	2.30	0.36	....

There was no labour turnover in the establishments engaging upto 100 workers. Whereas it was only 2.21 in concerns engaging upto 501 to 1000.

In Sholapur the highest rate of labour turnover of 4.60 per cent was recorded in mills engaging upto 1001 to 2000 employees. This can be seen from the following table :—

LABOUR TURNOVER FOR SHOLAPUR FOR JUNE 1973

Group	Number of workers	Rate per 100 workers				
		Accession	Separation	Flux	Labour increase	Labour decrease
Up to 100	....	....	....	....	....	....
101 to 500	....	....	....	....	....	....
501 to 1,000	711	....	....	....	....	....
1,001 to 2,000	609	3.78	0.82	4.60	2.96
Over 2,000	14,037	3.24	1.22	4.46	2.02
All Establishments	15,357	3.11	1.15	4.26	1.96

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WORKING OF TRADE UNIONS ACT, 1926 IN MAHARASHTRA STATE

REVIEW FOR THE MONTH OF JULY 1973

As on the 30th June 1973, there were 2,967 Trade Unions registered under the Trade Unions Act, 1926.

Trade Unions were registered under the Trade Unions Act, 1926, by the Deputy Registrar of Trade Unions, Bombay, the Deputy Registrar of Trade Unions, Nagpur, the Deputy Registrar of Trade Unions, Poona and the Deputy Registrar of Trade Unions, Aurangabad during the month of July 1973.

The details are as follows :—

Bombay Division	..	..	..	15
Nagpur Division	..	..	..	12
Poona Division	..	..	..	Nil
Aurangabad Division	..	..	..	Nil
Total				27

The total number of registered Trade Unions thus stood at 2,994 at the end of the month of July 1973.

Name of the Union	Address of the Union	Registration No. and date	Name of the President	Name of the Gen. Secretary
2	3	4	5	6
BOMBAY DIVISION				
Hotel Bombay International Employees Union.	29, Marine Drive, Bombay-20.	6735, 2nd July 1973.	Shri Zakir Hussein.	Shri H. E. Mistry.
The Blow Plast and Aristo Plast Ltd. Staff Association.	Satpur, Nasik-7	.. 6736, 3rd July 1973.	Shri N. H. Joshi	Shri Bernard Mathias.
Shree Dawa Bazar Gumasla Mandal.	40, Babu Genu Road, Bombay-2.	6737, 11th July 1973.		
Hotel Oberoi Sheraton Employees Union.	C/o. Hotel Oberoi Sheraton, Nariman Point, Bombay 400 001.	6738, 12th July 1973.	Shri Kuldeep Singh Makani	Smt. Meenakshi Pradhan.
Rashtriya Power Looms and Sizing Mazdoor Congress.	85, Thana Road Bhivandi, Dist. Thana.	6739, 13th July 1973.	Shri Ridwan Burhan Haris	Shri Abdul Salam Ajami.
IBP Officer's Association	C/o. Mr. B. K. Paralkar, 7/6, Gurudeo Co-operative Housing Society, Prabhadevi Sea face, Bombay-25.	6740, 20th July 1973.	Shri B. K. Paralkar.	Shri R. T. Chikhliia.
Breach Candey Hospital and Nursing Home, Nurses Association.	C/o. Mrs. Joan R. Robb, 24, Pushpa Vihar No. 2, Colaba Road, Bombay-5.	6741, 20th July 1973.	Mrs. Joan Robb.	Mrs. Joyce Mattos.

Serial No.	Name of the Union	Address of the Union	Registration No. and date	Name of the President	Name of the Gen. Secretary
1	2	3	4	5	6
8	Samartha Mazdoor Sabha	Dholkawala Building, Room No. 13, 1st Floor, Love Lane, Mazgaon, Bombay-10,	6742, 20th July 1973.	Shri Hubard Fernandes.	Shri Bhirji Ganesh Wadkar.
9	Plastic Factory Kamgar Sena	Near Gausia Comround, Ahmedabad Road, (Highway, Khar, East Bombay.	6743, 20th July 1973.	Shri I. A. Saiyed.	Shri Nara Kachru Ubak
10	Maharashtra Racing Studs Employees Union.	17, Dalvi Building, 1st Floor, Dr. Ambedkar Road, Parel, Bombay-12.	6744, 20th July 1973.	Shri Eknath Shivram.	Shri T. S. Lonar
11	Workes' Democratic Union.	15, Supria, 11th Road, Chembur, Bombay-71.	6745, 20th July 1973	Shri D. Thankappan	Shri P. B. Bidwai.
12	Cinema Employees, Union Thana.	C/o. A. J. Kulkarni Lokmanya Lane, Rajwade, Thana.	6746, 21st July 1973.	Shri Keshav Balkrishna Patil.	Shri Satish M. Badjode.
13	Herdillia Staff Association..	17, Dalvi Building Parel, Bombay-12.	6747, 24th July 1973.	Shri G. R. Khannolkar.	Shri George John.
14	Thana Mazdoor Union ..	C/o. Duphar Interfran Employees Union, D-1 Husija Corner Kopri, Thana East.	6748, 30th July 1973.	Shri Baban Vishnu Kadam	Shri G. Gopinath Kurup
15	Ratnagiri Mazdoor Union,	At and Post Vengurla, Taluka Vengurla, Dist. Ratnagiri.	6749, 30th July 1973.	Shri Bhikrjirao Chavan.	Shri Anant Desai.
NAGPUR DIVISION					
16	Maharashtra State Co-operative Land Development Bank Employees Union, Nagpur.	C/o. Shri S. M. Admane, 184-Stivaji Nagar, Nagpur.	NGP. 571 3rd May 1973.	Shri B. P. Tunarkar.	Shri S. M. Admane.
17	Shaskiya Mudranalaya Aulyogik Kamgar Sangh, Nagpur.	Plot No. 478-A, Professor Colony Hanuman Nagar, Nagpur.	NGP. 572 7th May 1973.	Shri Wamanrao Marathe.	Shri M. G. Gode
18	Rashtriya Plastic Wa Plastic Product Kamgar Sangh, Nagpur.	C/o. Rashtriya Hind Majdoor Sangh, Kamgar Bhavan, Great Nag Road, Rambaug, Nagpur.	NGP. 573, 7th May 1973.	Shri Haribhau Jogobaji Naik.	Shri Rajesh Govind Salve.
19	Nagpur Engineering Kamgar Sangh.	C/o Maharashtra Motor Kamgar Sangh, Deptt & Co., Main Road, Sita-Buldi, Nagpur.	NGP. 574, 7th May 1973.	Shri Dattaji Motiwale.	Shri W. K. Kerkar.
	Digras Nagar Parishad Karmachari Sangh, Digras.	At & Post Digras, Taluka Darva, District Yeotmal.	NGP. 575, 16th May 1973.	Shri S. Rajhan S. Ishak.	Shri A. Gaffar A. Karim.
21	Rashtriya Shetkari Seva Sangh, Silli, district Bhandara.	Silli, district Bhandara	NGP. 576, 28th May 1973.	Shri V. P. Deshkar.	Shri R. S. Jambhulka.
22	Maharashtra Bidi Majdoor Union, Nagpur.	Dr. Ambedkar Road, Pachpali, Nagpur-2.	NGP. 577, 28th May 1973.	Shri Rajabhau Alias B. D. Khobragade.	Shri Ramratan Janakar.

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23	Paper Mills Bashooding Sacking Kamgar Union, Amgaon.	C/o. Shri Manohar Shribhadri, At & Post Amgaon, Gondia, district Bhandara.	NGP. 578, 30th May 1973.	Shri D. S. Bhagat.	Shri Hardas Meshram.
24	The Maharashtra Rajya Sahakari Bhuvikas Bank Karmachari Sangh, Akola.	C/o. Shri G. M. Gawande, Adarsh Colony, Akola.	NGP. 579, 30th May 1973.	Shri D. T. Nakat.	Shri G. Gawande.
25	Maharashtra Ketki Pural Suppliers Sangh, Nagpur.	C/o. Shri Vidyadhar Motghare, Sabu Bavan, Handoom Market, Gandai baug, Nagpur.	NGP. 580, 2nd June 1973.	Shri Krushna-rao Sadavarte.	Shri Vidyadhar Motghare.
26	Transport Corporation of India (Pvt.) Ltd., Employee, and Workers' Union, Nagpur.	C/o. Shri Gowardhanlal Kumawat, R. K. Rajai Bhuvan, Central Avenue Road, Nagpur.	NGP. 581, 16th June 1973.	Shri Sugan-Chand Jain.	Shri Govardhanlal Kumawat.
27	Inspectorate of Military Explosives Employees' Union, Jawahar Nagar, Bhandara.	20/1. Type-2, Jawahar Nagar, Bhandara.	NGP. 582, 25th June 1973.	Shri Ranapratap Sinha Bhadoria.	Shri Shesh Bugad.

WORKING OF THE EMPLOYEES' STATE INSURANCE SCHEME OF MAHARASHTRA DURING JULY 1973

Non-Medical Side

The following table shows the registration of employees and payment of benefit under the Employees' State Insurance Scheme during July 1973.

Registration	During the month		Since 1st April 1973	
	Bombay	Nagpu.	Bombay	Nagpur
	Number of workers registered ..	15,431	870
Net Number of I. Ps. entitled to medical care at the end of the month.	9,09,031	29,318	....	....
Employment Injury Benefit				
	During the month			
	Bombay	Nagpur		
Number of accident reports received ..	6,119	745	23,586	2,603
Number of Temporary Disablement Benefit payments.	5,295	1,018	20,459	3,444
Amount of Temporary Disablement Benefit paid Rs.	2,95,836.30	35,465.30	11,36,414.97	1,22,152.55
Number of cases referred to Medical Board (fresh).	478	....	1,894	15
Number of cases decided (admitted).	345	....	1,392	11
(a) Partial permanent disablement ..	345	....	1,388	11
(b) Total permanent disablement ..	....	....	4	....
Amount of P. D. B. paid Rs.	6,04,602.92	2,486.39	24,10,129.71	23,601.77
Total Number of I. Ps. got fitted with artificial limbs.	....	....	1	....
Number of dependants admitted to D. B.	27	....	122	....
Amount of D. B. paid Rs.	83,362.70	3,532.95	3,52,490.85	17,617.90
Sickness Benefit				
Number of Sickness Benefit payments ..	66,196	6,894	2,40,496	26,031
Number of Sickness Benefit days ..	3,18,640	37,642	12,10,584	1,52,687
Amount of Sickness Benefit paid Rs	16,10,881.29	1,68,590.20	61,10,950.35	6,70,422.05
Amount of Extended Sickness Benefit paid Rs.	2,46,121.50	27,320.40	9,59,977.60	1,06,857.50
Maternity Benefit				
Number of fresh maternity cases admitted.	195	5	861	25
Number of Maternity Benefit days ..	16,220	405	63,164	2,059
Amount of Maternity Benefit paid Rs. ..	1,45,545.30	2,000.10	5,43,483.05	1,400.30

Orders of the Court on application filed by the Employees' State Insurance Corporation, Bombay under legal provisions of the Employees' State Insurance Act, 1948.

Section under which action taken							No. of cases	Amount recovered
							Rs.	
B)	12	35,377.46
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Medical Side

Prescriptions issued during the month of March 1973	..	2,18,209
Number of insured workers attending Diagnostic Centres		19,518
Ray plates taken during the month	..	2,218
Blood Examination	..	1,725
Number of persons admitted in the Hospital	..	(TB—475 + General—2,731) = 3,206
Total number of beds occupied during the month	..	(TB—20,163 + General—33,596) = 53,759
Amount made to the chemists during the month	..	8,44,757
Amount made to Insurance Medical Practitioners during the month	..	20,28,954

FATAL INDUSTRIAL ACCIDENTS AND INDUSTRIAL DISEASES, JULY 1973

During July 1973, 8 work people in the State of Maharashtra whose death occurred by the accident in course of their employment were reported during the month of July 1973.

Industrial Accidents

23. <i>Manufacture of Cotton Textile</i>			
235.1. Weaving	..	..	1
31. <i>Manufacture of Chemicals and Chemical Products (except Products of Petroleum and Coal).</i>			
310.1. Manufacture of Basic heavy Inorganic Chemicals	..		1
310.2. Manufacture of Basic heavy organic Chemicals	..		1
315.1. Manufacture of Vegetable Oils including Solvent Extracted Oils.			1
319.8. Manufacture of Dyes stuff Intermediaries	..		1
35. <i>Manufacture of Machinery, Machine Tools and Parts except Electrical Machinery—</i>			
353.9. Manufacture of others	..	..	1
37. <i>Manufacture of Transport Equipment and Parts—</i>			
373.9. Manufacture of Others	..	..	1
97. <i>Repair Services—</i>			
973. Repair of Motor Vehicles and Motor Cycles	..		1
		Total	8

Industrial Diseases

31. <i>Manufacture of Chemicals and Chemical Products (except Products of Petroleum and Coal)—</i>			
310.1. Manufacture of Basic heavy Inorganic Chemicals	..		1
		Total	1

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MONTHLY PROGRESS REPORT FOR THE MONTH OF JUNE, 1973

I. *Employment situation in general in Maharashtra State for the month of June 1973*

The number of applicants placed by Employment Exchange in June, 1973 rose to 3,453 from 3,003 in May, 1973. Total vacancies notified during June, 1973 to Employment Exchanges, however, declined to 7,346 from 8,461 in May, 1973.

Placements showed a rise in all sectors except the Quasi Government Sector as will be seen from the analysis given below.

949 applicants were placed in Central Government Establishments as against 822 in May, 1973, 1,603 in State Government Establishments as against 1,304, 384 in Quasi Government Establishments as against 497 and 417 in Private Establishments as against 380.

Among the individual Employment exchanges appreciable gains in placements have been recorded by Sub-Regional Employment Exchange, Poona 305 as against 232 in last month; District Employment Exchange, Bhir—131 as against 23; District Employment Exchange, Akola 162 as against 45; District Employment Exchange, Bhandara—192 as against 26 and Employment Exchange, Panvel 160 as against 34.

The rise in placements is attributed to the receipt of results of submissions made earlier as a result of follow up action.

An analysis of vacancies notified shows a very slight rise in the Central Government Sector and a fall in all other sectors.

1,493 vacancies were notified by Central Government Establishments in June, 1973 as against 1,469 in May, 1973, 2,199 vacancies were notified by State Government Establishments as against 2,895, 1,217 by Quasi Government Establishments as against 1,218 and 2,437 by private employers as against 2,879.

Registrations rose appreciably to 48,456 during the month under review as against 30,907 in May, 1973 as a result of rush of freshers following the declaration of various examination results. There were 630, 949 applicants on the Live Registers of Employment Exchanges at the end of June, 1973.

II. *Appreciation of Statistics Rendered.—*

(a) *Registration.*—48,456 applicants were registered with Employment Exchanges in June, 1973, as against 30,907 in May, 1973.

(b) *Vacancies Notified.*—7,346 vacancies were notified to the Employment Exchanges in June, 1973 as against 8,461 in May, 1973.

(c) *Submission.*—32,212 submissions were made by Employment Exchanges in June, 1973, as against 33,830 in May, 1973.

(d) *Placements.*—3,453 applicants were placed by Employment Exchanges in June, 1973, as against 3,003 in May, 1973.

(e) *Employers using the Exchanges.*—1,709 employers notified vacancies to Employment Exchanges at the end of June, 1973.

(f) *Live Register*.—There were 6,30,949 applicants on the Live Register Employment Exchanges at the end of June, 1973 as against 6,10,896 in May 1973.

IV. *Vacancy Clearing*.—

(a) Fresh vacancies circulated by S.E.C.O.	..	147
(b) Vacancies filled during the month—		
(1) Vacancy Exchange	.. .. .	Nil.
(2) Other Exchanges	.. .. .	Nil.
(c) Vacancies at the end of the month under limited or unlimited circulation:—		
(1) Less than 3 months .. .. .	.. .. .	205
(2) More than 3 months but less than 6 months	.. .. .	610
(3) More than 6 months .. .. .	.. .. .	1,119

V. *Interesting Placements*

Satara.—(1) One Electrical Engineering and two Diploma Holders in Electrical Engineering were placed as Junior Engineers with the Executive Engineer, Bhatghar and Veer Hydro-Electric Division, Wathas Colony on Rs. 471 and Rs. 363 respectively.

(2) One B.E. (Mech.) candidate was placed as Junior Engineer with the Cooper Engineering Ltd., Satara on Rs. 375 per mensem.

(3) Two B. Pharm. candidates were placed as Assistant Lecturer in Pharmacology and Anatomy Physiology on Rs. 416 per mensem with the Principal, Government Polytechnic, Karad, District Satara.

Thana.—(1) 3 B.E. (Elec.) candidates were placed as Junior Engineers with the Superintendents Engineer on Special Duty, Agriculture and Co-operative Department, Bombay-1, on Rs. 390 per mensem.

(2) One candidate was placed as a Turner with Messrs. Blue Star Ltd., Thana, on Rs. 300 per mensem.

(3) Three candidates were placed as Pattern Maker with the National Machinery Mfs. Ltd., Kalwa, Thana, on Rs. 300 per mensem.

Nasik.—(1) 3 Art Graduates and one Commerce Graduate were placed as Control Assistant with the General Manager, India Security Press, Nasik, on Rs. 350 per mensem.

(2) Three Sc. Graduates Seven and Inter-Science candidates were placed as Technical Assistant with the General Manager, India Security Press, Nasik, on Rs. 350 per mensem.

Poona.—(1) One candidate was placed as a Assistant Lecturer with the Principal, Government Polytechnic, Poona-16, on Rs. 300 plus allowances.

R.E.E., Bombay.—(1) One candidate was placed as Surveyor with Shetty and Associates, Bombay, on Rs. 650 per mensem.

(2) One Law Graduate was placed with Cloth Merchants Labour Board, Bombay, on Rs. 430 per mensem.

(3) 2 candidates were placed as Clerks with the Bank of India, Bombay, on Rs. 335 plus allowances.

Nanded.—(1) Two Art Graduates were placed as Small Savings Organiser with the Collector, Nanded, on Rs. 396 per mensem.

VI. Appreciation of work done for Special Type of Applicants

	Registra- tion	Place- ments	Live Register
1. A. B. Standard	748	64	5,731
2. Displaced Persons	8	1	673
3. Discharged Government Employees	17	24	1,906
4. Women	9,015	298	70,715
5. I. T. I. Trainees	489	152	10,019
6. Ex-Servicemen	465	148	6,282
7. Part-time Employment Seekers—			
(1) Registered .. .. .	..	..	..
(2) Placed .. .. .	..	..	..
(3) Vacancies Notified	1	..	..

(8) Recruitment to Arm Forces :—

	Army	Navy	Airforce	Total
1. Ex-Servicemen
2. Others

Physically Handicapped applicants registered with normal Employment Exchanges (other than the Special Employment Exchanges for Physically Handicapped) in the State during June 1973 :—

Category	No. of Registration effected during the month	No. of placements Category during the month	No. on Live Register the end of the month
1. Blind	7	1	161
2. Deaf and Dumb	2	1	30
3. Orthopaedically Handicapped	61	7	1,238
4. Respiratory Disorder .. .. .	....	....	....
Total ..	70	9	1,429

VII. Staff Training

Out of 30 Exchanges, staff training classes were held at 17 Exchanges.

VIII. Inspection

The General Inspection of the District Employment Exchange, Osmanabad was carried out by Shri M. S. Damle, Sub-Regional Employment Office (P. and E.), Directorate of Employment, Bombay.

X. Conference and Meetings

The meeting of the District Planning Board were attended by Bhandara, Amravati, Kolhapur, Akola, Chandrapur, Alibag, Sholapur, Satara and Thane.

XII. Any other items of Interest

Work done by University Employment Information and Guidance Bureau during June 1973 :—

Name of University	Registration	Vacancies notified	Placements obtained	No. on Live Register
1. U. E. I. and G. B., Bombay ..	16	10	9	3,616
2. U. E. I. and G. B., Poona ..	146	17	6	336
3. U. E. I. and G. B., Nagpur ..	62	..	2	1,056
4. U. E. I. and G. B., Aurangabad ..	72	2	2	242
5. U. E. I. and G. B., Kolhapur ..	134	22	4	331

Work done by Special Employment Exchange for Physically Handicapped persons, Bombay during the month of June 1973 :—

Category	Registration	Vacancies notified	Placements obtained	No. on Live Register
1. Blind	3	..	..	246
2. Deaf and Dumb	5	..	..	46
3. Orthopaedically Handicapped	19	20	20	308
4. Respiratory Disorder .. .. .	..	..	..	4
Total ..	27	20	20	604

Work done by the Professional and Executive Unit during the month of June 1973 :—

(1) No. of X-Is on the Live Register at the end of the previous month.	2,006
(2) No. of X-Is received during the month	212
(3) No. of candidates submitted during the month against—	
(i) Notified Vacancies (Secondary)	119
(ii) Central Employment Exchange Vacancies	201
(iii) Advertised Vacancies .. .. .	....
(4) No. of P. and E. candidates placed during the month .. .. .	....
(5) No. removed from Live Register	111
(6) No. of P. and E. X-Is on Live Register at the end of the month.	2,107

The work in respect of preparation of Report on occupational pattern of employees in Maharashtra State in the Public Sector September, 1968 has been continued at the S. E. M. I. Unit during the month.

The work relating to sample survey to ascertain the proportion of employed persons on the Live Register of Employment Exchanges is continued at the S. E. M. I. Unit during the period under report.

The work in respect of scrutiny of Biennial Occupational-cum-Educational Returns EB-II relating to Public Sector enquiry September, 1972 has been continued at the S. E. M. I. Unit.

Youth Employment Service

(1) *Individual Programme at Employment Exchanges.*—(1) During the month of June 1973 in all 2,194 applicants received individual information, out of these 1,787 were applicants, 246 were students and 161 were parents and Guardians.

(2) In all 25 Postal enquiries in occupational information were received during the month.

(3) Out of 779 applicants who received individual guidance, 736 were fresh candidates and 43 were review cases.

(4) 5,007 applicants were given guidance at the time of Registration.

II. *Group Guidance Programme at Employment Exchanges.*—(5) 248 Group discussions were conducted during the month.

(6) 6,642 applicants attended the group discussions.

Programme outside the Exchanges.—(7) During the month 24 careers were delivered at Schools.

16 visits were paid by Employment Officers to Schools in connection with distribution or utilisation of career pamphlets, posters etc.

58 visits were paid by Employment Officers to employers and heads of institutions in connection with collection of information placements.

Placement/Admission Activities.—(10) During the month 2,686 applications were forwarded to various training centres for apprenticeship training.

47 applicants were actually placed in training.

Placement of 31 guided applicants were received during the month of 73.



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Submissions—57 as against 196 in

Placements—107 in June, 1973.

Live Register—8

MILLE EMPLOYMENT (DECASUALISATION) SCHEME

month of July 1973 under the Decasualisation Scheme, Bombay, were registered, demands for 3,976 workers were received from 92 submissions were made against these demands. Placements of were obtained against these submissions.

uring July, 1973 under the Decasualisation Scheme, Sholapur. 47 registered. Demands for 13 workers were received from the missions were made to the mills against these demands. Place-workers obtained against these submissions.

Statistics rendered (Bombay) "

—2,547 workers were registered under the Decasualisation Scheme 225 in June, 1973.

otified—3,976 vacancies were notified to the sectional offices as in June, 1973.

—2,892 submissions were made under the Decasualisation Scheme 895 in June, 1973.

—1,478 workers were employed by the mills as against 1,668 3.

er—1,298 workers were on the Live-Register at the end of July,

Statistics rendered (Sholapur) "

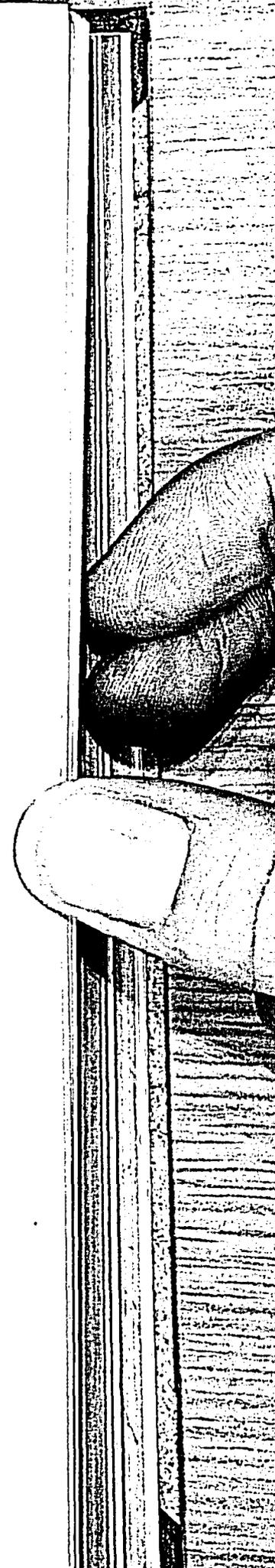
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s—57 submissions were made under the Decasualisation Scheme 06 in June, 1973.

—107 workers were employed by the mills as against 102 workers

er—844 workers were on the Live Register at the end of July, 1973.



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EMPLOYMENT THROUGH EMPLOYMENT EXCHANGES

(Maharashtra)

Year and Month	Number of applicants on Live Registers at the end of the month/year	Registration	Placements	Number of Employers who used the exchanges	Vacancies notified	Vacancies outstanding at the end of month/year
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
1964	2,58,676	3,68,711	72,583	....	1,36,667	24,078
1965	2,76,852	4,04,490	75,301	....	1,42,716	23,654
1966	2,82,826	3,96,688	71,336	....	1,32,680	18,203
1967	2,86,676	4,05,063	40,634	....	76,018	14,103
1968	2,94,711	4,12,803	39,704	....	80,487	18,367
1969	3,00,133	3,92,540	42,104	....	86,450	23,954
1970	3,28,313	4,02,039	38,662	....	87,221	27,193
1971	4,29,578	4,75,360	44,184	....	85,253	22,672
1972—						
June	4,62,799	35,774	2,798	1,362	6,397	24,691
July	4,91,627	41,399	3,353	1,400	7,149	23,946
August	5,18,093	37,117	2,651	1,406	7,268	24,803
September	5,39,879	32,398	3,213	1,445	6,869	25,137
October	5,57,729	30,533	2,931	1,410	7,532	25,966
November	5,75,690	28,735	3,596	1,343	7,351	26,796
December	5,97,650	33,561	2,932	1,280	6,007	26,249
1973—						
January	6,18,540	32,651	3,056	1,413	7,016	26,249
February	29,066	27,635	3,117	1,330	6,321	26,619
March	32,041	35,367	4,126	1,522	7,527	26,957
April						

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Statement showing

Year

1971—

1972—

March

April

May

June

July

August

September

October

November

December

1971—Grand Total

Grand Total

Grand Total

1973—

January

February

March

April

EMPLOYMENT THROUGH DECASULISATION SCHEME

Statement showing the numbers of works registered, Demand submitted and placed together with the Live Register.

Year	Months	Registrations	Demands	Submissions	Placements	Live Register
1971—		35,109	34,649	40,652	20,455	23,678
1972—						
March	..	3,980	3,781	5,495	2,443	1,223
April	..	2,760	2,604	3,561	1,601	1,601
May	..	4,121	4,726	5,655	3,560	623
June	..	2,246	2,021	2,718	2,464	817
July	..	1,999	1,980	2,040	1,097	1,003
August	(Bombay) (Sholapur)	1,982 69	1,324 30	1,909 180	1,087 59	1,459 635
September	(Bombay) (Sholapur)	1,978 55	1,458 19	1,800 35	672 15	1,716 663
October	(Bombay) (Sholapur)	1,750 40	1,009 26	1,408 51	613 19	1,953 666
November	(Bombay) (Sholapur)	2,811 72	1,771 85	2,597 181	690 19	2,442 528
December	(Bombay) (Sholapur)	2,296 188	1,321 55	1,927 83	849 83	2,420 30
1971—Grand Total	(Bombay)	31,869	28,839	37,758	17,551	19,267
Grand Total	(Sholapur)	424	215	530	195	3,322
Grand Total	..	32,293	29,054	38,288	17,746	22,589
1973—						
January	(Bombay) (Sholapur)	2,400 75	1,174 20	1,899 11	754 9	3,439 871
February	(Bombay) (Sholapur)	2,582 89	3,458 122	4,372 270	1,104 22	2,351 950
March	(Bombay) (Sholapur)	3,435 84	3,425 106	5,231 150	2,009 119	1,873 794
April	(Bombay)	3,229 76	3,623 120	4,699 224	2,118 39	1,858 1010

REVISION OF WORK STOPPAGES DUE TO INDUSTRIAL DISPUTES FOR THE MONTH OF MAY 1973

Serial No.	Industry	Name of the Concern and Locality	Matter in dispute	Date when work stoppages		Maximum No. of workers affected		Man-Jays lost		Result
				Began	Ended	Directly	In-directly	During the month	Till the close of the month	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
1	Biscuits	Bombay— Shangrila Food Products Ltd. (Pvt.)	Others— Protest against employing temporary hands instead of giving work on overtime.	23rd May 1973	28th May 1973	66	..	330	330	Unsuccessful
2	Cotton Textile	Bombay— The Ahmedabad Spg. Wvg. and Mfg. Co. Ltd. (Pub).	Personnel— Demand for promotion according to seniority	2nd May 1973	2nd May 1973	659	..	452	452	Successful.
3	Ginning and Pressing.	Saipur (Nasik)— R. S. Industries (Pvt.).	Personnel— Demand for reinstatement of a retrenched worker.	3rd May 1973	6th May 1973	20	..	67	67	Indefinite.
4	Dyeing and Printing.	Bombay— Amaerdeep Mills (Pvt.).	Personnel— Protest against charge sheet given to 17 workers.	15th May 1973	..	171	..	2,565	2,565	Contd.
5	Power looms	Poona — Messrs. Kundan Textiles and other Powerloom and Handloom Concerns (Pvt.).	Bonus— Demand for immediate payment of bonus instalment.	18th April 1973.	5th May 1973.	853	..	3,412	12,795	Unsuccessful.
6	Viscose cotton and woollen Yarn.	Thana— Kisanchand Spg. Mills (Pvt.).	Personnel— Demand for reinstatement of dismissed worker.	17th May 1973.	22nd May 1973.	119	23	2,255	7,609	Unsuccessful.
7	Hosiery	Bombay— Leela Scottish Lace Pvt. Ltd. (Pvt.).	Retrenchment— Demand for reinstatement of retrenched worker.	13th January 1973.	15th May 1973	43	..	516	4,429	Unsuccessful.
8	Ready made Garments.	Bombay— Handloom (India) and Garments Industries Pvt. Ltd. (Pvt.).	Personnel— Demand for reinstatement of terminated workers, etc.	21st May 1973.	....	162	..	1,620	1,620	Contd.

9	Wooden Boxes	Bombay— ..	Wages— Demand for D.A.	2nd May 1973	4th May 1973	15	..	45	45	Successful.
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Wooden Boxes	Bombay— Box assemble Contrac- tors (Pvt.)	Wages— Demand for D.A.	2nd May 1973	4th May 1973	15	..	45	45	Successful.	
Wooden Boxes	Bombay— Maharashtra Wood Works (Pvt.)	Personnel— Demand for reinstatement of a suspended worker.	30th January 1973.	4th May 1973	11	..	6	826	Unsuccessful.	
Corrugated Boxes	Bombay— Krishna Trading Co. and its sister concerns (Pvt.).	Retrenchment— Demand for reinstatement of 12 workers.	8th April 1973.	5th May 1973	70	..	280	1,573	Partially successful.	
Printing and	Bombay— Amardeep Printing Mill (Pvt.)	Wages— Demand for more wages	24th April 1973.	2nd May 1973	156	17	173	1,211	Successful.	
Rubber Tyres-Tubes.	Bombay— Coat Tyres of India Ltd. (Pvt.).	Others— To take over running of the canteen by Mgt.	12th May 1973	12th May 1973	415	..	207	207	Unsuccessful.	
Rubber Goods	Chinchwad (Poona)— Swastik Rubber Products (Pvt.).	Personnel— Protest against suspension of 3 workers.	2nd March 1973.	1st May 1973	3,005	..	3,005	156,260	Indefinite.	
Do.	Bombay— Oil seeds Mfg. Co. Pvt. Ltd. and its sister concern (Pvt.).	Wages— Demand for increase in wages.	23rd October 1972.	....	455	..	12,285	86,223	Contd.	
Plastic	Bombay— Supor Plastic Industries Pvt. Ltd. (Pvt.).	Wages— Demand for increase in wages.	27th March 1973.	3rd May 1973	52	..	156	1,716	Unsuccessful.	
Plastic Toys.	Bombay— Oya Tape Fibres Pvt. Ltd. (Pvt.).	Bonus— Protest against non-payment of bonus dues.	2nd May 1973	4th May 1973	86	..	258	258	Incefinite.	
Chemicals Havours.	Bombay— Aslan Chemicals Works (Pvt.).	Wages— Demand for more D.A.	24th March 1973.	Contd.	75	..	1,950	4,350	Contd.	
Chemical	Dombivall (District Thana)— Western Chlorides and Chemicals Pvt. Ltd. (Pvt.).	Retrenchment— Demand for reinstatement of 3 retrenched workers.	28th April 1973.	6th May 1973	21	..	105	168	Unsuccessful.	
Non-ferrous Tubes.	Bombay— Kamani Tubes (P) Ltd. (Pvt.)	Bonus— Demand for Bonus.	28th May 1973	....	580	..	2,320	2,320	Contd.	

LABOUR GAZETTE—SEPTEMBER 1973

INDUSTRIAL DISPUTES IN PROGRESS IN MAHARASHTRA STATE IN THE STATE SPHERE FOR THE MONTH OF MAY 1973—contd.

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LABOUR GAZETTE SEPTEMBER 1973

Serial No.	Industry	Name of the Concern and Locality	Matter in disputes	Date when work stoppages		Minimum No. of workers affected		No. of mandays lost		Result
				Began	Ended	Directly	In-directly	During the month	Till the close of the month	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
21	Tin containers	Bombay— H. A. H. Bachooali Tin Factory (Pvt.).	Wages— Demand for increase in wages, D. A., etc.	3rd February 1973.	....	41	..	1,107	4,141	Contd.
22	Engineering ..	Poona— C.T.R.Mfg. Industries Ltd. (Pvt.).	Personnel— Demand for resignation of Fabrication Supdt.	14th April 1973.	....	338	..	8,450	12,944	Contd.
23	Light Engineering.	Bombay— Lans Mentl and Enamel Works (P.) Ltd. (Pvt.).	Retrenchment— Demand for reinstatement of a retrenched worker.	29th May 1973	31st May 1973	115	..	345	345	Unsuccessful.
24	Radiators ..	Bombay— Luthara Import and 2 other sisters concerns (Pvt.)	Personnel— Demand for reinstatement of a suspended worker.	3rd February 1973.	9th May 1973	28	..	224	2,296	Indefinite
25	Engineering ..	Thana— Ultra Steel Engineers (Pvt.).	Wages— Demand for increase in wages, leave facilities, etc.	24th April 1973.	....	22	..	594	726	Contd.
26	Aluminium Utensils.	Thana— Palghar Delux Metal Works (Pvt.).	Personnel— Protest against suspension of a worker.	23rd April 1973.	....	18	..	486	612	Contd.
27	Tools ..	Thana— Dagger Forest Tools Ltd., (Pvt.).	Personnel— Demand for reinstatement of 4 terminated workers.	3rd April 1973	17th May 1973.	124	..	1,845	4,820	Indefinite.
28	Cotton Textile	Hinganghat, District Wardha— The R. S. Rekhchand Mohata Spg. Mills (P.) Ltd. (Pvt.).	L. and H. W.— Protest against 7 days Working of the Mill.	23rd May 1973 25th May 1973	23rd May 1973 25th May 1973	1,731	..	2,775	2,775	Unsuccessful.
29	Textile Processing.	Bombay— Mansukh Dyeing and Printing Mills (Pvt.).	Personnel — Demand for reinstatement of discharged temporary workers.	11th May 1973	....	426	..	7,668	7,668	Contd.

Aerated Water.	Poona— Poona Beverages Pvt. Ltd. (Pvt.).	Personnel— Protest against not giving work to a lorry driver.	7th May 1973	7th May 1973	49	....	49	49	Compromise.
Aerated Water.	Bombay— Rogers & Co., Pvt. Ltd. (Pvt.).	Wages— Demand for increase in D. A.	3rd May 1973	3rd May 1973	451	....	225	225	Successful.
Wooden Boxes.	Kanhan (Nagpur)— M. P. Timber Works (Pvt.)	Bonus— Bonus for the year 1970.	25th April 1973.	Contd.	313	....	4,671	5,186	Continued.
Printing Press.	Bombay— Ikon Greeting and Wedding Cards Co. (Pvt.).	Personnel— Demand for reinstatement of a terminated Workman.	17th May 1973.	19th May 1973.	33	26	148	148	Unsuccessful.
Printing Press.	Kolhapur— Satyawadi Press (Pvt.).	Wages— Demand for increase in wages etc.	16th May 1973.	18th May 1973.	25	....	75	75	Successful.
Chorme Colours.	Bombay— V. G. Colour Industries (Pvt.).	Wages— Demand for increase in wages.	16th May 1973.	Contd.	15	3	252	252	Continued.
Cement Pipes.	Budhgaon (Sangli) Kison Cement Pipe Industries (Pvt.).	Wages— Demand for increase in wages.	2nd May 1973.	4th May 1973.	23	....	58	58	Successful.
Rolling Mill.	Poona— Jolly Steel Industries (Pvt.).	Wages — Demand to pay lay-off compensation to temporary workers.	5th May 1973.	6th May 1973.	68	....	136	136	Successful.
Agricultural Equipment.	Sholapur— Laxmi Metal Works (Pvt.).	Wages— Demand for increase in wages.	17th May 1973.	18th May 1973.	15	....	30	30	Indefinite.
Engineering...	Bombay— Baidai Pvt. Ltd. (Pvt.)	Retrenchment— Demand for reinstatement of retrenched workers.	15th July 1972.	....	56	....	1,512	15,400	Continued.
Electronics ..	Bombay— Gannon Electrolytics Ltd. (Pvt.)	Personnel— Protest against Charge sheet issued to 4 workmen.	11th May 1973.	....	20	....	360	360	Continued.
Engineering ..	Bombay— New Haven Steel Ball Corporation Pvt. Ltd. (Pvt.).	Bonus— Demand for advance against bonus.	9th May 1973.	Contd.	180	....	3,600	3,600	Continued.

Serial No.	Industry and Code No.	Name of the Concern and Locality	Matter in dispute	Date when work-stoppage		Maximum No. of workers involved		No. of man-days lost		Result
				Began	Ended	Directly	Indirectly	During the month	Till the close of the month	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
42	Tractor ..	Bombay— International Tractor Co. of India Ltd. (Pvt.)	Personnel— Demand for reinstatement of a terminated employee.	22nd May 1973.	....	1,867	....	15,903	15,903	Continued.
43	Fabricator ..	Akola— Vishwakarma and New Vishwakarma Foundry Works, (Pvt.).	Others— Protest against alleged unfair Labour Practice.	1st April 1973	....	12	....	324	589	Continued.
44	Engineering ..	Poona— Southern Machine Industries (Pvt.).	Wages— Demand for increase in wages etc.	24th March 1973.	....	91	....	1,274	3,136	Continued.
45	Cotton Textile	Hinganghat (District Wardha)— R.S.Rekhchand Mohata Spg. Mills (Pvt.) Ltd. (Pvt.).	Land H. W.— Protest against 7 days a week working.	28th May 1973	....	1,938	....	7,752	7,752	Continued.
46	Fans ..	Poona— Globe Electrical Industries and Rai Electrical Industries (Pvt.).	Wages— Demand for increase in D. A.	21st May 1973	....	109	....	952	952	Continued.
47	Cast Iron Pipe	Manpada (District Thana)— Prasanna Metalics Co. (Pvt.).	Wages— Demand for increase in Wages, abolition of contract system etc.	8th May 1973	9th May 1973	62	....	124	124	Unsuccessful.
48	Plastic Items	Lonavala (District Poona)— C. J. Industries (Pvt.).	L. & H. W.— Protest against change in weekly off.	31st May 1973	Contd.	112	....	56	56	Continued.
49	Biscuits ..	Bombay— The Britannia Biscuit Co. Ltd. (Pvt.).	Personnel— Protest against transfer of Packers.	4th May 1973	4th May 1973	289	53	171	171	Successful.

50	Edible Oil ..	Bombay— The Vegetable Vitamin Foods Co. (Pvt.) Ltd. (Pvt.).	Wages— Demand for increase in wages, etc.	18th May 1973	21st May 1973	85	330	1,245	1,245	Successful.
		Bombay—	Others— Protest against warning	14th May 1973	25th May 1973	15	....	165	165	Unsuccessful.

Edible Oil ..	Bombay— The Vegetable Vitamin Foods Co. (Pvt.) Ltd. (Pvt.).	Wages— Demand for increase in wages, etc.	18th May 1973	21st May 1973	85	330	1,245	1,245	Successful.	
Snacks ..	Bombay— Monarch Wafers (Pvt.)	Others— Protest against warning to work properly.	14th May 1973	25th May 1973	15	....	165	165	Unsuccessful.
Textile Print- ing.	Bombay — Ujagar Textile Indus- tries (Pvt.).	Personnel— Protest against change in work.	24th May 1973	....	205	....	1,052	1,052	Continued.
Dyeing and Printing.	Bombay— Evergreen Textile Mills (Pvt.).	Personnel— Protest against lay-off given to the workers.	12th May 1973	....	47	19	1,130	1,130	Continued.
Silk & Art Silk	Bombay— Cadell Wvg. Mills Co. Pvt. Ltd. (Pvt.).	Personnel— Demand for reinstatement of temporary workers.	3rd May 1973	8th May 1973	97	....	441	441	Successful.
Litho Work ..	Gondia (Bhandara)— Vasant Fine Pvt. Litho Work (Pvt.).	Wages— Demand for payment of arrears of wages etc.	3rd May 1973	Contd.	260	55	7,750	7,750	Continued.	
Rolling Shut- ters.	Bombay— V. J. Dondia & Bros. (Pvt.).	Wages— Demand for increase in wages.	14th May 1973	29th May 1973	18	....	252	252	Successful.
Aluminium Utensils.	Bombay— Lalubhai Amichand Pvt. Ltd. (Dun Allumi- nium Factory) (Pvt.).	Others— Demand for recognition of the union.	23rd May 1973	23rd May 1973	298	....	298	298	Unsuccessful.
Alluminium..	Bombay— King Metal Works (Pvt.).	Wages— Demand for increase in wages.	7th May 1973	....	23	....	483	483	Continued.
Manufacturing Automobile Parts.	Bombay— Sunil Industries Engineers and Fabricators (Pvt.).	Personnel— Protest against charge sheet given to a worker.	27th May 1973	....	36	....	144	144	Continued.
Electrical Ac- cessors.	Bombay— Indian Express Industries and Hariram Gobindram (Pvt.).	Personnel— Demand for reinstatement of a suspended worker.	26th May 1973	28th May 1973.	57	....	85	85	Successful.
Manufacturing of intermedi- ate Chemicals.	Nasayani (District Kolaba)— Hindustan Organic Chemicals Ltd. (Pub.).	Wages— Demand for revision of wages and fringe benefits.	9th April 1973.	9th May 1973	974	....	7,792	26,298	Successful.

Serial No.	Industry	Name of the Concern and Locality	Matter in dispute	Date when work-stoppage		Maximum No. of workers involved		No. of man-days lost		Result
				Began	Ended	Directly	Indirectly	During the month	Till the close of the month	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
62	Manufacturing of imitation jewellery.	Bombay— Crown Art Industries (Pvt.).	Wages— Demand for increase in wages.	7th May 1973	11th May 1973.	17	..	85	85	Unsuccessful.
63	Manufacturing of imitation Jewellery.	Bombay— Crown Art Industries (Pvt.).	Others— Protest against misbehaviour of the owner of the concern.	23rd May 1973	Contd. ..	17	..	127	127	Contd.
64	Printing of Sarces.	Bombay— Pushpa Prints (Pvt.).	Wages— Demand for increase in wages.	13th May 1973	14th May 1973.	38	..	38	38	Partially Successful.
65	Nylon Manufacturing Industries.	Poona— Century Enka Ltd., (Pvt.).	Wages— Demand for wage scale etc.	14th May 1973	19th May 1973.	302	..	1,812	1,812	Successful.
66	Manufacturing of P. V. C. Tapes.	Thana— Deepak & Co. (Pvt.).	Personnel— Demand for reinstatement of a suspended worker and recognition of the union.	15th May 1973	Contd.	40	..	600	600	Contd.
67	Engineering ..	Bombay— The General Electric Co. of India Ltd. (Pvt.).	Others— To express sympathy and support for the workers on strike at the factories at Calcutta etc.	29th May 1973	29th May 1973.	120	..	15	15	Unsuccessful.
68	Printing Press	Poona— Chitra Shala (Pvt.) ..	Wages— Demand for Payment for the Work done by the workers in April 1973.	8th May 1973	15th May 1973.	82	..	574	574	Unsuccessful
69	Engineering & Marketing	Bombay— Voltas Ltd. and its branches (Pvt.).	Wages— Employees' Demand for increase in D. A. 5 days in 45 hours a week E. D. etc.	12th February 1973.	....	4,031	..	72,440	162,323	Contd.

70	Who lets a lot of dealers in Grams.	Bombay— M/s. H. T. Shah (Pvt.).	Wages— Demand for increase in wages and D. A. etc.	16th May 1973	19th May 1973.	40	..	160	160	Successful.
					1st May 1973	17	..	68	68	Successful.

Who is a	in	Wages—	16th May 1973	19th May 1973.	40	..	160	160	Contd.
dealers Grem.	Bombay— M/s. H. T. Shah (Pvt.).	Demand for increase in wages and D. A. etc.	16th May 1973	19th May 1973.	40	..	160	160	Successful.
hop	Bombay— Talcherkars Outdoor Publicity service (Pvt.).	Personnel— Demand for absorption of workers from the closed sister concern.	2nd May 1973.	5th May 1973.	17	..	68	68	Successful.
vil Engineers Contractor	Nasik— Patel Engineering Co. Ltd. (Pvt.).	Retrenchment— Demand for reinstatement of retrenched workers.	12th May 1973.	Contd. ..	229	229	3,893	3,893	Contd.
port and Export Trade.	Bombay— The State Trading Corporation of India Ltd. (Pub.).	Wages— Demand for increase in wages etc.	1st May 1973.	8th May 1973.	234	..	1,638	1,638	Successful.
sanitary Con- tractor.	Bombay— M/s. Bambot & Co. Pvt. Ltd. (Pvt.)	Personnel— Demand for reinstatement of 12 workers, increase in Pay etc.	5th May 1973.	16th May 1973	25	..	250	250	Indefinite.
ublisher and Book agents.	Bombay— India Book House (Pvt.).	Wages— Demand for increase in Pay etc.	6th April 1973	11th May 1973.	17	..	170	527	Indefinite.
uilding Con- struction.	Bombay— Shapurji Palanji & Co. Ltd. (Pvt.).	Wages— Demand for overtime.	12th May 1973	....	4	13	289	289	Contd.
ervices	Bombay— Metro Exporters Pvt. Ltd. (Pvt.).	Retrenchment— Demand for reinstatement of retrenched workers of Metro Cycle Co.	22nd May 1973.	Contd. ..	12	..	99	99	Contd.
Tailor	Bombay— Siddharath Tailors (Pvt.).	Bonus— Demand for 8.33 per- cent bonus.	3rd November 1972.	1st May 1973.	25	..	25	3,850	Unsuccessful.
Tailor	Bombay— Kank Tailors (Pvt.).	Bonus— Demand for 8.33 per- cent Bonus.	1st November 1972.	1st May 1973.	35	..	35	5,460	Unsuccessful.
Tailor	Bombay— Keshavrao Tailors (Pvt.).	Bonus— Demand for 8.33 per- cent bonus.	3rd November 1972.	1st May 1973	22	..	22	3,388	Unsuccessful.

Industry	Name of the Concern and Locality	Matter in dispute	Date when work-stoppage		Maximum No. of workers involved		No. of man-days lost		Result
			Began	Ended	Directly	Indirectly	During the month	Till the close of the month	
2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
Tailor	Bombay— A. Sequira Tailors (Pvt.)	Bonus— Demand for 8.33 per cent bonus.	25th October 1972.	1st May 1973.	60	..	60	9,720	Unsuccessful.
Tailor	Bombay— W. H. Deeth Pvt. Ltd. (Pvt.)	Personnel— Protest against removal of a worker.	8th May 1973	8th May 1973.	25	..	13	13	Unsuccessful.
Municipal Corporation	Sholapur— Sholapur Municipal Corp. (Publ.)	Wages— Demand for merger of D. A. etc.	28th May 1973	31st May 1973.	1,287	..	5,148	5,148	Successful.
Charitable Institution	Bombay— Y. M. C. A. International House (Pvt.)	Retrenchment— Protest against retrenchment of one worker.	15th May 1973	2nd May 1973	60	..	120	2,520	Unsuccessful.
Printing and Publishing	Bombay— The Indian National Press, (Pvt.)	Retrenchment— Demand for reinstatement of retrenched workers.	30th April 1973.	5th May 1973.	469	..	2,445	2,830	Partially Successful.
Textiles	Bombay— Ajay Textiles, Pvt. Ltd., (Pvt.)	Personnel— Protest against forgiving "C" grade work to the "A" grade workers.	26th May 1973	....	70	..	350	350	Contd.
Manufacturing	Bombay— Indian Tiles and Marble Corpn., (Pvt.)	Personnel— Protest against lay off given to the workers.	3rd May 1973	3rd May 1973	74	..	74	74	Unsuccessful.
Engineering	Bombay— Acree Iron and Steel Works Pvt. Ltd., (Pvt.)	Personnel— Demand for reinstatement of a terminated worker.	21st May 1973	....	76	..	760	760	Contd.
Engineering	Bombay— Vasant Industrial and Works	Wages— Demand for immediate payment of salary for	10th May 1973	....	399	..	7,581	7,581	Contd.

			21st May 1973	3rd May 1973	74	74	74	
...ing ..	Bombay— Aaree Iron and Steel Works Pvt. Ltd., (Pvt)	Personnel— Demand for reinstatement of a terminated worker.	21st May 1973	....	76	..	760	760 Contd.
...ing ..	Bombay— Vasant Industrial and Engineering Works (Pvt.).	Wages— Demand for immediate payment of salary for the Month of March and April 1973.	10th May 1973	....	399	..	7,581	7,581 Contd.
...ing ..	Bombay— The Starit Engineering Co. Pvt. Ltd., (Pvt.)	Wages— Demand for revision of Pay etc.	9th May 1973	11th May 1973	28	..	84	84 Successful.
...ies ..	Bombay— Hensam Industrial Corpn. and Novelty Packing Service (Pvt.)	Personnel— Demand for reinstatement of a suspended worker.	17th May 1973	....	25	..	313	313 Contd.
...ing ..	Thana— Chase Bright Steel Ltd. (Pvt)	Wages— Demand for increase in D. A. etc.	9th May 1973	20th May 1973	228	..	2,394	2,394 Partially Successful
...tto ..	Bombay— Master Tobacco Co. (India) (Pvt.).	Retrenchment— Protest against retrenchment of one Machine Mechanic.	2nd May 1973	2nd May 1973	106	..	106	106 Unsuccessful
...Selling.	Bombay— Wadi Stone Co. (Pvt.)	Wages— Demand for increase in wages.	15th May 1973	15th May 1973	12	..	24	24 Successful.
...tto ..	Bombay— Master Tobacco Co. (Pvt.).	Retrenchment— Protest against retrenchment of one worker.	30th May 1973	....	106	..	212	212 Contd.
...ipality.	Dhulia — Municipal Council (Pub).	Wages — Demand for revision of pay scale etc.	30th May 1973	31st May 1973	426	..	852	852 Successful.
...ering ..	Bombay— Lakhi Trading and its sister concern (Pvt.).	Personnel— Demand for withdrawal of termination notice served on an apprentice.	9th January 1973.	8th May 1973	311	..	366	22,818 Indefinite.
...ng and ...is hing ...s Papers;	Industrial Dispute for the Bombay— Indian National Press (Pvt.).	Retrenchment— Demand for reinstatement of retrenched worker.	month of April 1973 (Reported late)	30th April 1973	469	..	235 235 Contd.

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CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBERS FOR LOW-PAID EMPLOYEES IN DIFFERENT MUFUSSIL CENTRES IN THE ANDHRA AND MADRAS STATES FOR THE MONTHS OF JUNE 1973 AND JULY 1973

(Base : Year ended June 1936 = 100).

Groups	Visakhapatnam		Eluru		Cuddalore		Trichirapalli	
	June 1973	July 1973	June 1973	July 1973	June 1973	July 1973	June 1973	July 1973
Food	INR	INR	INR	INR	INR	INR	INR	INR
Fuel and Lighting								
Clothing								
House-rent								
Miscellaneous								
Consumer Price Index Number.								

Groups	Madurai		Coimbatore		Koshikade	
	June 1973	July 1973	June 1973	July 1973	June 1973	July 1973
Food	INR	INR	INR	INR		
Fuel and Lighting					1592	1673
Clothing					777	772
House-rent					543	552
Miscellaneous					432	432
Consumer Price Index Number					544	531
					1224	1275

DEARNNESS ALLOWANCE FOR BOMBAY, SHOLAPUR, JALGAON, NAGPUR AND NANDED PAYABLE AS PER CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBER FOR WORKING CLASS

Centre	June 1973		July 1973	
	Number of working days	Amount	Number of working days	Amount
Bombay	26	253.00		
Sholapur	INR	INR	27	269.20

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POONA	Kolhapur
	Sholapur
	Sangli
	Poona
	Ahmednagar
BOMBAY	Jalgaon
	Dhulia
	Nasik
	Ratnagiri
	Kolaba
	Thana

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Division	BOMBAY									POONA					
	Thana		Kolaba		Ratnagiri	Nasik		Dhulia	Jalgaon	Ahmednagar		Poona	Sangli	Sholapur	Kolhapur
	Kalyan	Falghar	Alibas	Mahad	Ratnagiri	Nasik	Malegaon	Nandurbar	Jalgaon	Shevgaon	Shrirampur	Poona	Miraj	Sholapur	Ichalkarnaji
Normal Working Hours.		(8)				(8)	(8)	(8)	(8)	(8)					
Mode of Labour	I.N.R.	Rs.P.	I.N.R.	I.N.R.	I.N.R.	L.N.R.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.	I.N.R.	I.N.R.	I.N.R.	I.N.R.	I. N. R.
Labour—															
Carpenters ..		8-00					6-00	7-00	5-00	6-00					
Blacksmiths ..		8-00					6-00	6-00	4-00	6-00					
Wallochies (Cobblers).		3-00					6-00	5-00	3-00	6-00					
Labour—															
Men ..		2-75					2-50	3-00	4-00	3-00					
Women ..		2-50					2-00	2-50	3-00	2-50					
Children ..		1-50					1-00	2-00	3-00	2-00					
Agricultural Labour—															
Men ..		..					..	3-00	3-00	3-00					
Women ..		..					..	2-50	2-00	2-50					
Children ..		..					..	2-00	..	2-00					
Labour—															
Men ..		..					2-50	3-00	3-00	4-00					
Women					2-00	2-50	2-00	3-00					
Children					1-00	2-00	2-00	2-50					

I.N.R. = Information not received.

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Division	AURANGABAD					NAGPUR								
	District	Aurangabad	Parbhani	Bhir	Nanded	Osmanabad	Buldhana	Akola	Amravati	Ycotal	Wardha	Nagpur	Bhandara	Chandrapur
Village	Aurangabad	Hingoli	Mominabad	Nanded	Bembli	Shegaon	Mangrulpir	Amravati	Digras	Wardha	Narkhed	Gondia	Warora	Desai-gunj
Normal Working hours		(8)				(8)		(8)		(8)		(8)	(8)	(8)
Type of Labour	I.N.R.	Rs. P.	I.N.R.	I.N.R.	I.N.R.	Rs. P.	I.N.R.	Rs. P.	I.N.R.	Rs. P.	I.N.R.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.
Unskilled Labour—														
Carpenters ..		5.00				5.00		6.50		9.00		5.00	7.00	7.00
Blacksmiths ..		7.00				5.00		6.50		8.50		5.00	7.00	7.00
Mochies(Cobblers)		3.50				5.00		6.50		8.00		3.00	3.50	4.00
Skilled Labour—														
Men ..		2.50				2.25		2.75		4.00		2.50	3.00	4.00
Women ..		1.25				1.25		2.25		2.00		2.00	1.50	2.50
Children ..		1.50				..		2.00		1.50		1.75	1.50	1.25
Agricultural Labour—														
Men ..		7.00				2.25		2.50		5.00		2.00	3.00	..
Women ..		1.50				1.25		2.25		3.00		1.25	1.50	..
Children ..		1.50				..		1.75		2.00		0.75	1.50	..
Masons—														
Men ..		3.00				..		2.75		..		1.50	3.00	3.00
Women		2.25		1.50	1.25
Children		1.50		1.50	1.00

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	BOMBAY					POONA			
	Thana	Kola-	Ratna-	Nasik	Dhulia	Jalgaon	Ahmednagar	Poona	Satara

	BOMBAY											POONA						
	Thana		Kola- ba	Ratna- giri	Nasik		Dhulia			Jalgaon			Ahmednagar			Poona	Satara	
	Tana- shi	Dolk- hamb	Ma- gaon	Masure	Lasal- gaon	Pim- pal- gaon	Taloda	Pim- palner	Kapadne	Wagholi	Rot- wad	China- wal	Rashin	Deolali	Kalsai- khurd	Jun- nar	Kel- ghar	Budh
orking				(8)							(8)	(8)		(8)				
ar	I.N.R.	I.N.R.	I.N.R.	Rs. P.	I.N.R.	I.N.R.	I.N.R.	I.N.R.	I.N.R.	I.N.R.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.	I.N.R.	Rs. P.	I.N.R.	I.N.R.	I.N.R.	
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ths ..				8.00							6.50	6.00		4.00				
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..				6.00							4.00	2.50		3.50				
..				4.00							2.00	2.00		2.00				
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cultural				6.00							3.00	2.50		3.50				
..				4.00							1.50	2.00		2.00				
..				2.00							1.00	1.50		1.50				
..				10.00								4.50				
..				6.00								4.00				
..				3.00								2.50				

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POONA					AURANGABAD					NAGPUR								
Sangli		Sholapur	Kolhapur		Aurangabad	Parbhani	Bhir	Nanded	Osmanabad	Buldhana	Akola	Yectmal	Wardha	Nagpur	Bhandara	Amravati	Chandrapur	
Jath	Atpadi	Hajapur	Gargoti	Kadoli	Phulmar	Pingali	Amalnair	Loha	Latur	Mera Bk.	Akoli	Babulson	Seloo	Fetri	Sakoli	Khalsapur	Mul	Bramapuri
I.N.R.	I.N.R.	I.N.R.	I.N.R.	(8) Rs. P.	I.N.R.	I.N.R.	I.N.R.	I.N.R.	I.N.R.	(8) Rs. P.	(8) Rs. P.	I.N.R.	(8) Rs. P.	(8) Rs. P.	(8) Rs. P.	(8) Rs. P.	I.N.R.	(8) Rs. P.
				9.00						work: not done on daily wages	3.00		7.00	6.00	5.00	6.00		5.00
				10.00						3.00			5.00	6.00	4.00	6.00		3.00
				7.00						3.00			3.00	6.00	4.00	2.50		..
														(10)				
				2.50						2.50	1.75		3.00	4.00	2.50	2.50		3.00
				2.00						2.00	0.81		1.25	3.00	1.50	2.00		2.00
				..						1.00	..		1.00	1.50	1.00	1.50		1.50
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				2.50						3.00	..		3.00	3.50	2.50	2.25		2.50
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				2.00						1.00	..		1.00	1.50	1.00	1.50		1.00
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				1.75		2.50	3.00	2.00	2.50		..
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				1.25	1.00	1.25		..

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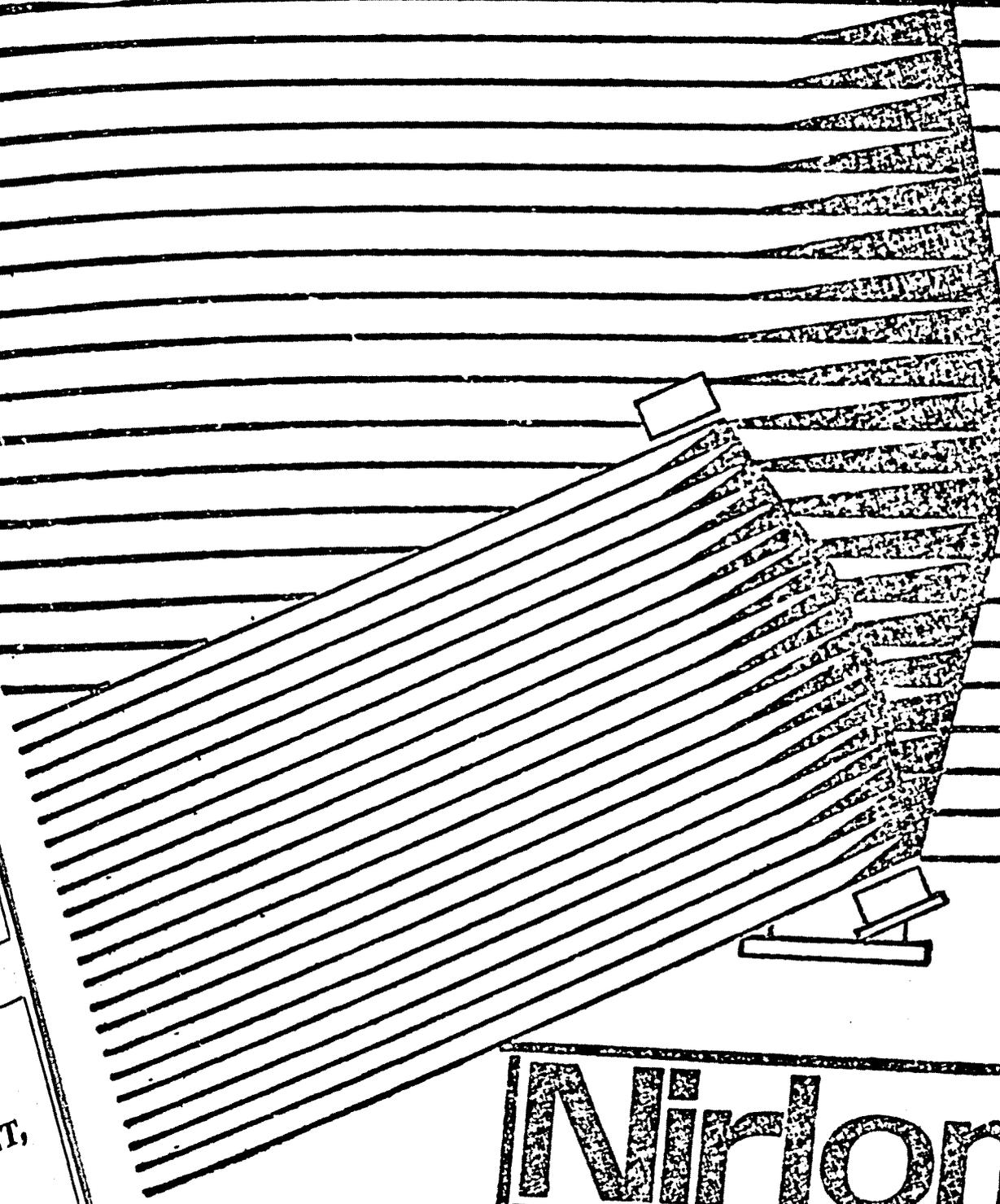
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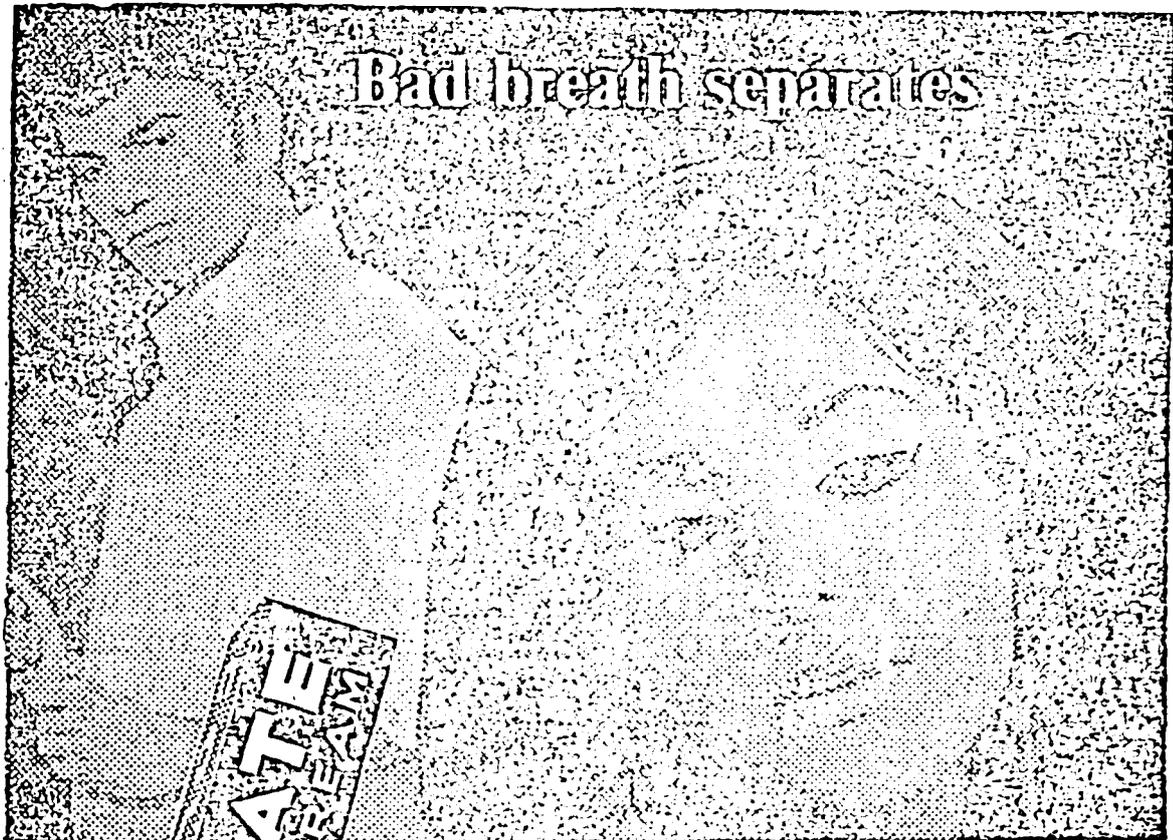
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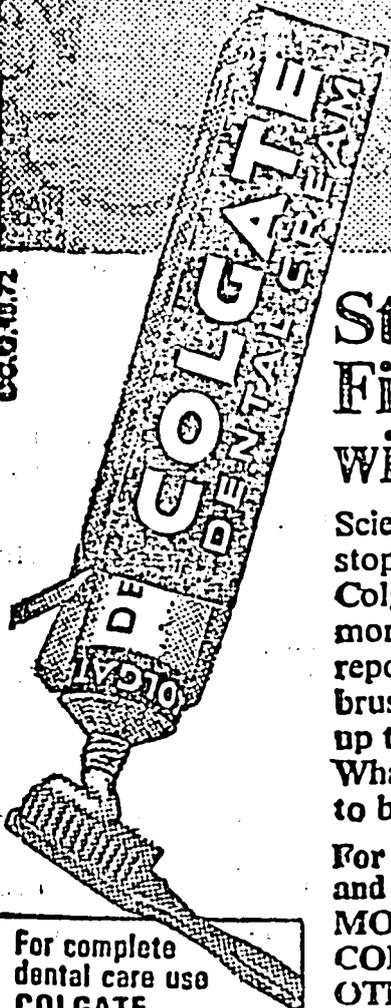
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