CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBER (NEW SERIES) FOR WORKING CL
FOR NAGPUR CENTRE

Articles	Unit of Quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Numbe	
			Basic Price	December 1972	January 1973	December 1972	Jan 19
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
I-A. Food—							
(a) *Cereals and Cereal Products*—							
(1) Rice	Kg. ..	53·60	0·64	1·26	1·28	197	
(2) Wheat (O·S.) ..	,, ..	35·69	0·41	0·90	0·91	220	
(3) Jowar ..	,, ..	8·72	0·41	1·10	1·10(i)	268	
(4) Grinding charges ..	3 Kg. ..	1·99	0·08	0·18	0·18	225	
Total ..		100·00					
Sub-group I-A (a) Index ..						*212*	
(b) *Pulses and Pulse Products*—							
(1) Arhar dal ..	Kg. ..	68·17	0·71	2·37	2·24	334	
(2) Gram dal ..	,, ..	28·12	0·52	1·81	1·75	348	
(3) Moong dal ..	,, ..	3·71	0·55	2·40	2·47	436	
Total ..		100·00					
Sub-group I-A (b) Index ..						*342*	
(c) *Oils and Fats*—							
(1) Gingelli Oil ..	Kg. ..	4·84	2·75	6·94	6·94	252	
(2) Groundnut Oil ..	,, ..	7·91	1·92	5·46	5·65	284	
(3) Vanaspati (loose) ..	500 g. ..	9·67	1·79	3·12	3·40	174	
(4) Linseed Oil ..	Kg. ..	77·58	1·54	4·31	4·20	280	
Total ..		100·00					
Sub-group I-A (c) Index ..						*269*	
(d) *Meat, Fish and Eggs*—							
(1) Goat-meat ..	Kg. ..	90·16	2·68	6·00	6·50	224	
(2) Fish (fresh)—							
(i) Rahu ..	,, ..	5·32	3·22	5·00	5·50	171	
(ii) Mangur ..	,, ..	....	3·22	6·00	6·50		
(3) Eggs	Dozen ..	4·52	2·06	4·05	4·25	197	
Total ..		100·00					
Sub-group I-A (d) Index ..						*220*	
(e) *Milk and Milk Products*—							
(1) Milk	L. ..	71·96	0·80	1·68	1·66	210	
(2) Curd	Kg. ..	3·57	2·14	4·00	4·00	187	
(3) Ghee	,, ..	24·47	8·85	16·50	16·42	186	
Total ..		100·00					

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	December 1972	January 1973	December 1972	January 1973
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
(f) *Condiments and Spices*—							
(1) Salt ..	Kg.	5.59	0·13	0·25	0·25	192	192
(2) Turmeric ..	,,	7.69	1·63	4·88	4·88	299	299
(3) Chillies (Dry) ..	,,	49.65	2·88	4·40	4·06	153	141
(4) Onion	,,	18.65	0·27	1·02	0·72	378	267
(5) Garlic	,,	6.53	1·06	1·25	1·25	118	118
(6) Corriander ..	,,	2.33	1·16	2·50	2·50	216	216
(7) Ginger	,,	3.50	2·96	6·98	6·88	236	232
(8) Zeera	,,	6.06	3·49	6·24	6·25	179	179
Total ..		100·00					
Sub-group I-A (f) Index ..						*212*	*185*
(g) *Vegetables and Fruits*—							
(1) Potatoes ..	Kg.	41·83	0·39		0·64		164
(2) Brinjals.. ..	,,	26·19	0·41		0·40		98
(3) Cauli flower ..	1/2 Kg.	2·52	0·33		0·34		103
(4) Cabbages ..	Kg.	0·50	0·38		0·60		158
(5) Tomatoes ..	,,	12·59	0·45		0·30		67
*(6) Gawarphali ..	,,	1·92	0·32		NA		NA
(7) Pease	,,	0·50	0·40		0·68		170
(8) Palak	,,	4.81	0·31		0·38		123
(9) Methi sag ..	,,	1·92	0·33		0·58		176
(10) Banana ..	Doz.	5.29	0·39		0·60		154
(11) Orange ...	,,	3·85	1·36		2·00		147
Total ..		100·00					
Sub-group I-A (g) Index ..					*1447*		*130*
(h) *Other Food*—							
(1) Sugar	Kg.	44·71	1·22	2·15	2·15	176	176
(2) Gur	,,	2·40	0·72	2·21	2·24	307	311
(3) Tea leaf ..	Pkt. of 25g.	13·26	0·19	0·28	0·28	147	147
(4) Bhajia	Kg.	8·46	2·14	4·50	4·50	210	210
(5) Jalebi	,,	1·97	1·61	5·00	5·00	311	311
(6) Tea (readymade) ..	Cup	29·20	0·06	0·25	0·25	417	417
Total ..		100·00					
Sub-group I-A(h) Index ..						*251*	*251*
I-A. Food—							
(a) Cereals and Cereal Products.		49·53				212	214
(b) Pulses and Pulse Products.		8·83				342	326
(c) Oils and Fats ..		6·05				269	265
(d) Meat, Fish and Eggs		5·00				220	238
(e) Milk and Milk Products.		7·51				203	201
(f) Condiments and Spices.		6·95				212	185
(g) Vegetables and Fruits		6·67				144	130
(h) Other Food ..		9·46				251	251
Total ..		100·00					
Food Group I-A Index ..						*226*	*223*

*Since 'Gawarphali (Beans) was not available in any of the selected markets at Nagpur during January 1973 [illegible] has been proportionately imputed to those of other vege-

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Articles	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total Expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Inde
			Basic Price	Dec. 1972	Jan. 1973	Dec. 1972
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
			Rs. P.	Rs. P	Rs. P.	
I-B. Pan, Supari, Tobacco, etc.—						
(1) Pan-leaf ..	100 leaves.	14·85	0·29	0·60	0·60	20
(2) Pan (ready made) ..	Each ..	13·61	0·03	0·07	0·07	23
(3) Supari ..	Kg.	26·60	6·71	9·75	10·00	14
(4) Katha ..	.. ..	5·36	8·57	12·00	12·00	14
(5) Bidi ..	Katta of 25	21·44	0·16	0·25	0·25	15
(6) Cigarettes ..	Pkt. of 10	8·04	0·15	0·45	0·45	30
(7) Chewing and leafy tobacco.	Kg. ..	10·10	5·00	6·00	6·00	12
Total ..		100·00				
Group I-B. Index ..						*17*
II. Fuel and Light—						
(1) Fire-wood ..	40 kg.	69·55	2·38	4·31	4·31	18
(2) Coke ..	.. ..	5·90	2·88	7·75	7·75	26
(3) Kerosene Oil ..	Litre ..	14·13	0·34	0·69	0·69	20
(4) Electricity Charges..	Unit ..	2·74	0·29	0·36	0·36	12
(5) Coal ..	40 kg. ..	2·61	6·38	12·00	12·00	18
(6) Match box ..	Each (50 sticks)	5·07	0·05	0·07	0·07	14
Total ..		100·00				
Group II Index for Fuel and Light.						*18*
III. Housing—						
Residential House ..		100·00				
Total ..		100·00				13
Group III Index for Housing.						*13*
IV. Clothing, Bedding and Footwear—						
(1) Dhoti—						
(*i*) Empress Mills ..	Pair ..	9·87	12·10	26·16	26·23	22
(*ii*) Model Mills ..	.. ..		10·68	23·94	23·94	
(2) Saree ..	Each ..	36·48	8·09	13·31	13·31	16
(3) Shirting—						
(*i*) Empress Mills ..	M. ..	18·35	1·21	2·69	2·70	25
(*ii*) Model Mills ..	.. ..		1·05	3·09	3·10	
(4) Trouser's Cloth ..	.. ..	3·34	1·43	3·79	3·80	26
(5) Long cloth ..	.. ..	3·06	1·14	3·50	3·51	30
(6) Markin—						
(*i*) Empress Mills ..	.. ..	13·06	1·04	4·06	4·08	
(*ii*) Model Mills ..	.. ..		1·09	3·10	3·10	33
(7) Pyjama ..	Each ..	1·60	4·25	6·75	6·75	
(8) Ganji ..	.. ..	1·25	1·23	1·75	1·75	15
(9) Shirt ..	.. ..	1·60	3·75	6·50	6·50	14
(10) Bed Sheet ..	Pair ..	2·01	8·50	18·28(i)	18·28(i)	17
(11) Shoes (Gents) ..	.. ..	4·17	16·00	28·55	28·55	21
(12) Chappals (Gents) ..	.. ..	4·17	4·96	10·45		17
(13) Sandles (Ladies)						

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	Dec. 1972	Jan. 1973	Dec. 1972	Jan. 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	0·70	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	2·55	2·55	186	186
(2) Barber charges ..	Per Adult ..	38·30	0·50	1·00	1·00	200	200
(3) Toilet soap ..	Per Cake ..	15·80	0·46	0·76	0·76	165	165
(4) Tooth Powder (Medium size).	Bottle ..	2·74	0·87	1·60	1·60	184	184
(5) Ornaments (glass) ..	Dozen ..	4·25	0·75	0·81	0·81	108	108
(6) Watch	Each ..	12·16	65·00	90·00	90·00	138	138
(7) Face powder (small)	Tin ..	2·74	1·00	2·70	2·70	270	270
Total ..		100·00					
Sub-group V (b) Index ..						*181*	*181*
(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	2·35	2·35	118	118
(3) Toy	,, ..	1·02	0·24	0·26	0·26	108	108
(4) Stationery (Ex.-book)	Each (40 pages).	1·79	0·12	0·20	0·20	167	167
(5) Cinema ..	Per Adult ..	56·01	0·42	0·85	0·88	202	210
Total ..		100·00					
						162	*166*

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

Articles	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per Unit of Quantity			Index Numb	
			Basic price	Dec. 1972	Jan. 1973	Dec. 1972	J 19
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
(d) Transport and Communication—							
(1) Railway fare of 80km	Per Passenger ..	45·49	1·61	2·35	2·35	146	
(2) Bus fare ..	Per Adult ..	29·19	0·15	0·25	0·25	167	
(3) Post card ..	Each ..	3·86	0·05	0·10	0·10	200	
(4) Rickshaw charges ..	Per Adult ..	21·46	0·37	0·62	0·62	168	
Total ..		100·00					
Sub-group V (d) Index ..						*159*	
(e) Others—							
(1) Cot	Each ..	5·94	5·50	11·00	11·00	200	
(2) Trunk/Box ..	,, ..	2·05	5·01	8·50	8·50	170	
(3) Earthenware ..	,, ..	2·05	0·30	1·50	1·50	500	
(4) Utensil Aluminium	Kg. ..	4·79	8·50	15·00	15·00	176	
(5) Utensil Brass ..	,, ..	11·42	7·71	18·00	18·00	233	
(6) Laundry charges ..	Per piece ..	9·59	0·12	0·25	0·25	208	
(7) Washing Soap ..	Bar ..	33·11	1·30	2·14	2·14	165	
(8) Tailoring Charges { Shirt ..	Each ..	31·05	0·88	1·62	1·62	192	
{ Blouse	,, ..	..	0·75	1·50	1·50		
Total ..		100·00					
Sub-group V (e) Index ..						*195*	
Miscellaneous—							
(a) Medical care ..		28·00				116	
(b) Personal care and effects.		18·30				181	
(c) Education, Recreation and Amusements.		19·55				162	
(d) Transport and Communication.		12·25				159	
(e) Others		21·90				195	

AURANGABAD

235—A rise of 3 points

In January 1973, the Consumer Price Index Number for Working Class for the Aurangabad Centre with baseyear January to December 1961 equal to 100 was 235 being 3 points higher than that in the preceeding month. The index relates to the standard of life ascertained during the year 1958-59 family living survey at Aurangabad Centre.

The index number for the food group increased by 4 points to 268 due to a rise in the average prices of rice, jowar, karad oil, vanaspati and Zinga.

The index number for the fuel and light group remained stationery at 168.

The six monthly house rent survey ending December 1972 was conducted by the office of the Commissioner of Labour, Bombay. Accordingly the index number for housing increased by 5 points to 194.

The index number for the clothing and footwear group decreased by 3 points to 196 due to a fall in the prices of long cloth and coloured fabrics.

The index number for the Miscellaneous group remained stationary at 177.

FINAL INDEX NUMBER—235.

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	
		Dec. 1972	Jan. 1972
I. Food	60·72	264	268
II. Fuel and Light	7·50	168	168
III. Housing	8·87	189	194
IV. Clothing and Footwear	9·29	199	196
V. Miscellaneous	13·62	177	177
Total ..	100·00		
Consumer Price Index Number ..	....	*232*	*235*

*Details regarding the scope and method of compilation of the index will be found on pages 1130 to 1134 of the March 1966 issue of *Labour Gazette*.

CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBER FOR WORKING CLASS FOR AURANGABAD C

Articles	Unit of quantit	Weigh proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Nu	
			Basic Price	Dec. 1972	Jan. 1973	Dec. 1972	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	
I. Food Group—			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
(a) *Cereals and Cereal Products*—							
(1) Rice ..	Kg. ..	5·40	0·69	1·17	1·21	170	
(2) Wheat ..	,, ..	10·12	0·42	0·88	0·88	210	
(3) Jowar ..	,, ..	30·33	0·38	1·28	1·34	337	
(4) Grinding charges for cereals.	,, ..	2·35	0·02	0·04	0·05	200	
Total ..		48·20					
Index Number sub-group I(a)						*285*	
(b) *Pulses and Pulse Products*—							
(1) Turdal, without husk.	Kg. ..	3·96	0·70	2·51	2·49	359	
(2) Gramdal, Katori.	,, ..	2·05	0·60	1·81	1·77	302	
(3) Moongdal, without husk.	,, ..	1·11	0·71	3·00	3·03	423	
(4) Masurdal Thick grain.	,, ..	0·74	0·64	2·21	2·14	345	
Total ..		7·86					
Index Number sub-group I(b)						*352*	
(c) *Oils and Fats*—							
(1) Groundnut oil Whitish.	½ Ltr.	2·00*	1·07	....	....	....	
(2) Karad Oil ..	,, ..	3·49	1·11	2·71	2·72	244	
(3) Vanaspati Dalda.	½ Kg. (loose)	0·48	1·58	3·18	3·30	201	
Total ..		5·97					
Index Number sub-group I(c)						*241*	
(d) *Mutton, Fish and Eggs*—							
(1) Mutton, Goat meat ..	½ Kg.	4·70	1·26	2·50	2·50	198	
(2) Fish (dry)—							
(a) Bombil ..	Kg. ..	0·24	2·90	5·00	5·00	189	
(b) Zinga ..	,, ..	....	2·13	4·00	4·08		
(c) Nathmi ..	,, ..	....	1·93	4·00	4·08		
Total ..		4·94					
Index Number sub-group I(d).						*198*	

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	Dec. 1972	Jan. 1973	De 1972	Jan. 1973
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
(e) Milk and Milk Products—							
Milk—							
(Buffalo Milk) ..	200 ml. ..	6·65	0·16	0·30	0·30	188	188
Total ..		6·65					
Index Number sub-group I(e).						*188*	*188*
(f) Condiments and Spices—							
(1) Salt—							
White	Kg. ..	0·35	0·11	0·21	0·21	191	191
(2) Turmeric—							
White	250 gms. ..	0·31	0·34	0·78	0·80	229	235
(3) Chillies (dry)—							
Superior quality ..	½ Kg. ..	4·62	0·90	2·60	2·60	289	289
(4) Tamarind ..	,, ..	0·45	0·49	1·22	1·08	249	220
(5) Mixed spices—							
Bojwar	250 gms. ..	1·80	0·42	1·12	1·14	267	271
(6) Jira—							
Thick Blackish (gray).	,, ..	0·30	0·69	1·47	1·47	213	213
Total ..		7·83					
Index Number sub-group I(f).						*272*	*272*
(g) Vegetables and Vegetable Products—							
(1) Potatoes—							
Medium	½ Kg. ..	1·35	0·30	0·48	0·39	160	130
(2) Onions—							
Red	Kg. ..	1·06	0·25	0·75	0·45	300	180
(3) Brinjals—							
Medium ..	½ Kg. ..	0·48	0·24	0·41	0·36	171	150
(4) Tomatoes—							
(1) Red	,, ..	*0·64	0·28	0·50	0·48	175	169
(2) Green ..	,, ..		0·18	0·31	0·30		
(5) Garlic—							
Medium	50 gms. ..	0·68	0·06	0·05	0·05	83	83
Other Vegetables—							
Varieties available in the month of Dec. 1972—							
(*i*) Pankobi ..	½ Kg. ..	1·80	0·22	0·51	....	190	
(*ii*) Phulkobi ..	,, ..	....	0·35	0·52	....		
Varieties available in the month of Jan. 1972—							
(*i*) Pankobi ..	,, ..		0·18	..	0·36		180
(*ii*) Phulkabi ..	,, ..		0·25	..	0·40		
Total ..		6·01					
Index Number sub-group I(g).						*188*	*154*

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	Dec. 1972	Jan. 1973	Dec. 1972	Jan. 1973
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
II. Fuel and Light—							
(1) Firewood and chips-							
(*i*) Mixture ..	37 Kgs. ..	81·82	2·87	4·07	4·07	150	150
(*ii*) Babhool ..	" ..	..	2·80	4·44	4·44		
(2) Kerosene Ordinary..	1 ..	2·44	0·22	0·65	0·65	295	295
(3) Match Box Wimco.. Horse Brand.	Box of 50 Sticks.	5·74	0·06	0·09	0·09	150	150
Total ..		100·00					
Index Number Group II						*168*	*168*
III. Housing—							
Rent—							
House rent for selected tenements.	P.M. ..	100·00				189	194
Total ..		100·00					
Index Number Group III						*189*	*194*
IV. Clothing and Footwear							
(1) Dhoti	Per sq. metre.	6·04	1·07	2·15	2·15	201	201
(2) Saree	" ..	31·57	1·28	2·23	2·23	174	174
(3) Cloth for trousers	" ..	2·51	2·36	4·82	4·82	204	204
(4) Long cloth	" ..	36·63	1·64	3·52	3·44	215	210
(5) Coloured fabric	" ..	18·17	1·86	3·99	3·92	215	211
Total ..		94·92					
Index Number sub-group IV (a).						*200*	*197*
(*b*) *Footwear*—							
Shoes—							
(*i*) Bata Co. ..	Per pair ..	5·08	15·08	28·55	28·55	175	175
(*ii*) Flex Co. ..	" ..	..	19·22	30·75	30·75		
Total ..		5·08					

CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBER FOR WORKING CLASS FOR AURANGABAD C

Articles	Unit of Quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Ind
			Basic Price	Dec. 1972	Jan. 1973	Dec 197
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.	
IV. Clothing and Footwear—contd						
(a) Clothing ..	..	94·92	..	..	..	20
(b) Footwear ..	..	5·08	..	..	..	17
Total ..		100·00				
Index Number Group IV						19
V. Miscellaneous—						
(a) *Pan-supari*—						
(1) Pan leaf— Madras I ..	Bundle of 100 leaves.	3·84	0·50	1·00	0·98	20
(2) Pan Finished— With Masala ..	Bida ..	2·19	0·04	0·08	0·08	20
(3) Supari— Manglori ..	50 gms.	4·36	0·41	0·53	0·53	12
(4) Katha— Kanpur ..	" ..	1·78	0·72	1·25	1·25	17
Total ..		12·17				
Index Number Sub-group V (a)						17
(b) *Tobacco and Tobacco Products*—						
(1) Bidi— Totapuri ..	Bundle ..	15·38	0·15	0·28	0·28	18
(2) Jarda— Hazivazir ..	Packet of 25 gms.	3·18	0·19	0·20	0·20	10
Total ..		18·56				
Index Number Sub-group V (b).						17
(c) *Household Utilities*—						
Utensils Brass— Lota (Poona Market).	Each. ..	2·55	7·18	18·00		

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	Dec. 1972	Jan. 1973	Dec. 1972	Jan. 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	0·14	0·14	117	117
(2) Mixture (Daily) ..	Per day.	7·61	0·68	1·00	1·00	147	147
Total ..		12·28					
Index Number Sub-group V (e).						*136*	*136*
(f) *Personal Care*—							
(1) Hair Oil, Tata Co.	Small bottle.	5·82	1·30	2·58	2·57	198	198
(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	156
(ii) Hamam ..	" ..	..	0·48	0·75	0·75		
(4) Blade Six morning	2pkts. of 5 blades each.	0·33	0·57	0·89	0·89	156	156
Total ..		17·59					
Index Number Sub-group V(f).						*217*	*216*
(g) *Education and Reading*—							
(1) School fees for Std. IX.	Student ..	1·90	3·01	5·54	5·54	184	184
(2) School Books, Prathamik Ganit. (Govt. Publication).	Copy .	1·33	0·62	0·95	0·95	153	153
Total ..		3·23					

CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBER FOR WORKING CLASS FOR AURANGABAD CITY—c

Articles	Unit of Quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Nu
			Basic Price	Dec. 1972	Jan. 1973	Dec. 1972
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.	
(h) *Recreation and Amusement*—						
Cinema						
Lowest class ..	Full ticket.	6·90	0·44	1·05	1·05	239
Total ..		6·90				
Index Number Sub-group V (h).						*239*
(i) *Transport and Communication*—						
(1) Rail—						
Fare for 50 km.. ..	Full ticket	6·19	1·04	1·45	1·45	139
(2) Bus—						
S. T. fare for 30 miles.	"	5·30	1·50	2·20	2·20	147
(3) Postage—						
(1) Post card ..	Per card	1·10	0·05	0·10	0·10	172
(2) Money Order	Rs. 30 ..	..	0·45	0·65	0·65	
Total ..		12·59				
Index Number Sub-group V (i).						*145*
V. Miscellaneous Group—						
(a) Pansupari ..	....	12·17	..			171
(b) Tobacco and Tobacco Products.	....	18·56	..			173
(c) Household utilities ..	....	2·55	..			251
(d) Washing Soap ..	....	14·13	..			159
(e) Medical care ..	....	12·28	..			136
(f) Personal care ..	....	17·59	..			217
(g) Education and Reading.	....	3·23	..			171
(h) Recreation and Amusement.	....	6·90	..			239

NDED*

—A rise of 3 points

January 1973, the Consumer Price Index Number for Working Class for Nanded Centre with base January to December 1961 equal to 100 was 236 g 3 points higher than that in the preceding month. The index relates to standard of life ascertained during the year 1958-59 family living survey he Nanded Centre.

he index number for the food group increased by 5 points to 268 due to an ease in the average prices of jowar, groundnut oil, brinjals, tomatoes, other tables and a rise in the sub-group index number for mutton, fish and eggs.

he index number for the fuel and light group increased by 2 points to 177 to an increase in the average price of kerosene oil.

he six monthly house-rent survey ending December 1972 was conducted he office of the Commissioner of Labour, Bombay in the month of January 3. Accordingly the house rent index number worked out at 141 i.e. the same hat utilised in the previous six months indices.

he index number for the clothing and footwear group decreased by 4 points 09 due to the decrease in the prices of dhoti, cloth for trousers and long h.

he index number for the miscellaneous group remained stationary at 182.

CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBER FOR WORKING CLASS FOR NANDED CITY

(Average prices for the calendar year 1961=100)

Groups	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Group Index Number	
		December 1972	January 1973
I. Food	61·46	263	268
I. Fuel and Light	5·88	175	177
II. Housing	4·62	141	141
V. Clothing and Footwear	12·22	213	209
. Miscellaneous	15·82	182	182
Total ..	100·00		
Consumer Price index Number ..		*233*	*236*

CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBER FOR WORKING CLASS FOR NANDED CITY

Articles	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Basic Price	Dec. 1972	Jan. 1973	Dec. 1972	Jan. 197
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
			Rs. P.	Rs. P,	Rs. P.		
I. Food Group—							
(a) *Cereal and Cereals Product*—							
(1) Rice	Kg. ..	13·02	0·64	1·24	1·20	194	18
(2) Wheat	,, ..	6·81	0·42	0·88	0·88	210	21
(3) Jowar ..	,, ..	30·64	0·34	1·10	1·17	324	34
(4) Grinding charges ..	5 Kgs. ..	2·82	0·13	0·15	0·15	115	11
Total ..		53·29					
Index Number Sub-group I (a).						*266*	*2*
(b) *Pulses and Pulse Products*—							
(1) Turdal— (1) Gawran (medium)	Kg. ..	3·89	0·64	2·30	2·23	359	3
(2) Gramdal Punjab (medium).	.. ..	1·84	0·57	1·79	1·73	314	30
(3) Moongdal— Without husk ..	,, ..	1·55	0·66	2·99	2·98	453	4
(4) Uriddal without husk	,, ..	0·54	0·77	3·21	3·06	417	3
(5) Masurdal— (a) Big	,, ..	0·82	0·61	2·18	2·06	343	3
(b) Medium ..	,, ..	..	0·61	2·00	1·94		
Total ..		8·64					
Index Number Sub-group I (b).						*369*	*3*
(c) *Oils and Fats*—							
(1) Groundnut, Oil Meethatel (Redish in Colour).	Kg. ..	4·84	2·22	5·41	5·58	244	2

NSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBER FOR WORKING CLASS FOR NANDED CITY—contd.

Articles	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Basic price	Dec. 1972	Jan. 1973	Dec. 1972	Jan. 1973
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
n, Fish and							
ion—							
at Meat ..	½ Kg. ..	5·62	1·08	2·50	2·50	220	220
ef ..	Kg. ..	..	0·96	2·00	2·00		
(dry)—							
mbil ..	Kg. ..	0·61	2·46	5·00	5·00		
nga ..	,, ..	..	2·02	4·50	4·50		
(fresh)—							
ies available in 1972—							
Rahu ..	Kg. ..	..	1·86	2·50		187	197
Katerna ..	,, ..	..	1·61	3·00			
ies available in 1973—							
Rahu ..	Kg. ..	..	1·86		2·50		
Katerna ..	,, ..	..	1·32		3·00		
Total ..		6·23					
Number Sub-						*217*	*218*
d).							
nd Milk Pro-							
(Buffalo) ..	200 ml. ..	4·54	0·13	0·30	0·30	231	231
e (Buffalo) ..	½ Kg. ..	0·29	3·01	7·33	7·33	244	244
Total ..		4·83					
Number Sub-						*232*	*232*
e).							
nents and							
white ..	Kg. ..	0·28	0·12	0·20	0·20	167	167
neric Khandaki	50 gms. ..	0·24	0·06	0·17	0·17	283	283
lies (dry)—							
warani (fine) ..	Kg. ..	4·22	1·30	4·86	4·33	372	329
awarani (med.)	,, ..	..	1·18	4·36	3·83		
arind, Kadiwali	200 gms. ..	0·77	0·25	0·42	0·43	168	172
d spices Bojwar	50 gms. ..	1·61	0·20	0·25	0·25	125	125
Total ..		7·12					
Number Sub-						*283*	*258*

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

Articles	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Numb	
			Basic Price	Dec. 1972	Jan. 1973	Dec. 1972	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
(g) Vegetable and Vegetable Products—							
(1) Potatoes—							
(*i*) Big size ..	½ Kg. ..	0·69	0·30	0·48	0·41	157	
(*ii*) Small size ..	,, ..	..	0·26	0·40	0·36		
(2) Onions—							
(*i*) Red ..	Kg. ..	0·97	0·31	0·87	0·53	318	
(*ii*) White ..	,, ..	..	0·31	1·10	0·67		
(3) Brinjals (Kali) ..	250 gms. ..	0·50	0·11	0·10	0·16	91	
(4) Tomatoes—							
(*i*) Red ..	250 gms. ..	0·39	0·21	0·20	0·24	94	
(*ii*) Green ..	,, ..	..	0·13	0·12	0·11		
(5) Garlic Gawathan ..	50 gms. ..	0·54	0·05	0·07	0·06	140	
Other vegetables—							
Varieties available in the month of Dec. 1972—							
(*i*) Gawar ..	250 gms. ..	1·20	0·10	0·22		223	
(*ii*) Cauli Flower ..	,, ..	..	0·15	0·34			
Varietie available in the month of Jan. 1973—							
(*i*) Cauli flower ..	250 gms. ..	..	0·08		0·28		
(*ii*) Gawar Phalli ..	,, ..	..	0·04		0·24		
Total ..		4·29					
Index Number Sub-group I(g).						*196*	
(h) Fruits and Fruit Products—							
(1) Banana—							
(*i*) Big size ..	Dozen ..	0·87	0·35	1·04	1·00	293	
(*ii*) Medium ..	,, ..	..	0·29	0·84	0·80		
(*iii*) Small ..	,, ..	..	0·22	0·64	0·60		
Total ..		0·87					
Index Number Sub-group I (h).						*293*	
(i) Sugar, Honey and Related Products—							
(1) Sugar—							
(*i*) D grade ..	Kg. ..	3·57	1·17	2·15	2·15	184	
(2) Gur—							
(*i*) Gawran 1st quality	200 gms. ..	0·70	0·10	0·40	0·38	400	
(*ii*) Gawran 2nd quality	,, ..	..	0·10				
Total ..		4·27					
Index Number Sub-group I(i).						*219*	

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

Articles	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Basic price	Dec. 1972	Jan. 1973	Dec. 1972	Jan. 1973
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
Beverages—							
(a) Tea leaf—							
(1) Brooke Bond ..	Packet of 50 gms.	1·13	0·35	0·55	0·55	157	157
(2) Lipton ..	,,	..	0·35	0·55	0·55		
(b) Hot drink—							
(1) Chalu Chaha ..	Per Cup ..	4·49	0·07	0·15	0·15	232	232
(2) Canteen tea ..	,, ..	..	0·04	0·10	0·10		
Total ..		5·62					
Group Number Sub-Group I(j).						*217*	*217*
Food Group—							
(1) Cereals and Cereal Products.		53·29	..			266	277
(2) Pulses and Pulse Products.		8·64	..			369	358
(3) Oils and Fats ..		4·84	..			244	251
(4) Mutton, Fish and Eggs.		6·23	..			217	218
(5) Milk and Milk Products.		4·83	..			232	232
(6) Condiments and Spices.		7·12	..			283	258
(7) Vegetable and Vegetable Products.		4·29	..			196	240
(8) Fruits and Fruit Products.		0·87	..			293	278
(9) Sugar, Honey and Related Products.		4·27	..			219	216
(10) Beverages ..		5·62	..			217	217
Total ..		100·00					
Group Number for Food Group I.						*263*	*268*
Fuel and Light—							
(1) Firewood and Chips (a) Dhawda (old) ..	20 Kgs. ..	80·76	1·66	2·82	2·82	165	165
(b) Gaheri ..	,, ..	..	1·57	2·50	2·50		
(2) Kerosene— (a) Rock oil white in colour.	Per litre ..	13·99	0·26	0·65	0·69	250	265
(3) Match Box— (a) Wimco, Horse Brand.	Per Box (50 sticks).	5·25	0·06	0·08	0·08	133	133

CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBER FOR WORKING CLASS FOR NANDED CITY—

Articles	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index
			Basic price	Dec. 1972	Jan. 1973	Dec. 1972
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.	
III. Housing Rent—						
(1) Rent of selected Tenements.	p.m. ..	100·00	5·47	..	..	141
Total ..		100·00				
Index Number for Group III.						*141*
IV. Clothing and Footwear—						
(a) *Clothing*—						
(1) Dhoti ..	Per Sq. Metre.	11·53	1·03	2·34	2·15	217
(2) Saree	,,	19·77	1·24	2·02	2·06	163
(3) Cloth for Trousers	,,	1·58	2·74	5·24	5·14	191
(4) Long cloth ..	,, ..	27·48	1·44	3·55	3·42	247
(5) Coloured fabrics..	,, ..	31·21	1·81	4·05	4·05	224
Total ..		91·57				
Index Number for sub-group IV(a).						*216*
(b) *Footwear*—						
(1) Shoes—						
(i) Bata, Janata ..	Per Pair ..	4·89	15·02	28·55	28·55	173
(ii) Carona Master Junior.	,, ..	..	18·34	28 55	28·55	
(2) Chappals—						
(i) Bata All wear Rubber Sole.	Per Pair ..	3·54	4·45	10·45	10·45	
(ii) Panther Bata ..	,, ..	..	6·18	10·45	10·45	187
(iii) Carona Kolhapur	,, ..	..	8·35	14·65	14·65	
(iv) Carona Bahadur	,, ..	..	8·65	14·65	14·65	
Total ..		8·43				
Index Number for Sub-group IV(b).						*179*
IV. Clothing and Footwear—						
(a) Clothing ..		91·57				216
(b) Footwear ..		8·43				179

ONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBER FOR WORKING CLASS FOR NANDED CITY—contd.

Articles	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Basic Price	Dec. 1972	Jan. 1973	Dec. 1972	Jan. 1973
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
ellaneous—							
supari—							
n leaf—							
Local medium ..	Bundle of 25 leaves.	2·83	0·07	0·20	0·20	330	330
Local inferior ..	,, ..	....	0·04	0·15	0·15		
n finished without la.	Per Vida.	6·61	0·04	0·05	0·05	125	125
pari Manglori ..	50 gms.	4·22	0·41	0·45	0·44	110	107
Total ..		13·66					
Number for Sub-p V (a).						*163*	*162*
bacco and Tobacco ucts—							
li Kalilakali ..	Bundle of 25 Bidies.	9·00	0·13	0·21	0·21	162	162
garettes—							
Golkonda ..	Packet of 10 Cigarettes.	6·34	0·10	0·32	0·32	322	322
Charminar ..	,, ..	..	0·13	0·42	0·42		
da Lal Dadhi d.	Packet of 25 grms.	1·63	0·14	0·25	0·25	179	179
Total ..		16·97					
Number for Sub-p V(b).						*223*	*223*
usehold Utilities—							
ensils Brass— , Poona ..	Kg. ..	1·90	7·80	18·00	18·00	231	231
ensils Alumi-n—Baghuna with-chhap.	100 gms.	0·69	0·90	1·13	1·13	126	126
Total ..		2·59					
Number for Sub-p V (c).						*203*	*203*
shing soap—							
undry ordinary ing and ironing.	Per shirt.	3·74	0·12	0·20	0·20	167	167
shing soap Shama hing soap. ..	Per Cake.	6·52	0·25	0·25	0·25	100	100

CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBER FOR WORKING CLASS FOR NANDED CITY—c

Articles	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index
			Basic Price	Dec. 1972	Jan. 1973	Dec. 1972
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
			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
(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
Total ..		14·83				
Index Number for Sub-group V (e).						*126*
(f) *Personal Care*—						
(1) Hair Oil—						
(i) Tata Co. Coconut Oil.	Small bottle.	4·20	1·34	2·55	2·55	190
(2) Barber charges—						
(i) Hair cut with shave	Adult ..	7·20	0·41	1·00	1·00	257
(ii) Hair cut ..	"	....	0·31	0·75	0·75	
(iii) Shave ..	" ..	....	0·14	0·40	0·40	
(3) Toilet soap—						
(i) Hamam ..	Cake ..	1·93	0·48	0·75	0·75	156
(ii) Lifebuoy ..	" ..	....	0·48	0·75	0·75	
(4) Blades—						
(i) Bharat ..	Packet of 10 blades.	0·07	0·47	0·90	0·90	188
(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*
(g) *Education and Reading*—						
(1) School fees for VIII Standard.	Per student	3·30	2·14	4·90	4·90	229
(2) School Books—						
(i) Marathi Vachan Mala.	Per copy	3·43	0·75	2·00	2·00	202
(ii) Subodh Ganit ..	"	....	0·69	0·95	0·95	
Total ..		6·73				
Index Number for Sub-group V (g).						*215*
(h) *Recreation and Amusement*—						
(1) Cinema— ..						
Lowest Class	Full	6·62	0·30	0·75	0·75	250

ER PRICE INDEX NUMBER FOR WORKING CLASS FOR NANDED CITY—concld.

ices	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quanitity			Index Number	
			Basic Price	Dec. 1972	Jan. 1973	Dec. 1972	Jan. 1973
	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
and Com-							
or III Class	Adult Ticket.	7·94	1·04	1·45	1·45	139	139
S.T. Bus fare niles.	,,	3·14	1·00	1·55	1·55	155	155
..	Single	0·57	0·05	0·10	0·10	172	172
Charges for		....	0·45	0·65	0·65		
w Fare for	One Passger.	3·29	0·22	0·50	0·50	227	227
Total ..		14·94					
						163	*163*
er for Sub-).							
ous—							
ri ..		13·66	..	..	..	163	162
and Tabacco		16·97	..	..	..	223	223
ld Utilities..		2·59	..	..	..	203	203
soap ..		10·26	..	..	..	124	124
care ..		14·83	..	..	..	126	126
care ..		13·40	..	..	..	221	221
on and Read-		6·73	..	..	..	215	215
n and ne,		6·62	..	..	..	250	250
t and Com-on.		14·94	..	..	..	163	163
Total ..		100·00					
for Group V						*182*	*182*

JALGAON*

217—A fall of 1 point

In January 1973, the Consumer Price Index Number for Working C Jalgaon City with base calendar year 1961 equal to 100 was 217 being lower than that in the preceding month. The index relates to the consu of a pattern revealed during the year 1958-59 family living survey for city.

The index number for the food group decreased by 2 points to 245 fall in the average prices of turdal, gramdal, uriddal, fresh fish, p onions, other vegetable, banana and gur.

The index number for the fuel and light group remained stationary a

The six monthly house rent survey ending December 1972 was co by the office of the Commissioner of Labour, Bombay, in Januar Accordingly the index number for this group has increased by 4 points

The index number for the clothing and footwear group has increas point to 194 due to a rise in the prices of saree and long cloth.

The index number for the miscellaneous group remained stationary

Final Index Number:—217

CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBER FOR WORKING CLASS FO JALGAON CITY

(Average price for the calendar year 1961=100)

Groups	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Group Index N	
		December 1972	Ja
I. Food	60·79	247	
II. Fuel and Light	7·20	184	
III. Housing	6·11	133	
IV. Clothing and Footwear	10·29	193	
V. Miscellaneous	15·61	171	
Total ..	100·00		

CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBERS FOR WORKING CLASS FOR JALGAON CITY

Articles	Unit of Quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Basic Price	Dec. 1972	Jan. 1973	Dec. 1972	Jan. 1973
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
I. Food Group—							
(a) *Cereals and Cereal Products*—							
(1) Rice ..	kg. ..	6·72	0·63	1·18	1·28	187	203
(2) Wheat ..	" ..	10·89	0·46	0·88	0·88	191	191
(3) Jowar ..	" ..	21·16	0·35	1·14	1·14	326	326
(4) Grinding charges— For cereals ..	7 kgs.	1·94	0·12	0·35	0·35	292	292
Total ..		40·71					
Index Number for Sub-group I (a).						*265*	*268*
(b) *Pulses and Pulse Products*—							
(1) Turdal—							
(i) Jalna ..	kg. ..	3·79	0·73	2·39	27	327	311
(ii) Gawran (Bharwa)	" ..	..	0·66	....	....	..	..
(2) Gramdal ..	" ..	2·13	0·58	1·77	1·69	305	291
(3) Moongdal—							
(i) With husk ..	kg. ..	1·35	0·70	....	2·80	357	378
(ii) Without husk ..	" ..	..	0·83	2·96	2·96		
(4) Uriddal—							
(i) With husk ..	kg. ..	0·86	0·65	2·88	2·80	411	396
(ii) Without husk ..	" ..	..	0·83	3·14	3·00		
Total ..		8·13					
Index Number for Sub-group I (b).						*335*	*326*
(c) *Oils and Fats*—							
(1) Groundnut oil ..	kg. ..	7·21	2·28	5·52	5·60	242	246
(2) Vanaspati Dalda (loose) ..	½ kg. ..	1·16	1·99	3·12	3·28	157	165
Total ..		8·37					

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

Articles	Unit of Quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Basic Price	Dec 1972	Jan. 1973	Dec. 1972	Jan. 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	2·75	2·75	190	190
(2) Fish (dry)—							
(i) Bombil big ..	kg. ..	0·91	2·72	6·00	6·50		
(ii) Zinga ..	,, ..	..	2·70	5·00	5·50		
(3) fish fresh—							
Varieties selected for Dec. 1972—							
(i) Balm ..	,, ..	..	1·35	3·00			
(ii) Shingda ..	,, ..	..	1·50	3·00			
(iii) Sandkhol ..	,, ..	..	1·40	3·00		208	182
Varieties selected for Jan. 1973—							
(i) Shingda ..	,, ..	..	2·68		3·00		
(ii) Rahu ..	kg. ..	..	2·45		4·00		
(iii) Balm ..	,, ..	..	1·56		3·00		
Total ..		5·29					
Index Number for Sub-group I (d).						*193*	*188*
(e) Milk and Milk products—							
(1) Milk (Buffalo) ..	1. ..	8·42	0·77	1·50	1·55	195	201
(2) Ghee (Buffalo) ..	½ kg. ..	1·31	3·71	7·50	7·50	202	202
Total ..		9·73					
Index Number for Sub-group I (e).						*196*	*201*
(f) Condiments and Spices—							
(1) Salt—							
(i) White ..	kg. ..	0·29	0·13	0·22	0·22		
(ii) Black ..	,, ..	..	0·12	0·21	0·22	172	176
(2) Turmeric— (i) Sangli (whole)	250 g.	0·30	0·34	0·75	0·75	221	221
(3) Chillies (dry)—							
(i) Asoda ..	kg. ..	4·56	1·65	4·81	4·81	292	292
(4) Coriander ..	250 g. ..	0·24	0·31	0·58	0·59	187	190
(5) Mixed spices—							
(i) Garam Masala (whole). ..	,, ..	1·86	4·95	11·22	11·22		
(ii) Lahoti powder ..	200 gr. ..	..	1·79	1·72	1·72	161	161
(6) Jira ..	250 gr. ..	0·37	0·68	1·52	1·52	224	224

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

Articles	Unit of Quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Basic Price	Dec. 1972	Jan. 1973	Dec. 1972	Jan. 1973
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
Vegetable and Vegetable Products—							
(i) Potatoes—							
(i) Big	½kg. ..	1·15	0·28	0·46	0.36	168	125
(ii) Small ..	,, ..	..	0·24	0·41	0·29		
(i) Onions—							
(i) Red	kg. ..	0·86	0·27	0·77	0·42	313	180
(ii) White ..	,, ..	..	0·27	0·92	0·55		
(i) Garlic	250 g. ..	0·54	0·20	0·42	0·50	210	250
(i) Other Vegetables *dieties selected for ec. 1972—*							
(i) Cabbage ..	250 g. ..	2·92	0·09	0·21		229	
(ii) Dodka ..	,, ..	..	0·10	0·23			
(iii) Gourd ..	,, ..	..	0·08	0·18			
dieties selected for n. 1973—							
(i) Brinjal ..	,, ..	..	0·11		0·11		172
(ii) Cabbage ..	,, ..	..	0·06		0·15		
(iii) Cauliflower ..	,, ..	..	0·06		0·10		
Total ..		5·47					
dex Number for Sub-oup I (g).						*228*	*171*
Fruits and Fruit products—							
(i) Banana—							
(i) Big	dozen ..	1·61	0·29	0·77	0·74	263	258
(ii) Small ..	,, ..	..	0·23	0·60	0·60		
Total ..		1·61					
dex Number for Sub-oup I (h).						*263*	*258*
Sugar, Honey and lated products—							
(i) Sugar	kg. ..	5·60	1·23	2·30	2·35	187	191
(ii) Gur—							
(i) Kopargaon 1st Quality.	,, ..	1·63	0·57	2·26	2·07	396	363
Total ..		7·23					
dex Number for Sub-oup I(i).						*234*	*230*

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

Articles	Unit of Quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Basic Price	Dec. 1972	Jan. 1973	Dec. 1972	Jan. 1973
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
) *Beverages*—							
1) Tea leaf—							
(*i*) Brooke Bond Putli Brand.	Pkt. of 50g.	2·11	0·40	0·60	0·60	148	148
(*ii*) Lipton Laojee Lable.	,, ..	..	0·41	0·60	0·60		
2) Hot drink— Prepared tea ..	Cup of 3½ ozs.	3·73	0·12	0·25	0·25	208	208
Total ..		5·84					
dex Number for Sub-roup I(i):						*187*	*187*
Food—							
a) Cereals and Cereal Products.	....	40·71	..			265	268
b) Pulses and Pulse Products.	....	8·13	..			335	326
c) Oils and Fats ..	....	8·37	..			230	234
d) Mutton, Fish and Eggs.	....	5·29	..			193	188
e) Milk and Milk Products.	....	9·73	..			196	201
f) Condiments and Spices.	....	7·62	..			246	246
g) Vegetables and Vegetable Products.	....	5·47	..			228	171
h) Fruits and Fruit Products.	....	1·61	..			263	258
i) Sugar, Honey and related Products.	....	7·23	..			234	230
j) Beverages ..	....	5·84	..			187	187
Total ..		100·00					
dex Number for food roup.						*247*	*245*
Fuel and Light—							
1) Firewood and chips—							
(*i*) Khair.. ..	37 kgs. ..	78·50	3·39	6·50	6·50	199	199
(*ii*) Dhawda ..	,, ..	..	3·15	6·50	6·50		
(*iii*) Adjator Mixed ..	,, ..	..	2·71	5·40	5·39		
2) Kerosene— (*i*) Chakkar Brand ...	1 ..	11·40	0·45	0·65	0·65	144	144
3) Electricity charge ..	Per unit ..	6·28	0·50	0·36	0·36	72	72
4) Match Box— Horsehead brand Box of 50 sticks.	Box of 50 sticks,	3·82	0·06	0·10	0·10	167	167
Total ..		100·00					
dex Number for Group II							

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

Articles	Unit of Quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Basic Price	Dec. 1972	Jan. 1973	Dec. 1972	Jan. 1973
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
III. Housing—							
(1) Rent—							
(i) Rent for selected tenements.	p.m. ..	100·00				133	137
Total ..		100·00					
Index Number for III Group.						*133*	*137*
IV. Clothing and Foot-wear—							
(a) *Clothing*—							
(1) Dhoti	per sq. mt.	17·82	1·23	2·44	2 44	198	198
(2) Saree	,, ..	27·15	1·24	1·82	1·87	147	151
(3) Cloth for trouser ..	,, ..	0·51	2·15	5·04	5·00	234	233
(4) Long cloth ..	,, ..	32·06	1·61	3·78	3·80	235	236
(5) Coloured poplin ..	,, ..	14·36	2·13	4·16	4·12	195	193
Total ..		91·90					
Index Number for Sub-group IV (a).						*196*	*197*
(b) *Footwear*—							
(1) Shoes—							
(i) Bata Co. ..	per pair ..	3·53	17·20	29·65	29·65	162	162
(ii) Carona Co. ..	,, ..	....	18·78	28·55	28·55		
(2) Chappals—							
(i) Bata Co. ..	,, ..	4·57	6·25	10·45	10·45	167	167
Total ..		8·10					
Index Number for Sub-group IV (b).						*165*	*165*
IV. Clothing and Foot-wear—							
(1) Clothing ..		91·90				196	197
(2) Foot wear ..		8·10				165	165
Total ..		100·00					
Index Number for Group IV.						*193*	*194*
V. Miscellaneous—							
(a) *Pan Supari*—							
(1) Pan leaf—							
(i) Akda pan ..	Bundle of 100	2·01	0·55	0·50	0·65	91	118
(2) Pan finished— With Masala ..	Vida ..	5·39	0·04	0·05	0·05	125	125
(3) Supari (Manglori) ..	250 g.	2·81	2·08	2·49	2·45	120	118
(4) Katha —							
(i) Kanpur ..	50 g. ..	0·85	0·73	1·18	1·18	177	177
(ii) Belgaum ..	,, ..	....	0·36	0·69	0·69		
Total ..		11·06					
Index Number for Sub-group V (a).						*121*	*126*

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

Articles	Unit of Quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Basic price	Dec. 1972	Jan. 1972	Dec. 1972	Jan. 1972
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
(b) Tobacco and Tobacco Products—							
(1) Bidies—							
(i) Camel brand ..	Bundle of 25.	5·80	0·19	0·35	0·35	171	171
(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).						*195*	*195*
(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 ironings 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	2·10	162	162
(ii) B. Dhantak Co. ..	Cake ..	....	0·40	0·70	0·70		
Total ..		9·98					
Index Number for Sub-group V (d).						*172*	*172*
(e) Medical Care—							
(1) Dr. Vaze's Cough syrup.	Small bottle.	3·80	1·50	1·65	1·65	110	110
(2) Daily mixture ..	per day ..	11·98	0·58	0·62	0·62	107	107
Total ..		15·78					
Index Number for Sub-group V (e).						*108*	*108*

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

Articles	Unit of quantity	Weight Proportional to total Expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Basic price	Dec. 1972	Jan. 1973	Dec. 1972	Jan. 1973
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
(f) Personal care—							
(1) Hair oil—							
Tata Co. ..	Small bottle	4·89	1·32	2·70	2·70	205	205
(2) Barber charges—							
(i) Hair cut with shave	Adult ..	7·32	0·50	1·25	1·25		
(ii) Hair cut ..	,, ..	..	0·40	1·00	1·00	217	217
(iii) Shave ..	,, ..	..	0·20	0·30	0·30		
(3) Toilet Soap—							
(i) Life Buoy ..	Cake ..	3·02	0·48	0·75	0·75	155	155
(ii) Hamam cake ..	,, ..	..	0·49	0·75	0·75		
(4) Blades—							
(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					
Index Number or Sub-group V (f).						*200*	*200*
(g) Education and Reading.—							
(1) Books—							
(Bal Bharati Chauthe Pustak.)	Copy ..	5·42	0·75	2·00	2·00	267	267
(2) School fees—							
For VIII Std. ..	Per student p.m.	3·46	5·00	5·00	5·00	100	100
Total ..		8·88					
Index Number for Sub-group V (g).						*202*	*202*
(h) Recreation and Amusement—							
(1) Cinema (Lowest class)	Adult ..	6·69	0·32	0·78	0·78	244	244
Total ..		6·69					
Index Number for Sub-group V (h)						*244*	*244*
(i) Transport and Communication.—							
(1) Rail—							
Railway fare 50 km...	Per Passenger	12·48	0·98	1·45	1·45	148	148
(2) Bus fare—							
S.T. Bus 32 km. (Full ticket)	,, ..	4·09	1·00	1·55	1·55	155	155
(3) Postage—							
(i) Single card ..	per card	1·08	0·05	0·10	0·10	172	172
(ii) M. O. charges. Rs. 30		..	0·45	0·65	0·65		
Total ..		17·65					
Index Number for Sub-group V (i).						*151*	*151*

CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBER FOR WORKING CLASS FOR JALGAON CITY—concld.

Articles	Unit of Quanity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quanity			Index Number	
			Basic price	Dec. 1972	Jan. 1973	Dec. 1972	Jan. 1973
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
V. Miscellaneous—							
(a) Pan-Supari ..	....	11·06	....	....	....	121	126
(b) Tobacco and Tobacco Products.	....	9·34	....	....	....	195	195
(c) Household Utilities..	....	5·28	....	....	....	257	257
(d) Washing Soap ..	....	9·98	....	....	....	172	172
(e) Medical Care ..	....	15·78	....	....	....	108	103
(f) Personal Care ..	....	15·34	....	....	....	200	200
(g) Education and Reading.	....	8·88	....	....	....	202	202
(h) Recreation and Amusement.	....	6·69	....	....	....	244	244
(i) Transport and Communications.	....	17·65	....	....	....	151	151
Total ..		100·00					
Index Number for Group V.						*171*	*17*

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200—A fall of 1 point

In January, 1973, the Consumer Price Index Number for working Class for Poona City with base calendar year 1961 equal to 100 was 200 being 1 point lower than that in the preceding month. The index relates to the consumption of a pattern revealed during the year 1958-59 family living survey for Poona City.

The index number for the food group decreased by 1 point to 224 due to a fall in the average prices of rice, turdal, gramdal, moongdal, potatoes, onions, bringals, tomatoes, and tea-leaf.

The index number for the fuel and light group remained stationary at 191.

The six monthly house rent survey ending December 1972 was conducted by the office at the Commissioner of Labour, Bombay in January 1973. Accordingly, the index number for this group increased by 7 points to 124.

The index number for the clothing and footwear group remained stationary at 186.

The index number for the miscellaneous group remained stationary at 170.

Final index number—200

CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBERS FOR WORKING CLASS FOR POONA CITY

(Average prices for the calendar year 1961=100)

Groups	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Group Index Numbers	
		December 1972	January 1973
I. Food	55·85	225	224
II. Fuel and Light	6·89	191	191
III. Housing	6·65	117	124
IV Clothing and Footwear	10·31	186	186
V. Miscellaneous	20·30	170	170
Total ..	100·00		

CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBERS FOR WORKING CLASS FOR POONA CITY

Articles	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Basic price	Dec. 1972	Jan. 1973	Dec. 1972	Jan. 1973
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
I. Food Group—							
(a) *Cereals and Cereal Products*—							
(1) Rice ..	kg. ..	13·81	0·76	1·32	1·23	174	162
(2) Wheat ..	" ..	11·28	0·53	0·90	0·90	170	170
(3) Jowar ..	" ..	8·39	0·45	1·24	1·24	276	276
(4) Bajri ..	" ..	3·08	0·51	1·32	1·33	259	261
(5) Grinding Charges—							
For Cereals ..	4 kg. ..	1·42	0·14	0·32	0·32	229	229
Total ..		37·98					
Index Number for Sub-group I (a).						*204*	200
(b) *Pulses and Pulse Products*—							
Turdal— ..							
Laxmi Chhap or Surti (Fine) ..	kg. ..	3·80	0·80	2·71	2·59	339	324
Gramdal ..	" ..	1·81	0·60	1·92	1·84	320	307
Mungdal—							
Without Husk (Medium) ..	"	0·68	0·82	3·08	3·07	376	374
Total ..		6·29					

NSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBERS FOR WORKING CLASS FOR POONA CITY—contd.

Articles	Unit of Quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure		Price per unit of quantity		Index Number	
			Basic Price	Dec. 1972	Jan. 1973	Dec. 1972	Jan. 1973
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
				Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
ls and Fats—							
oundnut oil ..	kg. ..	1·94	2·32	5·85	5·83	252	251
radai oil ..	½ kg. ..	3·94	1·20				
naspati (Dalda) ..	,, ..	1·22	1·66	2·91	3·09	175	186
(Loose)							
Total ..		7·10					
number for Sub-						239	240
I (c).							
utton, Fish and							
ons—							
at Meat ..	½ kg. ..	3·68	1·51	2·97	3·00	197	198
eep Meat ..	,, ..	....	1·52	3·00	3·00		
(Dry)—							
mbil (Big) ..	kg. ..	1·01	2·60	5·24	5·50		
mbil (Small) ..	,, ..	....	2·46	5·24	5·48		
ga	,, ..	....	2·57	4·00	4·83		
Fish—							
ties selected in month of Dec. 72—							
Pamphlet ..	kg. ..	....	2·63	5·12		210	277
Bombay Wamb ..	,, ..	....	1·30	4·05			
) Surmai ..	,, ..	....	2·58	4·69			
ties selected in the nth of Jan. 73—							
Butter fish ..	kg. ..	....	1·13		4·17		
Khawala ..	,, ..	....	1·17		4·80		
) Rowas ..	,, ..	....	1·92		5·05		
gs (Hen's) ..	Each ..	0·57	0·17	0·34	0·35	200	206
Total ..		5·26					
Number for Sub-						200	214
I (d)							
lk and Milk							
ucts—							
ilk buffalo ..	200 ml. ..	10·66	0·15	0·32	0·32	213	213
ee Amul (tinned) ..	kg. ..	0·93	7·88	15·77	15·98	200	203
Total ..		11·59					
						212	212

SUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBERS FOR WORKING CLASS FOR POONA CITY —contd.

Articles	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Basic price	Dec. 1972	Jan. 1973	Dec. 1972	Jan. 1973
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
ar, Honey and ted Products—							
r ..	Kg. ..	6·29	1·18	2·46	2·64	208	244
..	.. ..	1·20	0·58	2·20	2·14	379	369
Total ..		7·49					
Number Sub-I(i)						*236*	*247*
erages—							
leaf—							
ooke Bond (Medium).	Packet of 50 gs.	3·43	0·38	0·60	0·60	158	156
pton (Medium)	.. ..	..	0·39	0·62	0·60		
drinks—							
ared Tea ..	Cup of 3½ gs.	5·23	0·06	0·15	0·15	250	250
Total ..		8·66					
Number Sub-I(j).						*214*	*213*
d Sub-groups—							
reals and Cereal roducts.	....	37·98	..	..	..	204	200
lses and pulse roducts.	....	6·29	..	..	..	337	324
ls and Fats ..	....	7·10	..	..	..	239	240
utton, Fish and gs.	....	5·26	..	..	..	200	214
ilk and Milk roducts.	....	11·59	..	..	..	212	212
ndiments and ices.	....	5·86	..	..	..	289	290
egetables and egetable Pro-ucts.	....	8·54	..	..	..	224	217
uits and Fruits roducts.	....	1·23	..	..	..	200	201
gar, Honey and ated Products.	....	7·49	..	..	..	236	247
verages ..	....	8·66				214	213
Total ..		100·00					

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

Articles	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Basic Price	Dec. 1972	Jan. 1973	Dec. 1972	Jan. 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	6·07	6·07	197	197
(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	13·60	13·60	184	184
(ii) Patti or Rawal ..	" ..	..	5·63	10·44	10·44		
(5) Match box (Tekkса, 50 sticks).	Box ..	3·53	0·05	0·10	0·10	200	200
Total ..		100·00					
Index Number Group (II)						*191*	*191*
III. Housing—							
(2) Rent for selected tenements.	Per month.	100·00				117	124
Total .		100·00					
Index Number Group (III)						*117*	*124*
IV. Clothing and Footwear—							
(a) *Clothing*—							
(1) Dhoti ..	Per sq. metre.	3·57	1·28	2·41	2·42	188	189
(2) Saree ..	" ..	29·86	1·28	2·02	2·02	158	158
(3) Cloth for trousers ..	" ..	5·25	2·62	5·28	5·04	202	192
(4) Long cloth ..	" ..	11·76	1·64	3·62	3·65	221	223
(5) Coloured Poplin ..	" ..	40·44	2·25	4.39	4·41	195	196
Total ..		90·88					
Index Number Sub-Group (IV) (a).						*186*	*186*
(b) *Footwear*—							
(1) Shoes							
(i) Bata Co.	Per Pair ..	4·27	17·14	29·65	29·65	174	174
(ii) Flex Co. ..	" ..		19·30	33·95	33·95		
(2) Chappals—							
(i) Bata Co. ..	" ..	4·85	6·18	10·00	10·00		183

SUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBERS FOR WORKING CLASS FOR POONA CITY—contd.

ticles	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Basic Price	Dec. 1972	Jan. 1973	Dec. 1972	Jan. 1973
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
ing and Foot-ıtd.							
ing ..		90·88				186	186
wear ..		9·12				179	179
Total ..		100·00					
ter Group (IV).						*186*	*186*
llaneous—							
upari—							
leaf—							
awran. Kachhi	100 ..	1·08	0·33	1·04	1·02	315	309
Finished—							
Poona Masala	Each vida ..	1·82	0·04	0·10	0·10	250	250
ari—							
anglori ..	50 gs. ..	1·57	0·45	0·56	0·57	124	127
Total ..		4·47					
nber Sub-group						*222*	*221*
co and Tobacco							
s—							
ies—							
harbhai ..	Bundle of 25 bidies.	2·56	0·15	0·30	0·30	200	200
awar ..	,, ..		0·15	0·30	0·30		
arettes—							
harminar ...	Pkt. of 10 Cigarettes	1·94	0·15	0·47	0·47	282	282
ila Hathi ..	,, ..		0·20	0·50	0·50		
ving Tobacco—							
koli Jarda No. 1	50 gs. ..	1·92	0·37	0·50	0·50	152	152
koli Jarda No. 2	,, ..		0·28	0·45	0·45		
atara Jarda ..	,, ..		0·31	0·50	0·50		
Total ..		6·42					
nber Sub-group						*210*	*210*
e-hold Utilities							
Brass—							
a ..	kg. ..	4·76	7·14	16·33	15·83	229	222

CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBERS FOR WORKING CLASS FOR POONA CITY—c

Articles	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index N
			Basic Price	Dec. 1972.	Jan. 1973	Dec. 1972.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.	
(d) *Washing Soap*—						
(1) Laundry charges (Ordinary. Washing and Ironing).	Per Piece ..	4·23	0·13	0·25	0·25	192
(2) Washing Soap BB Chhap.	Cake ..	7·37	0·40	0·71	0·72	178
Total ..		11 60				
Index Number Sub-Group V(d)						*183*
(e) *Medical Care*—						
(1) Patent Medicine—						
(i) Glycodine Terfl Vasaka.	Bottle of 70 ml.	17·37	1·89	2·64	2·64	124
(ii) Anacin ..	2 Tablets ..	..	0·12	0·13	0·13	
(2) Mixture, Daily Mixture.	Per Day ..	1·35	0·57	0·73	0·73	128
Total ..		18·72				
Index Number Sub-group V(e).						*124*
(f) *Personal Care*—						
(1) Hair oil Tata etc. ..	Small Bottle	3·37	1·34	2·74	2·74	204
(2) Barber charges—						
(a) Haircut with shave	Per Adult	6·52	0·75	1·42	1·42	
(b) Haircut ..	Per Adult	..	0·65	1·08	1·08	173
(c) Shave ..	Per Adult	..	0·20	0·33	0·33	
(3) Toilet Soap—						
(a) Lifebuoy ..	Cake ..	2·29	0·49	0·75	0·75	154
(b) Lux ..	Cake ..	..	0·49	0·76	0·78	
(4) Tooth Powder—						
(a) Bytco (Family size)	Bottle ..	1·98	1·87	3·25	3·25	184
(b) Bytco (Small size)	Bottle ..	..	0·46	0·89	0·89	
(5) Blades—						
(a) Bharat ..	Packet of 10	0·04	0·43	0·90	0·90	180
(b) 6° Morning ..	2 Packet of 5 each.	..	0·60	0·90	0·90	
Total ..		14·20				
Index Number Sub-group V (f).						*179*
(g) *Education and Reading*—						
(1) School Fees for Std. VIII.	Per month	8·86	4·85	5·17	5·17	107
(2) School Books—Std. VIII—						
(i) Sahitya sarita ..	Per Copy	2·55	2·42	3·00	3·00	
(ii) Ankagenit ..	Per Copy		1·75	2·50	2·50	124
(iii) Apala Bholok ..	Per Copy		1·88	1·95	1·95	
(3) News Papers—						

UMER PRICE INDEX NUMBER FOR WORKING CLASS FOR POONA CITY—*concld.*

Articles	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Basic Price	Dec. 1972	Jan. 1973	Dec. 1972	Jan. 1973
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
ation and Amuse-							
n—							
est Class ..	Ticket ..	6·74	0·52	1·25	1·25	240	240
Total ..		6·74					
Number Sub-group						*240*	*240*
sport and Com-							
tion—							
way—							
lway Fare for .m.	Per Passenger	6·46	0·98	1·45	1·45	148	148
Fare—							
I.T. Bus fare	,, ..	11·43	0·10	0·20	0·20	173	173
k.m.							
T. Fare 48 k.m.	,,	....	1·50	2·20	2·20		
age—							
gle Card ..	Per card ..	1·29	0·05	0·10	0·10	172	172
O. Charges ..	Rs. 25 ..	....	0·45	0·65	0·65		
Total ..		19·18					
Number Sub-group						*165*	*165*
cellaneous—							
n, Supari ..	....	4·47	....	....	....	222	221
acco and Tobacco ucts.	....	6·42	....	....	....	210	210
use-hold Utilities	....	4·76	....	....	....	229	222
shing Soap ..	....	11·60	....	....	....	183	184
dical Care ..	....	18·72	....	....	....	124	124
sonal Care ..	....	14·20	....	....	....	179	179
ication and Read-	....	13·91	....	....	....	132	132
creation and sement.	....	6·74	....	....	....	240	240
nsport and Com- ication.	....	9·18	....	....	....	165	165
Total ..		100·00					

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

The following table gives the Consumer Price Index Number for Workin Class for Bombay, Sholapur, Jalgaon, Nagpur, Nanded, Aurangabad Poon Madras and Kanpur during Dec. 1972 and Jan. 1973 :—

Consumer Price Index Numbers for Working Class for certain Industrial centres in India for the months of Dec. 1972 and Jan. 1973.

Groups	Bombay (a)		Sholapur (a)		Nagpur (a)	
	Dec. 1972	Jan. 1973	Dec. 1972	Jan. 1973	Dec. 1972	Jan. 1973
Food	222	223	256	257	226	223
Pan, Supari, Tobacco, etc. ..	214	223	189	180	178	179
Fuel and Light	208	208	181	182	186	186
Housing	117	118	152	152	138	138
Clothing, bedding, footwear ..	196	196	204	203	220	221
Miscellaneous	173	173	178	178	159	160
Consumer Price Index Number ..	204	205	229	229	205	204

Groups	Jalgaon		Nanded		Aurangabad	
	Dec. 1972	Jan. 1973	Dec. 1972	Jan. 1973	Dec. 1972	Dec. 1973
Food	247	245	263	268	264	268
Fuel and light	184	184	175	177	168	168
Clothing	193	194	213	209	199	196
House Rent	133	137	141	141	189	194
Miscellaneous	171	171	182	182	177	177
Consumer Price Index Number ..	218	217	233	236	232	235

Groups	Poona		Madras		Kanpur	
	Dec. 1972	Jan. 1973	Dec. 1972	Jan. 1973	Dec. 1972	Jan. 1973
Food	225	224	I.N.R.	I.NR..	I.N.R.	I.N.R.
Pan, Supari, Tobacco, Intoxicants ..	..	..				
Feul and Light	191	191				
Clothing	186	186				
House Rent	117	124				
Miscellaneous	170	170				
Consumer Price Index Number ..	201	200				

BASE.—(a) Average Prices for January to December 1960=100
(b) Average prices for January to December 1961=100
(c) Average prices for August 1939=100

The following table shows the Consumer Price Index Numbers for Bombay, olapur, Jalgaon, Nagpur, Ahmedabad, Madras and Kanpur on base August 39 equal to 100 :—

Month and Year	Bombay	Ahmeda-bad	Sholapur	Jalgaon	Nagpur	Madras	Kanpur
January 1972 ..	804	803	1,073	1,000	1,023	INR	INR
February ,, ..	808	803	1,032	1,010	1,013		
March ,, ..	816	799	1,015	1,037	1,013		
April ,, ..	825	803	1,015	1,037	1,018		
May ,, ..	829	803	1,004	1,047	1,028		
June ,, ..	850	812	1,047	1,058	1,049		
July ,, ..	858	825	1,078	1,084	1,060		
Aug. ,, ..	842	834	1,104	1,100	1,065		
Sept. ,, ..	858	834	1,119	1,106	1,065		
October ,, ..	858	860	1,141	1,116	1,055		
November ,, ..	854	868	1,173	1,143	1,070		
December ,, ..	863	839	1,199	1,153	1,070		
January 1973 ..	867	..	1,199	1,148	1,065		

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

Month and Year	Bombay	Ahmedabad	Sholapur	Jalgaon
January 1972	356	276	390	339
February ,, ...	358	276	375	342
March ,, ...	362	272	369	352
April ,, ...	365	276	369	352
May ,, ...	367	276	365	355
June ,, ...	376	280	380	359
July ,, ...	380	284	392	367
August ,, ...	373	287	401	375
September ,, ...	380	287	406	378
October ,, ...	380	292	414	387
November ,, ...	378	299	426	391
	382	309	435	389

Name of the Court	Total No. of applications etc., received during the month	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
		No.	No.	No.
(2) Labour Courts, Poona.	55	19 Under Sections 10, 10A, 12(5), 33A and 33B. .. Under Section 33 (2)(b). 26 Under Section 33 C(2). .. Under Section 36-A. 1 Miscellaneous application.	1 Illegal strike and lockout. 2 Illegal changes. 6 Miscellaneous matters. .. Criminal Complaints. .. Submissions. .. References. .. Miscellaneous applications.	.. Under Section 13-A.
	Total ..	46	9	..
(3) Labour Court, Kolhapur.	34	9 Under Sections 10, 10A, 12(5), 33A, and 33B. .. Under Section 33 (2)(b). 23 Under Section 33 C(2). .. Under Section 36-A. 2 Miscellaneous applications.	.. Illegal strikes and lockouts. .. Illegal change. .. Criminal complaints. .. Submissions. .. References. .. Miscellaneous applications.	.. Under Section 13-A.
	Total ..	34	..	..
(4) Labour Courts, Nagpur.	772	8 Under Sections 10, 10A, 12(5), 33A and 33B. 11 Under Section 33 (2)(b). 742 Under Section 33 C(2). .. Under Section 36 A. 1 Miscellaneous application.	.. Illegal strikes and lockouts. 6 Illegal changes. .. Criminal complaints. 2 Miscellaneous matters. .. Submissions. .. References. 2 Miscellaneous applications.	.. Under Section 13-A.

Name of the Court	Total No. of applications etc, received during the month	Break-up of the applications received under— Industrial Disputes Act, 1947	Bombay Inudstrial Relations Act, 1946	Industrial Employment (Standing Orders) Act. 1946
1	2	3	4	5
		No.	No.	No.
(5) Labour Court, Akola.	36	29 Under Sections 10, 10A, 12(5), 33A and 33B .. Under Sections 33(2) (b) 4 Under Section 33C(2) .. Under Section 36A. .. Miscellaneous applications.	.. Illegal Strikes and lockouts. 1 Illegal change. .. Criminal complaints. .. Submissions. .. References. .. Miscellaneous applications. 2 Reinstatements.	.. Under Section 13A.
	Total ..	33	3	..
(V. Labour Court, Nagpur	.. ..		Break up of the applications received under Section 16 of the Central Provinces and Berar Industrial Disputes Settlement Act, 1947.	
	Total			

WAGE BOARDS—

In all two references were received by the Wage Boards during the month under review. Their break-up is as under :—

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

Conciliation :

An analysis of disputes handled by the Conciliation Machinery in the State during December 1972 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 Misc. causes	Total
(1) Industrial Disputes Act, 1947 ..	159	268	427
(2) Bombay Industrial Relations Act, 1946.	9	13	22
(3) Bombay Industrial Relations (Extension and Amendment) Act, 1964.	3	....	3
Total ..	171	281	452

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

Act	Pending at the beginning of the month	No. of cases received during the month	Settled amicably	Ended in failure	Withdrawn or not pursued by parties	Closed	Total handled (3 to 6)	Pending at the end of the month
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
I.D. Act, 1947 ..	986	427	87	127	82	78	374	1,039
B.I.R. Act, 1946	247	22	10	18	9	1	38	231
B.I.R. (Ext. and Amdt.) Act, 1964	18	3	1	2	1	....	4	17
Total ..	1,251	452	98	147	92	79	416	1,287

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	Silk Textile	Woollen Textile	Textile Processing	Hosiery	Banking	Sugar	Electricity	Transport	Total
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
B.I.R. Act, 1946	8	1	..	..	..	2	6	1	4	22

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

District-wise analysis is given below :—

Act	Bombay	Thana	Poona	Sholapur	Satara	Sangli	Kolhapur	Jalgaon	Ahmednagar	Total
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
B.I.R. Act, 1946	18	..	1	6	..	..	2	1	..	22

Act	Amravati	Nagpur	Wardha	Chanda	Akola	Buldhana	Total
B.I.R. Act, (Extension and Amendment) Act, 1964.	....	2	1	.....	....	....	3

Registration of Agreements, Settlements, Awards, etc.

INDUSTRIAL DISPUTES IN MAHARASHTRA STATE DURING NOVEMBER 1972

Disputes in November 1972 101

Work People involved 35,912

Working days lost 2,11,158

The number of disputes and number of workers affected due to strike activity in Maharashtra State during the month of November 1972 have decreased as compared to the previous months, there was also fall in time loss.

The figures for the month under review show 101 disputes in progress involving 35,912 workers and a time loss of 2,11,158 mandays as compared to 102 disputes in October 1972 with 38,021 workers affected and a time loss of 3,08,588 man days.

Eighteen of the total disputes in progress during November 1972 were in the Textile industry 37 in the Engineering Industry and the remaining 46 were in other industries Seventy of the total disputes involving 20,418 workers were actually recorded during the month while 31 disputes involving 15,494 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			Number of work people involved i all disput Novembe 1972	Aggregate mandays lost in November 1972
	Started before beginning November 1972	Started in Novem-ber 1972	Total		
1	2	3	4	5	6
Textile ..	4	14	18	16,254	68,034
Engineering ..	10	27	37	9,581	35,904
Miscellaneous ..	17	29	46	10,077	1,07,220
Total November 1972..	31	70	101	35,912	2,11,158
Total October 1972 ..	30	72	102	38,021	3,08,588

Fifty-nine of the disputes arose over questions of " pay allowances a bonus issues " 33 related to " retrenchment and grievances ab personnel " 3 on leave and hours of works and the remaining 6 w due to other causes.

Out of the 70 disputes that terminated during the course of the montl were settled either entirely or partially in favour of the workers 35 in fav of the employers, while the result of the remaining 12 disputes w indefinite.

PROGRESS OF IMPORTANT INDUSTRIAL DISPUTES IN MAHARASHTRA STATE DURING THE MONTH OF NOVEMBER 1972.

(*I*) *Bombay Metal and Alloys Manufacturing Company, Bombay and its concern at Thana.*—The strike in the Bombay Metal and Alloys Manufa ing Company Limited and its sister concern at Thana, which comm in June 10th 1972, affecting 600 workers over their demands for higher and Bonus, the strike continued till the end of the month.

(*II*) *Ashok Industries and its 10 sister concerns, Bombay.*—The workers Ashok Industries Private Limited and its 10 sister concerns numbering 374 workers resorted to strike from September 12th 1972 over the deman increase in D.A., Wages etc. The strike continued till the end of the mo

(*III*) *Woollen Mills, Bombay, Thana and Ambernath.*—The strike of workers employed in the Woollen Mills, situated at Bombay, Thana and A nath, which commenced from October 1972 over their demand for full n lization of D.A. etc. The strike ended on 4th November 1972 causing 1,

ABSENTEEISM STATISTICS FOR THE MONTH OF DECEMBER 1972

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 67 Mills i.e. 84·81 per cent. of the 79 Mills during December 1972. The average absenteeism in the Textile Industry in these centres amounted to 16·33 per cent. as against 15·67 per cent. in the previous month.

The following table shows the average percentage of absenteeism at the seven centres for the month of December 1972 on the basis of information for all Working shifts :

Centre	Number of Mills		Percentage column to 2	No. of man-days Scheduled to work	No. of man days absent	Average percentage of absenteeism	
	working	Furnished information				Dec. 1972	Nov. 1972
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
1. Bombay ..	58	51	87·93	42,90,975	6,92,798	16·15	15·27
2. Sholapur ..	7	6	85·71	3,46,016	67,224	19·43	21·03
3. Jalgaon ..	3	3	100·00	1,04,619	11,520	11·01	12·03
4. Nagpur ..	2	1	50·00	2,47,533	40,495	16·36	17·43
5. Akola ..	..						
6. Aurangabad ..	1	1	100·00	10,547	1,030	9·77	16·39
7. Nanded ..	1	1	100·00	80,190	14,249	17·77	16·51
8. Other Centres	7	4	57·14	1,22,241	22,695	18·57	14·40

ABSENTEEISM STATISTICS IN RESPECT OF OTHER INDUSTRIES EXCLUDING COTTON TEXTILE INDUSTRY FOR THE MONTHS OF OCTOBER, NOVEMBER AND DECEMBER 1972

The following table gives the details of the undertakings which are now covered according to Industries for the purpose of Absenteeism Statistics :-

Serial No.	Nature of the Industry	Number of concerns covered
1	Chemical and Chemical Products	19
2	Petroleum and Coal Products	1
3	Basic Metal Industries	4
4	Metal Industries (except Machinery and Transport equipments) ..	21
5	Machinery (except Electrical Machinery)	23
6	Electrical Machinery, Apparatus, Appliances	15
7	Transport Equipments	20

The following tables give the average percentage of absenteeism of different Centres for the months of Oct. Nov. & Dec. 1972 on the basis of information received from the respective undertakings :

CHEMICAL AND CHEMICAL PRODUCTS

Centre	Average percentage of absenteeism		
	Oct. 1972	Nov. 1972	Dec. 1972
Bombay	11·96	14·83	18·31
Thana	9·99	12·10	11·40
Poona	12·43	13·44	11·74

PETROLEUM AND COAL PRODUCTS

BASIC METAL INDUSTRIES

Centre	Average percentage of absenteeism		
	Oct. 1972	Nov. 1972	Dec. 1972
.. ..	INR	INR	INR
.. ..	10·64	INR	INR
.. ..	INR	INR	INR

METAL PRODUCTS

(Except Machinery and Transport Equipments)

.. ..	11·36	12·04	11·34
.. ..	13·58	12·47	13·00
.. ..	15·73	16·23	15·13

MACHINERY

(Except Electrical Machinery)

.. ..	7·95	12·28	9·71
.. ..	12·50	12·88	INR
.. ..	10·63	16·32	12·58
.. ..	9·80	10·74	14·00
.. ..	....	....	....
.. ..	10·44	12·57	10·86

ELECTRICAL

(Machinery, Apparatus, Appliances and Supplies)

.. ..	10·77	12·77	12·55
.. ..	INR	INR	INR
.. ..	26·88	15·65	12·50

TRANSPORT EQUIPMENT

.. ..	15·65	16·59	16·14
.. ..	10·62	11·04	12·66

NIGHT SHIFT IN COTTON MILLS IN BOMBAY

At the beginning of January 1973, there were 48 mills in Bombay City Working Night Shift and the number of men doing night work was 80,560.

LABOUR TURNOVER IN COTTON TEXTILE UNDERTAKINGS FOR DECEMBER 1972

In all 71 Cotton Textile undertakings in Maharashtra State Employing 252993 workers on an average recorded an average percentage of Labour Turnover of 2·27 for the month of December 1972. The increase in employment of Labour (accession) was reported to be 0·99 per cent. Whereas the extent of decrease in employment (separation) registered in the total labour employed in all undertaking was 1·28.

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

LABOUR TURNOVER FOR MAHARASHTRA STATE FOR DECEMBER 1972

Group	Number of workers	Rate per 100 workers				
		Accession	Separation	Flux	Labour Increase	Labour Decrease
Up to 100	89	19·10	14·61	33·71	4·49	....
101 to 500	594	....	0·84	0·84	....	0·84
501 to 1,000	6,832	1·45	2·21	3·66	....	0·76
1,001 to 2,000	14,937	1·21	0·80	2·01	0·41	....
More than 2,000	2,30,541	0·96	1·28	2·24	....	0·32

t may be seen that the rate of labour turnover was the highest *viz.* 33·71 cent in establishments engaging upto 100 workers, while it was lowest *viz.* 4 per cent in undertakings employing upto 101 to 500 workers.

Considering the labour turnover according to centres, it may be observed at the highest rate of labour turnover viz. 6·24 per cent was recorded in urangabad Centres, whereas Dhulia and Jalgaon area registered the smallest te of 1·89 per cent. The following table indicates percentages of labour rnover in cotton textile undertakings in different areas of the State.

CENTRE-WISE LABOUR TURNOVER FOR DECEMBER 1972

Centre	No. of workers	Rate per 100 Workers				
		Accession	Separation	Flux	Labour increase	Labour decrease
Bombay	2,10,650	0·99	1·33	2·32	....	0·34
Sholapur	16,354	1·17	1·97	3·14	....	0·80
Dhulia, Jalgaon	9,012	1·46	0·43	1·89	1·03	.....
Aurangabad	785	2·04	4·20	6·24	....	2·16
Nagpur	14,182	0·85	3·10	3·95	....	2·25
Other Centres	2,010	2·98	0·45	3·43	2·53	....
		0·99	1·28	2·27	....	0·29

As regards labour turnover in Bombay City more or less the same tr
are noticeable in the State as a whole could be seen from the following ta

LABOUR TURNOVER FOR BOMBAY CITY FOR DECEMBER 1

Group	No. of workers	Rate per 100 workers				
		Accession	Separation	Flux	Labour increase	Labo decre
Up to 100	42	40·48	30·95	71·43	9·53	..
101 to 500	....	....	.....	.....	....	..
501 to 1,000	2,502	1·24	0·80	2·04	0·44	..
1,001 to 2,000	11,504	0·40	1·00	1·40	....	0
Over 2,000	1,96,602	1·02	1·35	2·37	....	0

There was no Labour Turnover in the establishments engaging upto 101 to 500 workers. It was only 1·40 in concerns engaging upto 1001 to 2,000 workers.

In Sholapur the highest rate of labour turnover of 5·03 per cent was recorded in mills engaging upto 501 to 1,000 employees. This can be seen from the following table :—

LABOUR TURNOVER FOR SHOLAPUR FOR DECEMBER 1972

Group	Number of workers	Rate per 100 workers				
		Accession	Separation	Flux	Labour increase	Labour decrease
Uo to 100	....	....	....	....	....	....
101 to 500	147	....	....	....	.....	.....
501 to 1,000	2,584	1·35	3·68	5·03	....	2.33
1,001 to 2,000	....	.....	....	....	....	....
Over 2,000	13,623	1·15	1·67	2·82	....	0·52
All Establishments	16,354	1·17	1·97	3·14	....	0.80

WORKING OF THE TRADE UNIONS ACT, 1926, IN THE MAHARASHTRA STATE

REVIEW FOR THE MONTH OF JANUARY 1973.

On the 31st December 1972, there were 2817 Trade Unions registered under Trade Unions Act, 1926.

Eighteen 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 January 1973.

They are as follows :—

(1) Bombay Division	10
(2) Nagpur Division	4
(3) Poona Division	Nil
(4) Aurangabad Division	4
Total ..	18

The total number of registered Trade Unions thus stood at 2,835 at the end of the month of January 1973.

BOMBAY DIVISION

Serial No	Name of the Unions	Address of the Unions	Registration No. and date	Name of the President	Name of the General Secretary
1	The Bombay Municipal Education Department Co-operative Bank Ltd., Karmachari Sangh.	C/o M. A. Loke, 33, Sarojini Nivas, 2nd floor, Shivaji Park, Dadar, Bombay-28.	6643, 10th January 1973.	Shri S. S. Varde.	Shri N. M Joshi.
2	Primier Automobiles Employees Union.	13-A, Doshiwadi, Opp. Sarvodaya Hospital, Lalbahadur Shastri Marg, Ghatkopar, Bombay-86.	6644, 11th January 1973.	Shri G. P. Galgali.	Shri K. Prabhu-Walawalkar
3	Insurance Employees Association Bombay.	4th floor, United India Building, Sir P. M. Road, Fort, Bombay-1.	6645 11th January 1973.	Shri M. B. Sopariwala.	Shri A. S. De
4	The Cotton Corporation of India Employees Unions.	14/114, Lakshmi Nivas, Road No. 4, Hindu Colony, Dadar, Bombay-14.	6646, 18th January 1973.	Shri S. A. Ghorpade.	Shri D. Kanwalu.
5	The National Radio and Electronics Co. Ltd., Employees Union.	C/o S. S. Patil, 206-A, Abdul Rehman Street, Bombay-3.	6647, 19th January 1973.	Shri S. S. Patil.	Shri M. Ghelani.
6	Indal Karmachari Sangha-	C/o Indian Aluminium,	6648, 19th	Shri V. M.	Shri J.

Serial No.	Name of the Union	Address of the Union	Registration No. and date	Name of the President	Name of the Gen. Secy.
7	J. K. Helene Curtis Employyees Union, Thana.	C/o P. M. Patil, 14. Khanbhai Building 1st floor, Agarkar Road, Dombivali (East).	6649, 22nd January 1973.	Shri Ramsnehi Panday.	Shri Prabhakar, M. Patil.
8	Chitrapat Udyog Mazdoor Sangh.	25, Ebrahim Mansion, Dr. Ambedkar Road, Parel, Bombay-12.	6650, 29th January 1973.	Shri R.G. Shah.	Shri P. R. Keluskar.
9	Hotel Labour Union (Red Flag), Bombay.	Khandelwal Bhavan, 166 D. N. Road Bombay-1.	6651, 29th January 1973.	Shri R. K. Pillay.	Shri K. Ramchandra.
10	Rikshamen's Association, Thana.	C/o V. S. Gavade, Dr. Ambedkar Road New Shakti Dal Works, Opp. Sonabaichi Chawal, Thana.	6652, 30th January 1973.	Shri M. M. Pathan	Shri V. S. Gavade.
		NAGPUR DIVISION			
11	S. T. Workers Union, Yeotmal.	S. T. Division, Yeotmal, Civil Lines, Advocate Bhandarwar's Bungalow, Yeotmal.	NGP/529, 12th December 1972.	Shri W. N. Wanare.	Shri M. R. Bais.
12	Vidarbha General, Workers Union, Nagpur Indora Chowk, Nagpur-4.	Nagpur, Indora Chowk, Nagpur-4.	NGP/530, 16th December 1972.	Shri T. G. Deshmukh.	Shri G. S. Nair.
13	Ordinance Factory Industrial Canteen Employees Union. Bhandara.	C/o Shri B. S. Uke, Canteen Employees' Union, Servants Quarter, Fariman Mess, Jawahar Nagar, Bhandara-3.	NGP/531, 22nd December 1972.	Shri B. S. Vike.	Shri Ranganathan.
14	Gin Press Kamgar Sangh, Katol.	Bhudhwar peth, Mata Chowk, Katol, District Nagpur.	NGP/532, 27th December 1972.	Shri R. M. Tamaskar.	Shri M. G. Kawale.
		AURANGABAD DIVISION			
15	Hamal, Mapadi Sangh. ..	C/o R. R. Parikh, Bharatiya Mazdoor Sangh, Vazirabad, Nanded.	AWB/240, 2nd January 1973.	Shri G. D. Chowdhari.	Shri R. R. Parikh.
16	Marathwada Shasahkiya Dudha Yojna Karmachari Union; Aurangabad.	Prashant Bungalow, Saraswati Colony (West), Aurangabad.	AWB/241, 17th January 1973.	Shri V. D. Deshpande.	Shri A. H. Kamble.
17	Nanded Zilla Gat Sachiv Sanghatana.	C/o K. Y. Varkhinde, Nanded Zilla Sahakari Bank Ltd., Station, Road. Nanded.	AWB/242, 17th January 1973.	Shri K. Y. Warkhinde.	Shri B. R. Kadam.
18	Nagar Parishad Karmachari Sangh, Paithan.	C/o Bharatiya Mazdoor Sangh, Supari Hanuman Road. Aurangabad.	AWB/243, 25th Janaury 1973.	Shri D. G. Shevtekar.	Shri Abdulla Bin Sale Barman.

WORKING OF THE EMPLOYEES' STATE INSURANCE SCHEME OF MAHARASHTRA STATE DURING THE MONTH OF JANUARY 1973.

The following table shows the registration of employees and payment of cash benefit paid under the Employees State Insurance Scheme during January, 1973.

Non Madical Side

Serial No.	Registration	During the month		Since 1st April 1972	
		Bombay	Nagpur	Bombay	Nagpur
1	Number of workers registered ..	15,564	353		
2	Net Number of I. Ps. entitled to medical care at the end of the month ..	8,72,550	28,853		
	Employment Injury Benefit				
3	Number of accidents reports received ..	6,101	708	57,560	5,240
4	Number of TDB payments	5,335	850	48,175	6,153
5	Amount of the TDB paid Rs. ..	2,92,545·75	26,522·75	26,82,180·35	2,10,887·00
6	Number of cases referred to Medical Board (Fresh)	549	....	3,843	100
7	Number of cases decided (Admitted) ..	395	....	2,809	60
	(*a*) Partial permanent disablement ..	395	....	2,806	60
	(*b*) Total permanent disablement ..	....	....	3	....
8	Amount of PDB paid Rs.				
9	Total No. of I.Ps. got fitteed with artificial Limbs.	5,49,347·90	23,132·40	47,53,493·95 4	74,979·34 ....
10	Number of dependents benefit ..	56	....	208	....
11	Amount of DB paid Rs.	93,434·65	2,295·50	8,18,981·26	23,232·24
	Sickness Benefit				
12	Number of SB payments	57,575	6,183	5,20,786	51002
13	Number of SB days	2,84,476	33,597	25,87,491	2,83,408
14	Amount of SB paid Rs.	14,41,074·56	1,44,298·55	1,27,65,730·09	11,94,332·76
15	Amount of ESB paid Rs.	2,60,513·25	19,081·75	24,70,113·00	2,08,672·85
	Maternity Benefit				
16	Number of fresh maternity cases admitted	213	14	2,085	34
17	Number of M.B. days	18,839	1,149	1,66,413	4,259
18	Amount of MB paid Rs.	1,60,207·50	5,267·30	14,12,085·55	22,128·80

Section under which action taken.	Number of cases	Amount recovered.
Section 45 (D)		

Medical Side

1.	Prescriptions issued during the month of November 1972.	2,25,459
2.	The number of insured workers attending Diagnostic Centres.	20,637
3.	The X-Ray plates taken during the month. ..	2,794
4.	The Blood Examination	3,055
5.	Number of persons admitted in the Hospital.	(TB : 1700+Gen. 554) 2,254
6.	The total No. of beds occupied during the month.	(TB : 21,218+ Gen. 7353) 28,571
7.	Payment made to the chemists during the month	Rs. 7,02,975·72
8.	Payment made to Insurance Medical Practitioners during the month.	Rs. 54,06,413·40

FATAL INDUSTRIAL ACCIDENTS AND INDUSTRIAL DISEASES DURING JANUARY 1973.

During January 1973, 11 work people in the state of Maharashtra whose death occurred by the accident in course of their employment were reported during the month of January 1973.

Industrial Accidents.

20. *Food except beverages.—*

207. Sugar factories and refineries.—

(*a*) Sugar. 1

23. *Textiles.—*

231. Spinning, Weaving and finishing of textiles.

(*a*) Cotton Mills. 1

(*c*) Silk Mills 1

31. *Chemicals and chemical products.*

311. Basic chemicals including fertilisers.

(*a*) Artificial manures. 1

(*b*) Heavy chemicals. 1

33. *Non-metallic mineral products (except products of petroleum and coal)* 1

35. *Metal products (except machinery and transport equipment.)*

350. Manufacture of metal products (except machinery and transport equipment).

(*h*) Others 1

37. *Electrical machinery , apparatus appliances and supplies.*

370. (*a*) Electrical machinery. 1

(*i*) Others 1

38. *Transport equipment.*

381. Ship building.

(*a*) Ship building and repairing 1

386. *Aircraft.*

(*a*) Manufacture of aeroplane, aircraft parts and assemblage 1

MONTHLY PROGRESS REPORT FOR THE MONTH OF DECEMBER, 1972.

I. Employment situation in general in Maharashtra State for the month of December, 1972

There has been a fall in the number of vacancies notified to Employment Exchanges and the number of applicants placed by them during December 1972 as compared to the previous month.

Total vacancies notified to Employment Exchanges decreased to 6,006 from 7,351 in November 1972 and placements decreased to 2,932 from 3,596 in the last month.

Despite the overall fall in placements, there was a slight rise in the number of applicants placed in State Government and Quasi Government Establishments 1,115 applicants were placed in State Government Establishments, as against 1,071 in November 1972 and 666 applicants were placed in Quasi Government Establishments as compared to 420 in the previous month. The number of applicants placed, however, declined in Central Government and Private Sectors. 785 applicants were placed in Central Government establishments as against 1,334 and 366 in Private Establishments as compared to 771 in November 1972.

A marked fall in placements is observed at the following Exchanges : –

Regional Employment Exchange, Bombay, 199 as against 312 in November 1972, Sub Regional Employment Exchange, Bombay, 837 as against 1,038, District Employment Exchange, Ratnagiri 89 as against 199, Sub Regional Employment Exchange, Nagpur 139 as compared to 251 and District Employment Exchange, Chandrapur 33 against 304.

While the fall in placements at District Employment Exchange, Chandrapur is indicative of a return to norm, the fall at other Employment Exchanges is due to non receipt of results of submission and lesser employment opportunities available to the Exchange registrants during the month.

Vacancies notified have shown a fall in all Sectors except the Quasi Government establishments. 1,421 vacancies were notified by Central Government establishments as against 1944 in November 1972, 1,759 by State Goverment establishments as against 1939, 1,076 by Quasi Government employers as compared to 835 and 1,810 by Private employers as against 2,633.

II. Appreciation of statistics rendered

(*a*) *Registration.*—33,561 applicants were registered with Employment Exchanges in December 1972 as against 28,735 in November 1972.

(*b*) *Vacancies notified.*—6,006 vacancies were notified to the Employment Exchanges in December 1972 as against 7,351 in November 1972.

(*c*) *Submission.*—30,014 submissions were made by E. E. in December 1972 as against 29,997 in November 1972.

(*d*) *Placements.*—2,932 applicants were placed by Employment Exchanges in December 1972 as against 3,596 in November 1972.

(*e*) *Employers using the Exchanges.*—1,280 employers notified vacancies to Employment Exchanges at the end of December 1972.

(*f*) *Live Register.*—There were 5,97,650 applicants on the Live Registers of Employment Exchanges at the end of December 1972 as against 5,75,690 in November 1972.

IV. Vacancy Clearing

(*a*) Fresh vacancies circulated by S. E. C.O.	120
(*b*) Vacancies filled during the month	
(*i*) Vacancy Exchange	Nil.
(*ii*) Other Exchanges	Nil.
(*c*) Vacancies at the end of the month under limited or unlimited circulation.	1,670
(*i*) Less than three months	423
(*ii*) More than three months but less than six months	128
(*iii*) More than six months	1,119

V. Interesting Placements

Nanded	(1) One candidate was placed as Assistant Lectures in Mechanical Engineering with the Principal, Government Polytechnic, Nanded on Rs. 471 per month.
Sholapur	(1) Two B. E. (Civil) candidates were placed as Junior Engineers with the Superintending Engineer Bhima Project construction Circle, Sholapur on Rs. 411 per month.
Amravati	(1) One M. Sc. (Physics in 1st division,) candidate was placed as Assistant Lecturer in Physics with the Principal, College of Engineering, Aurangabad on Rs. 500 per month.

Aurangabad	..	(1) One B. E. (Elect.) candidate registered with U. E. I. & G. B., Aurangabad was placed through S. R. E. E., Aurangabad, with the Principal, College of Engineering, Aurangabad, on Rs. 500 per month.
Ratnagiri	..	(1) One candidate was placed as Lecturer with the Principal, R. P. Gogate College, Ratnagiri on Rs. 521 per month.
Satara	..	(1) One B. E. (Civil) candidate was placed as Junior Engineer with the Superintending Engineer, Kolhapur Irrigation Circel, on Rs. 411 per month,
Akola	..	(1) 4 B. Sc. (Agri.) Graduates were placed as Extension Officers (Agri.) with the Chief Executive Officer, Zilla Parishad, Akola on Rs. 400 per month.
Dhulia	..	(1) One Diploma holder candidate was placed with the Principal, I. T. I. Dhulia on Rs. 371 per month.
		(2) One Diploma Holder candidate was placed with Superintending Engineer, Irrigation Circle, Nasik on Rs. 371 per month.
Yeotmal	..	(1) One Diploma holder in Civil Engineering was placed as Overseer with the Superintending Engineer, B. & C. Circles, Aurangabad on Rs. 371 per month.

VI. Appreciation of work done for special type of applicants

		Registration	Placements	Live Register
1.	A. B. Standard	430	75	5467
2.	Displaced Persons	74	2	290
3.	Discharged Government Employees.	24	8	1479
4.	Women	3521	242	74849
5.	I. T. I. Tranees	629	144	12176
6.	Ex-Servicemen	577	188	5522

(7) *Part-time Employment Seekers—*

	Registration	Placements	Live Register
(1) Registered	—	4	—
(2) Placed	..	3	—
(3) Vacancies notified	..	4	—

(8) *Recruitment to Armed Forces—*

	Army	Navy	Airforce	Total
(1) Ex-Servicemen	—	—	—	—
(2) Other	—	—	—	..

Physically Handicapped applicants registered with normal Employment Exchanges (other than the Special Employment Exchange for Physically Handicapped) in the State during December 1972.

Category	Number of Registration affected during the month	Number of placements affected during the month	Number on Live Register at the end of the month.
1	2	3	4
1. Blind	10	...	129
2. Deaf and Dumb	2	... ...	28
3. Orthopaedically Handicapped ...	98	4	1,216
4. Respiratory Disorder	... ..	... ...	... ...
Total ..	110	4	1,373

VII. Staff Training

Out of 30 Exchanges, staff training classes were held at 19 Exchanges.

VIII. Inspection

General Inspection of the D. E. E., Ratnagiri was carried out by Smt. Usha

Conference and Meetings

eetings of the District Committees on Employment, Dhulia, Akola, apur and Amravati were held during the month.

eetings of the Special Committees to examine the fairness of submission held at Osmanabad and Nanded.

Any other item of interest

ork done by University Employment Information and Guidance Bureau g the month of December, 1972.

Name of University	Registration	Vacancies notified	Placements obtained	Number on Live Register
E.I. and G.B., Bombay ..	1,443	12	....	4,047
E. I. and G. B., Poona ..	28	28	1	465
E. I. and G. B., Nagpur ..	65	37	7	1,024
E. I. and G. B., Aurangabad ..	12	....	2	287
E. I. and G. B., Kolhapur ...	14	4	2	318

ork done by Special Employment Exchange for Physically Handicapped ons, Bombay during the month of December, 1972.

Category	Registration	Vacancies notified.	Placements obtained	Number on Live Register
Blind	8	1	1	238
Deaf and Dumb	6	2	2	36
Orthopaedically Handicapped	9	17	17	286
Respiratory disorder ...	.....	....	....	4
Total ...	23	20	20	564

Work done by the Professional and Executive office During the Month December 1973

(1.) No. of X-Is on the Live Register at the end of the previous month.	2,005
(2) Number of X-Is received during the month	115
(3) Number of candidates submitted during the month against—	
(*i*) Notified vacancies (Secondary)	74
(*ii*) Central Employment Exchange Vacancies	353
(*iii*) Advertised vacancies	53
(4) Number of P. & E. candidates placed during the month	2
(5) Number removed from Live Register	188
(6) Number of P. & E. X-Is on the Register at the end of the month.	1,930

Youth Employment Service

Individual Programme at Employment Exchanges.—(1) During the month of December 1972, in all 1,491 applicants received individual information, of these 1,142 were applicants, 204 were students and 145 were parents and guardians.

(2) In all 28 postal inquiries for occupational information were received during the month.

(3) Out of the 363 applicants who received individual guidance 346 were fresh candidates and 17 were review cases.

(4) 4,196 applicants were given guidance at the time of registration.

II. Group Programme at Employment Exchanges.—(5) 206 group discussions were conducted during the month of December 1972.

III. Programme outside the employment Exchanges.—(7) During the month 6 Career talks were delivered in schools, 7 visits were paid by Employment Officers to Schools in connection with distribution or utilisation of Career Pamphlets, posters, etc.

(8) 37 visits were paid by Employment Officers to employers and heads of training Institutions in connection with collection of Information on placements.

IV. Placement/Admission Activities.—(9) During the month 1,319 applications were forwarded to various training centres for Apprenticeship training.

(10) 60 applicants were actually placed in training.

(11) Placement of 29 guided applicants were received during the month of December, 1972.

TEXTILE EMPLOYMENT (DECASUALISATION) SCHEME

During the month of January 1973, the Decasualisation Scheme, Bombay registered 2,400 workers. Demands for 1,174 workers were received from the mills. 1,899 submissions were made against these demands. Placements of 754 workers were obtained against these submissions.

Similarly during January 1973, the Decausalisation Scheme, Sholapur, registered 75 workers. Demands for 20 workers were received from the mills. 11 submissions were made to the mills against these demands. Placements of 9 workers were obtained against these submissions.

Appreciation of Statistics (Bombay)

Registration.—2,400 workers were registered under the Decasualisation Scheme as against 2,296 in December 1972.

Demands Notified.—1,174 vacancies were notified to the Sectional Offices as against 1,321 in December 1972.

Submissions.—1,899 Submissions were made by the Decasualisation Scheme as against 1,927 in December 1972.

Placements.—754 workers were employed by the mills in January 1973 as against 849 in December 1972.

Live Register.—3,439 workers were on Live-Register at the end of January 1973.

Appreciation of Statistics rendered (Sholapur).

Registrations.—75 workers were registered under the Decasualisation Scheme as against 188 in December 1972.

Demands Notified.—20 vacancies were notified to the Scheme as against 55 in December 1972.

Submissions.—11 submissions were made to the mills as against 82 in Decemer 1972.

Placements.—9 workers were employed by the mills as against 83 in December 1972.

Live Register.—871 workers were on Live Register at the end of January 1973.

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Cases Under Labour Laws

BEFORE SHRI S. R. DOIPHODE, ADDITIONAL AUTHORITY UNDER THE PAYMENT OF WAGES ACT, BOMBAY

APPLICATION No. 1608 OF 1971

Shri Ramdhar M. Singh and Others, through silk Workers Union, Mahashaya use, 5th Road Santacruz, East, Bombay-55.

Versus

The Rajkamal Silk Mills, 76, A. B. Government Industrial Estate, Kandivali st, Bombay-67.

Payment of Wages Act, 1936 Section 15 :—Applicants of the Rajkamal k Mills, Bombay were weavers working on price rates claiming deducted ges for the month of May 1971 to July 1971. The Mills Resisted the claim denying its liability stating that the Wage Board for the Silk Textile Industry Maharashtra State in Reference No. 2 of 1964 gave an order on 30th Septem- 1968 standardizing the weavers wages. The mills further admitted that isequent upon the standardization of the wages, some of the weavers have n affected and their wages have been reduced. It was bound to happen. e Court therefore held that there was no illegal deduction as alleged and missed the application.

About 13 workers jointly filed this application claiming deducted wages as Schedule from the Opposite party.

2. The case of the applicants is that they are all weavers working in the jkamal Silk Mill, and that for the month of May 1971 to July 1971, their ges have not been paid in full as before. Since 2nd May 1971, the Opposite ty started illegal deductions as shown in the Schedule. All the applicants Weavers working on piece rates and the opposite party reduced the piece e without showing any reasons. Hence they have claimed the difference the illegal deductions.

3. The opposite party by its written statement has resisted the claim by aying its liability. It is denied that the applicants' wages for May to July 1971 for any other wage period have been unlawfully deducted. That the Wage ard for the Silk Textile Industry in Maharashtra State in Reference No. 2 1964, gave an order on 30th September, 1968 (published in M.G.G. Part I-L ed 31st October 1968 at page 4427) standardizing the weavers' wages. The d Standardization Scheme of weavers' wages was to be implemented with rospective effect from 1st January 1967. The Silk Mills'

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of the Wage Board became final and it was to be implemented with pective effect from 1st January 1967. In the meanwhile the Mill Mazdoor , the Representative Union for the Silk Textile Industry which was the to the said dispute of standardization of weavers wages filed an appli- being application No. 744 of 1970, before the Fourth Labour Court at ay praying that the non implementation of the said order of the Wage by the Opposite party may be directed to withdraw the illegal change by menting the order of the Wage Board. Thereafter, the opposite party ated the piece rates for different qualities of cloth manufactured by them the Standardization Scheme prescribed by the Wage Board and put up e on the Notice Board on 11th June 1971, and a copy of which is annexed own at Exhibit 4. The copy of the said notice was sent to the Mill oor Sabha on 11th June 1971, and a copy of which is shown at Exhibit B. on 29th June 1971, the Mill Mazdoor Sabha was informed that the ite party had implemented the Wage Board's Scheme with effect from 1971, and have also calculated the difference to be paid to or recovered he weavers for the years 1967 to 1971. The Mill Mazdoor Sabha was ted to depute a representative to verify the calculations made by the ite Party. The said Mill Mazdoor Sabha, after being satisfied with the tions withdrew the application for illegal change filed by it before the Labour Court. From the above narration, it is submitted that the on in the piece-rates for the weavers is due to the implementation of the e order of the Wage Board hereinabove referred to and can by no of imagination be said to be unlawful as alleged by the applicants.The are fixed as per the order of the Wage Board and as such there is no deductions.

Upon these pleadings the following point arises for consideration :—

Whether the applicants prove that there is illegal deductions in wages ?

Two of the applicants have been examined. The opposite party has ed their Manager. The opposite party also filed certified copy of the tion filed by the Mill Mazdoor Sabha under section 46 (5) of the B. I. R. 46, in the matter of breach of an order of the Wage Board and in the of an illegal change, dated 14th October 1970, and the order passed by Labour Court, dated 22nd August 1971, withdrawing the said appli-

My finding on the above point is in the negative.

Here are my reasons.

Before scrutinising the evidence of the applicants, I will shortly deal with mitted facts in this case, which stand out clearly from evidence and the

of Maharashtra, referred to the Wage Board a dispute regarding the revision of wages between Mill Mazdoor Sabha and Silk Textile Undertaking in Greater Bombay. Similarly, disputes with some undertakings were directly referred to the Wage Board under section 86 CC of the Bombay Industrial Relations Act. The references before the Wage Board were numbered as 2 of 1964 ; 3 of 1964 ; 4 of 1964 ; 5 of 1964 ; 1 of 1966 and 2 of 1967. Pending the references before the Wage Board, the parties entered into an agrement dated 24th April 1968, covering various types of allowances on different sorts in the Weaving department and also incorporating a skeleton scheme on which the wage of 2, 3 and 4 looms weavers may be standardized. Under the same agreement, the parties left the following issues to the Board for decisions :—

(*a*) What should be the base earning for loom per day for the skeleton scheme for 2 loom weavers for each of the Groups B & C and)at what level of efficiency ?

(*b*) What should be the base earnings per loom per day for 3 and 4 looms weavers for the skeleton scheme and at what level of efficiency, having regard to the scheme as a whole ?

(*c*) Whether this agreed scheme would be given any retrospective effect and if so from which date etc.

As desired by the parties the Board made an interim order on 15th May 1968 in terms of the said agreement. The Wage Board gave its decision on 30th September 1968, as follows :—

1 (*a*) The base earnings of a weaver working on two looms in B Group mills shall be Rs. 1·60 (excluding allowances) per loom per day, at 75 per cent efficiency.

The base earnings, for a two loom weaver in 'C' Group Mill shall be Rs. 1·44 (excluding allowances) per loom per day at 75 per cent efficiency.

(*b*) The base earnings for a weaver working on 3 looms system shall be Rs. 1·54 P. (excluding allowances) per loom per day at 75 per cent efficiency and that for a four loom weaver, the base earnings shall be Rs. 1·35 (excluding allowances) per loom, per day at 75 per cent efficiency. This is the majority decision.

9. Thereafter, the Silk and Art Silk Mills Association went in appeal against the decision of the Wage Board but without success. Thereafter, a review application in the Industrial Court against the Appellate Order was filed which was dismissed by the Industrial Court, and hence this order of the Wage Board became final, meaning thereby that these rates of wages became final and operative with retrospective effect i.e. from 1st January 1967, as stated above. There-

the applicant Sabha was allowed to withdraw the application. Now meantime the opposite party has given effect to the order of the Wage by implementing the rates of wages to the 3 and 4 looms weavers from Ma for which a notice Exhibit 2 was affixed showing that how the reduction effected and how the reduction will be made in certain category of w This application is now being filed by some workers with the help of a Union. Now, in the back-ground of all these facts, I will have to s evidence of the applicants.

10. From what has been stated above, it will be clear that there is a sentative Union which was a party to the Standardization Scheme in t industry, according to which, the piece rates in 2, 3 and 4 looms weaver standardized with effect from 30th September 1968. In the written sta also the Opposite party has given a brief narration of all these facts, v have stated above. I will, therefore, now turn to the evidence of the app and point out where they have admitted these main facts. The appl Ambica Ramdhir and Ramdharsingh, have been examined on behalf workers. Now the applicant, Ramdhar Singh, says that he was a W working in the Opposite Party Mill since 1963. He says that there are 48 looms in opposite party Mill. He says that each weaver work o looms. Before May 1971, they had piece rates fixed, according to qua cloth woven and they used to get wages as per that piece rate. After May the opposite party deducted one piece on each quality of cloth. The paid 16 paise per meter and thereafter, opposite party used to pay Rs. 11 per meter and hence there was deduction in payment of each quality. H noted in the schedule the rates and deductions. He says that Union ha a letter. He says that there was no change in R. M. P. in the loom, nor t change in quality of cloth. One beam of a particular quality fees a loom month or 1½ months. Now in cross-examination, he gives certain va admissions. First, he says that Mill Mazdoor Sabha is the only reco Union in Silk Industry. He says that he knows that the demand for pay and D. A. can be raised by this Union only. He says that he was member of that Union. He says that the other workers were member o Union. He however admits that there was dispute regarding standardi scheme of wages before Wage Board. Here is admission on behalf applicants' about standardization of wages. Then he says that he do know if Wage Board has fixed any scheme nor he is able to read as he terate. He does not know if Mill Mazdoor Sabha has filed a case for change. He however admits that the notice Exhibit 1 was affixed to the Board. He does not know if there was any award from Labour Court says that the piece rate is calculated on the basis of read and time. H that this is the system (real and piece) even before the Wage Board's Sc He does not know the method to calculate wages. He does not know ho wages of other quality of clothes are calculated. He also does not kno wages fixed under the Wage Board. He says that during the dispute h

eventhough he does not know the amount of recommendation of Wage Board. He is not able to say how he has shown each month's deduction as mentioned in his application. Now he admits in his cross-examination that Mill Mazdoor Sabha is the representative Trade Union in the Silk industry, and secondly, that there was a dispute before the Wage Board for the standardization of wages. The decision of the Wage Board was given, but he being illiterate he could not know personally, what it was.

11. Now the next witness examined by the applicants, is Ambika Ramdhir, who says that he was getting Rs. 180 to Rs. 200 per month. He has operated Brasso Double Beam after May 1971. Before May 1971., the rate of brasso double beam was 12 paise. After May 1971, the rate was reduced to 10 paise. There was no change in weed, speed, looms before and after. He has woven Nylon, Georget, for which he wp asaid at the rate of 12 paise before May 1971, and after May 1971, it was reduced to 10· 15 paise. The quality, speed, looms etc. remained the same before and after. Now due to reduction in the rate of wages , his total wages, have been reduced to Rs. 20 to Rs. 30 per month. Now in cross-examination, he says that he was never member of Mill Mazdoor Sabha. He says that he knows the name of that Union, but he does not know, if it represents the silk workers. He know that D. A. has been raised recently but he does not know at whose instance that demand was put up. He knows that standard wages were fixed by the Wage Board. He says that according to the award., some rates are increased on curtain goods but in other, it is reduced. Thereafter, he gives the details of the work. He was also working on four looms. He does not know, if by giving lesser lines, the rate is increased or lowered. He has produced, Exhibit 3, his identification card.

12. Now from this evidence also, two things are clearly seen admitted, one is that he has heard the name of Mill Mazdoor Sabha representing Silk industry and (2) that there was Wage Board orders standardizing the wages. He, however, admits that by standardization of wages, wages of certain workers were reduced, while wages of others were increased. Both the workers admit that they were working on four looms and there were 48 looms in this Mill.

13. Now as against the evidence of the applicants, the opposite party has examined its Manager. He says that he knows the order of the Wage Board in respect of the wages which they have implemented from May 1971, in the factory. He says that the order is in force from 1968. But the applicants wanted that the effect should not be given to the orders from 1968, and they wanted to pay their wages at the existing rates. In 1971 only the workers demanded to apply that award and hence the opposite party started to apply it. In that order Mill Mazdoor Sabha was representing the workers, and that Union made an application to the Labour Court for its extension and a copy has been produced by him (witness). The Labour Court also has given consent for withdrawal, a copy of which is also produced. They had sent letters to

luced rates. Now he admits in the cross-examination that due to the plication of new rates, the wages of the workers, have been reduced than fore. He admits that before May 1971., every worker used to get Rs. 160 Rs. 200 per month. He also admits in cross-examination that 3 or 4 looms re being operated before 1971. Now also 3 or 4 looms are being operated them. He does not know what is the meaning of standardization of wages . He has calculated annexture to the written statement. He says that he culated this statement without taking into consideration the efficiency of h worker. He has no idea, if Rs. 95 scale is covered by the Award or not.

4. As I have pointed out above, from this evidence, it is clear that mostly r 4 looms are operated by these weavers, that their wages were more n Rs. 95 before May 1971 , i.e. before the standardization of wages as the award of Wage Board. The award for standardization of wages, the Wage Board, has become final and operative from 1st January 1967, l that Mill Mazdoor Sabha was the representative Union, which got this ndardization award, and also filed an application in the matter of an illegal nge for not implementing the standardization of wages as per the award. this connection, I may state that the opposite party, as I have pointed out ve, has examined its Manager, who has stated that the award is in force m 1968, but the applicants did not want to have its implementation and y wanted to be governed by the wages of the pre award period. In 1971, y the workers demanded to apply that award, and hence the award was plemented from May 1971. There is no cross-examination on this point. e admission of the workers is seen from the application filed before the 4th bour Court under section 46(5) of the Bombay Industrial Relations Act. w having regard to the evidence of the opposite party, I find that the appli- ts wanted to be governed by the pre-existing wages existed before standardi- ion scheme and hence they were paid upto May 1971, as per the previsous es and when they filed application before the Labour Court, the opposite ty started implementing the standardization scheme as per the award at Wage Board. Thereafter, the opposite party was forced to effect the nges as per the standardization award. The opposite party also has given details of technicalities, how they have fixed the rates of wages, for each ts of clothes woven by the weavers. In the award, at paragraph 55(1) (*d*) base earning for a weaver working on 3 looms is given as Rs. 1·54 (excluding wances) per loom per day at 75 percent, efficiency and that for a four m weaver, the base earnings shall be Rs. 1·35 (excluding allowances) per m per day at 75 percent efficiency. Now this rate has been maintained the opposite party as per the award wherein certain workable formula has n evolved for calculating the piece rate for any sort, according to the looms, ed, efficiency etc. There cannot be any dispute about the correctness of the ulation, as it is based on the formula provided in the said agreement.

5. The main contention of the learned representative of the applicant is

paragraph 55 of the said Award,a direction for the base earnings for 3 looms and four looms weavers, have been given. He has relied on a ruling reported in 1955, I LLJ, page 555, in the case of Daru (C.T.) (Ahmedabad Mill Mazdoor Mandal) and Ahmedabad Spinning and Manufactuing Company Ltd., and another. In this case, it has been observed that " Standardization involves not only raising of wages but also the lowering of wages so that all wages should be co-ordinated and should be paid on the same basis and under a scheme of standardization no variation in the rates of wages is allowed and all units must pay a uniform wage. In view of this ruling, there is bound to be reduction in the wages of some persons who might be getting higher wages prior to the application of this scheme. Now,it is admitted fact of the applicants as I have pointed out above, that the wages have been standardized under an Award, which has become final and which is binding and as such the Opposite party in view of this ruling cannot pay more or less. The opposite party was not paying according to the award, and hence there was a case of illegal change made out by the Mill Mazdoor Sabha, by an application under section 46(5) of the Bombay Industrial Relations Act, 1946, before the 4th Labour Court which was subsequently withdrawn. Moreover, it will be placing in anamolous situation the employer on one hand to face consquence of notice of illegal change on failure to implement the standardization of Award, and to direct him to pay wages as per the claim of the applicants on the ground that the workers were not governed by the said award. I have pointed out above that in this Mill there are 48 looms. This reference, therefore, will apply to all the units having more than 25 looms and the base earnings for 2, 3 and 4 looms have been fixed. In this Award the Mills falling in ' C' group are to be upgraded to ' B ' group, and as such there would be no Mills remaining in ' C ' group, and that is why the Wage Board has rightly observed in the body of their award that the crucial question to be decided was fixing the base wage for the Mills falling in ' B ' group. Therefore, the ruling cited by the learned representative of the opposite party will be applicable to this case. Thus when there is standardization of wages, it cannot be by any stretch of imagination said that due to implementation of the scheme there is illegal deduction. In this case the opposite party has admitted that consequent upon the standardization of the wages, some of the weavers have been affected and their wages have been reduced, which as per the observation in the case, is justifiable, in such cases of standardization, it is bound to happen. Under the Payment of Wages Act, therefore, this cannot be called an illegal deduction. This is an order of the Court, and in view of the order of the court, the wages have been fixed and this Court, therefore, cannot hold that the wages are reduced illegally. I, therefore, find that there is not illegal deduction as alleged by the applicants. The case, therefore, is bound tofail.

16. In the result, I dismiss the application, for the reasons stated above.

(Signed) S. R. DOIPHODE,
Additional Authority under the Payment of Wages Act, Bombay.

Dated 26th October 1972.

Statistics

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	3,96,683	71,336	....	1,32,680	18,208
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—						
March ..	4,38,025	20,214	3,284	1,331	5,318	22,452
April ..	4,34,177	33,413	3,251	1,531	60,808	22,661
May	4,45,432	29,723	2,994	1,494	7,476	24,400
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

EMPLOYMENT THROUGH DECASUALISATION SCHEME

Statement showing the number of workers registered Demand, submitted and together with the Live Register.

Month	Registration Demands		Submissions	Placements
1970—				
October	1,855	1,177	1,905	776
November	2,294	2,957	2,754	950
December	2,922	2,069	3,085	1,293
1971—				
September	2,283	1,248	2,161	1,641
October	2,010	1,890	1,671	624
November	2,914	2,075	3,133	1,015
December	2,600	1,344	2,216	1,011
1972—				
May	4,121	4,726	5,655	3,560
June	2,246	2,021	2,718	2,464
July	1,999	1,980	2,040	1,097
August	1,982	1,324	1,909	1,087
September	1,978	1,458	1,800	672
October	1,790	1,026	1,459	632

CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBERS FOR LOW-PAID EMPLOYEES IN DIFFERENT MOFUSSIL CENTRES IN THE ANDHRA AND MADRAS STATES FOR THE MONTHS OF DECEMBER 1972 AND JANUARY 1973

(Base : Year ended June 1936=100)

Groups	Visakhapatnam		Eluru		Cuddalore		Trichirapalli	
	Dec. 1972	Jan. 1973	Dec. 1972	Jan. 1973	Dec. 1972	Jan. 1973	Dec. 1972	Jan. 1973
Food	INR	INR	INR	INR	INR	INR	INR	INR
Fuel and Lighting	....	....	....	....	..	....	....	....
Clothing	....	....	....	....	..	....	....	....
House-rent	....	....	....	....	..	....	....	....
Miscellaneous	....	....	....	....	..	....	....	....
Consumer Price Index Number ..	....	....	....	....	..	....	.....	....

Groups	Madurai		Coimbatore		Kozhikade	
	Dec. 1972	Jan. 1973	Dec. 1972	Jan. 1973	Dec. 1972	Jan. 1973
Food	INR	INR	INR	INR	INR	INR
Fuel and Lighting	....	....	....	....	....	....
Clothing	....	....	....	....	....	....
House-rent	....	....	....	....	....	....
Miscellaneous	....	....	....	....	....	....
Consumer Price Index Number ..	....	....	....	....	....	....

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

Centre	December 1972		Januury 1973	
	Number of working days	Dearness Allowance	Number of working days	Dearness Allowance
		Rs.		Rs.
Bombay	26	224·15	..	....
Sholapur	....	....	....	....
Jalgaon	26	198·86	27	208·49
Nagpur	26	198·86	27	208·49
Nanded	....	....	....	....

INR—Information not received

INDUSTRIAL DISPUTES IN PROGRESS IN MAHARASHTRA STATE IN THE STATE SPHERE FOR THE MONTH OF NOVEMBER 1972

Industry	Name of the Concern and Locality	Matter in dispute	Date when dispute		Maximum No. of workers affected		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
Dal Mill ..	*Bombay*— Dal Mills (Pvt.).	*Wages*— Demand for increase in wages, D. A., etc.	14th September 1972.	16th November 1972.	280	30	4,186	16,588	Unsuccessful.
Oil ..	*Bombay*— New India Oil Mills (Pvt.).	*Retrenchment*— Protest against retrenchment of workers.	13th November 1972.	25th November 1972.	24	..	288	288	Unsuccessful.
Bidi ..	*Poona*— Bhikusa Yamasa Kshatriya (Pvt.) Ltd (Pvt.).	*Bonus*— Demand for bonus etc.	21st October 1972.	20th November 1972.	224	..	3,808	5,824	Successful.
Do. ..	*Bhandara*— Strike in Bidi Industry (Pvt.).	*Wages*— Demand for increase in wages, etc.	16th October 1972.	24th November 1972.	2,000	..	42,000	70,000	Unsuccessful.
Gin and Press	*Bombay*— M/s. Chanpaklal & Bros. Pvt. Ltd. & 9 Other Cotton Presses (Pvt.).	*Wages*— Demand for increase in wages, confirmation, etc.	20th October 1972.	3rd November 1972.	693	..	1,539	6,849	Indefinite.
Cotton Tex ..	*Aurangabad*— Aurangabad Mills (Pub.).	*Personnel*— Demand for reinstatement of dismissed workers.	2nd November 1972.	2nd November 1972.	488	..	488	488	Unsuccessful.
Do. ..	*Aurangabad*— Aurangabad Mills Ltd. (Pub.).	*Personnel*— Demand for reinstatement of dismissed workers.	30th November 1972.	...	322	...	322	322	Continued.
Do. ..	*Latur (District Osmanabad)*— Jawahar Sahakari Kapus Utpadak Soot Girni Maryadit (Pvt.).	*Bonus*— Demand for bonus etc.	1st November 1972.	11th November 1972.	328	...	2,952	2,952	Unsuccessful.

Cotton Textile	*Bombay*—Rajesh Textile Mill (Pvt.)	*Wages*—Demand for not deducting one day's wages to the Chief Minister's Relief Fund.	9th November 1972.	9th November 1972.	3,200	..	2,763	2,763	Unsuccessful.
Other Textile	*Bombay*—Premier Textile Processor (Pvt.)	*Others*—Protest against the management for asking the workers to give undertaking to give normal production.	21st August 1972.	23rd November 1972.	69	..	1,380	5,589	Successful.
Do. ..	*Bombay*—M/s. Ujagar Textile Industries (Pvt.)	*Personnel*—Demand to allow to join duly even if the workers come late and that too in bad health.	22nd November 1972. (4-30 p.m.)	23rd November 1972. (4-30 p.m.)	95	150	245	245	Unsuccessful.
Do. ..	*Bombay*—M/s. Dhansukh prints (Pvt.)	*Personnel*—Protest against charge-sheet given to one worker.	9th November 1972.	....	50	..	950	950	Continued.
Do. ..	*Nagpur*—New Era Processors (Pvt.)	*Personnel*—Protest against lay-off given to the workers.	22nd November 1972.	22nd November 1972.	25	10	35	35	Unsuccessful.
Do. ..	*Bombay*—Ashok Industries and 10 sister concerns (Pvt.)	*Wages*—Demand for increase in D.A., etc.	12th September 1972.	....	374	..	9,724	25,806	Continued.
Powerloom ..	*Madhavnagar (District Sangli)*—Powerloom Industries (Pvt.)	*Bonus*—Demand for 8·33 per cent bonus, etc.	1st November 1972.	3rd November	300	..	900	900	Indefinite.
Silk ..	*Bombay*—Anant Silk Industries (Pvt.)	*Personnel*—Demand for reinstatement of a discharged worker.	1st July 1972 (3-30 p.m.)	....	27	3	780	3,915	Continued.
Readymade garments.	*Bombay*—Kank Taiors (Pvt.) ..	*Bonus*—Demand for 8·33 per cent bonus.	1st November 1972.	....	35	..	910	910	Continued.
Embroidery ..	*Bhosari (District Poona* All over and Lace Pvt Ltd., (Pvt.)	*Bonus*—Demand for 20 percent bonus for the year 1970-71 and 1971-72	20th October 1972.	24th November 1972.	141	13	2,692	4,102	Indefinite.

STRIAL DISPUTES IN PROGRESS IN MAHARASHTRA STATE IN THE STATE SPHERE FOR THE MONTH OF NOVEMBER 1972—contd

Industry	Name of the Concern and Locality	Matter in dispute	Date when dispute		Maximum No. of worker s affected		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
Tailoring ..	*Bombay*— A. Sequiera Tailoring Shops (Pvt.)	*Bonus*— Demand for 8·33 per-cent bonus.	25th October 1972.	....	60	..	1,560	1,920	Continued.
Wood ..	*Bombay*— Box Wood (Pvt.)	*Bonus*— Demand for immediate payment of bonus.	17th November 1972.	22nd November 1972.	11	..	66	66	Successful.
Printing ..	*Aurangabad*— Government Press (Pub..)	*Wages*— Demand for giving over time work.	28th November 1972 (2-00 p.m.)	28th November 1972. (4-00 p.m.)	100	..	25	25	Unsuccessful.
Printing ..	*Bombay*— Parksons Printers (Pvt.)	*Bonus*— Demand for bonus.	3rd November 1972.	....	140	..	3,360	3,360	Continued.
Do.	*Bhasori (Poona)*— Auto Steel Industries and its sister concern (Pvt.)	*Bonus*— Demand for bonus.	4th November 1972.	19th November 1972.	44	..	550	550	Unsuccessful.
Do. ..	*Bombay*— Oil Seals Mfg. Co Pvt. Ltd. and its sister concern; (Pvt.)	*Wages*— Demad for increase in wages.	23rd October 1972.	....	455	..	11,830	15,243	Continued.
Do. .	*Dombivili (District Thana)*— M/s. Premier Rubber cable Industries (Pvt.)	*Personnel*— Demand for reinstatement of terminated employees.	11th November 1972.	....	387	..	6,485	6,485	Continued.
Refineries ..	*Bombay*— Esso Standard Refining Co. of India Ltd. (Pvt.).	*Personnel*— Protest against charge-sheet issued to two workmen.	11th October 1972.	3rd November 1972.	305	..	915	5,967	Partially successful.
Pharmceutical.	Bombay— M/s. Beacon Pharmaceuticals (Pvt.).	*Personnel*— Demand for permanency.	13th November 1972.	13th November 1972.	75	..	75	75	Unsuccessful.

Pharmceutical.	Bombay— M/s. Beacon Pharmaceuticals (Pvt.).	Personnel— Demand for permanency.	13th November 1972.	13th November 1972.	75	..	75	75	Unsuccessful.
naceuti-	Bombay— M/s. Smith & Nephew (India) Ltd. (Pvt.).	Personnel— Protest against lay-off given on account of go-slow tactics.	31st November 1972.	20th November 1972.	99	3	1,326	1,326	Indefinite.
..	Bombay— Pharmaceutical Capsules Laboratories (Pvt.).	Wages— Demand for increase in wages and D. A.	14th November 1972.	....	275	..	4,125	4,125	Continued
cal ..	Nagpur— Sanyal Hassonjee Explosives Ltd. (Pvt.).	Others— Lockout due to go-slow tactics and indiscipline behaviour of the workers.	25th October 1972.	3rd November 1972.	155	..	465	1,395	Indefinite.
ural Clay ucts.	Aurangabad— Ajantha Tiles & Cement Industries (Pvt.) Ltd. (Pvt.).	Bonus— Demand for payment of bonus.	7th November 1972.	....	16	4	420	420	Continued.
..	Poona— M/s. J. N. Parekh (Pvt.).	Bonus— Demand for 20 per cent bonus for 1971.	30th October 1972.	16th November 1972.	20	..	280	320	Successful.
nt ..	Kanhan (District Nagpur)— The Indian Hume Pipe Co. Ltd. (Pvt.).	Leave and Hours of work— Demand for leave and implementations of recommendations by Central Engineering Wage Board.	28th September 1972.	7th November 1972.	74	..	444	2,590	Unsuccessful.
eering ..	Thana and Bombay— Bombay Metal & Alloys Mfg. Co. Pvt. and its sister concern (Pvt.).	Wages— Demand for higher D. A. and bonus.	10th June 1972	....	380	229	15,716	81,436	Continued.
o. ..	Bhor (District Poona)— Jolly Torsteel Pvt. Ltd. (Pvt.).	Retrenchment— Demand for reinstatement of retrenched workers.	17th November 1972.	....	95	..	1,140	1,140	Continued.
o. ..	Bombay— Eastern Smelting & Rolling Mills (Pvt.).	Bonus— Demand for bonus, etc.	23rd August 1972.	....	87	9	1,846	6,485	Continued.
o. ..	Bombay— Popular Metal & Rolling Mills (Pvt.).	Bonus— Demand for 8·33 per cent bonus.	5th November 1972.	5th November 1972.	73	..	9	9	Unsuccessful.
o. ..	Bombay— Godrej & Boyce Mfg. Co. Ltd., (Plant 1) (Pvt.).	Others— Protest against alleged shortage of eatables on the trolley.	3rd November 1972.	3rd November 1972.	55	..	7	7	Unsuccessful.

DISPUTES IN PROGRESS IN MAHARASHTRA STATE IN THE STATE SPHERE FOR THE MONTH OF NOVEMBER 1972—contd

y	Name of the Concern and Locality	Matter in disputes	Date when Work-Stoppages		Maximum No. of workers affected		No. of mandays lost		Result
			Began	Ended	Directly	In-directly	During the month	Till the close of the month	
	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
ng ..	*Bombay*— Godrej & Boyce Mfg. Co. Pvt. Ltd., (Plant) (Pvt.).	*Personnel*— Protest against disrespectful treatment to mukadam by another worker.	14th November 1972.	14th November 1972.	557	..	244	244	Unsuccessful.
..	*Bombay*— Godrej & Boyce Mfg. Co. Pvt. Ltd., (Plant 7) (Pvt.).	*Leave and Hours of work* Protest against alleged non-sanctioning of Privilege leave.	14th November 1972.	14th November 1972.	140	..	35	35	Unsuccessful.
..	*Bombay*— Mahavir Metal industries (Pvt.).	*Bonus*— Demand for bonus ..	17th November 1972.	23rd November 1972.	19	..	114	114	Unsuccessful.
..	*Bombay*— Kandivali Metal Works (Pvt.).	*Bonus*— Demand for bonus ..	3rd November 1972.	3rd November 1972.	153	..	10	10	Successful.
..	*Bombay*— Larson & Toubro Ltd., (Pvt.).	*Personnel*— Protest against assault on workers outside the factory.	1st November 1972.	1st November 1972.	4,055	..	2,028	2,028	Successful.
..	*Bombay*— Bardai Pvt. Ltd., (Pvt.)	*Retrenchment*— Demand for reinstatement of retrenched workers.	15th July 1972.	....	56		1,456	6,664	Continued.
..	*Bombay*— Daver N. G. M. Private Ltd. (Pvt.)	*Bonus*— Demand for higher bonus.	2nd November 1972.	11th November 1972.	41	7	396	396	Partially successful.
	Bombay— General Pharmaceutical Machinery Co. (Pvt.)	*Wages*— Demand for increase in wages etc.	30th September 1972.	3rd November 1972.	40	..	120	1,200	Successful.
	Pimpri (Dist. Poona)— Traub India Pvt. Ltd. (Pvt.).	*Personnel*— Demand for reinstatement of a terminated worker.	13th November 1972.	....	241	..	3,262	3,262	Continued.

Traub India Pvt. Ltd. (Pvt.).	Demand for reinstatement of a terminated worker.	ber 1972.							

rical ..	*Bombay*— Kaycee Industries Ltd. (Pvt.).	*Personnel*— Demand for reinstatement of two terminated employees.	9th November 1972.	14th November 1972.	27	2	145	145	Indefinite.
Do.	*Bombay*— Ansons Electro Mechanical Works (Pvt.).	*Bonus*— Demand for bonus	27th November 1972.	....	41	..	164	164	Continued.
Do.	*Bombay*— Moon Winding Works, (Pvt.)	*Personnel*— Demand for reinstatement of a terminated worker.	18th October 1972.	....	28	..	728	1,064	Continued.
Do.	*Poona*— Matchwel Electricals (India) Ltd. (Pvt.).	*Wages*— Demand for more Diwali advance.	25th October 1972.	1st November 1972.	819	..	819	4,245	Unsuccessful.
Do.	*Bombay*— The National Radio and Electronics Co. Ltd., (Pvt.).	*Bonus*— Demand for bonus.	3rd November 1972.	3rd November 1972.	511	..	511	511	Unsuccessful.
r Vehical	*Thana*— Perfect Engineering Co. (Pvt.)	*Bonus*— Demand for bonus	15th October 1972.	....	50	..	1,300	2,050	Continued.
struction	*Dapodi (Dist Poona)* Irrigation and Power Dept., (Pub.).	*Personnel*— Protest against termination of services of some workers.	10th November 1972.	11th November 1972.	1,200	..	1,800	1,800	Indefinite.
os ..	*Bombay*— Cambata Industries Pvt. Ltd., (Pvt.)	*Wages*— Demand for increase in wages, etc.	3rd November 1972.	3rd November 1972.	150	..	75	75	Unsuccessful.
Do. ..	*Kalyan (Dist. Thana)*— The Kalyan Gas Service (Pvt.)	*Bonus*— Demand for bonus.	3rd November 1972.	4th November 1972.	45	..	90	90	Successful.
Do. ..	*Bombay*— Steel Kapat Kamgar, (Pvt.)	*Bonus*— Demand for 14 per cent bonus.	31st October 1972.	1st November 1972.	100	..	100	200	Successful.
el ..	*Bombay*— Strand Hotel and its sister concern (Pvt.)	*Retrenchment*— Demand for reinstatement of retrenched workers.	27th October 1972.	17th November 1972.	43	..	653	825	Unsuccessful.
nicipality	*Khopoli (District Kolaba)* Nagar Palika (Pub.)	*Wages*— Demand for uncleanness allowance, etc.	16th November 1972.	16th November 1972.	60	..	60	60	Unsuccessful.

INDUSTRIAL DISPUTES INPROGRESS IN MAHARASHTRA STATE SPHERE FOR THE MONTH OF NOVEMBER, 1972

Industry	Name of the Concern and Locality	Matter in dispute	Date when work stoppages		Maximum No. of workers affected		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
Municipality	*Wardha*— Municipal Council. (Pub.)	*Wages*— Demand for arrearsas per Badkas Commission, etc.	3rd November 1972.	10th November 1972.	178	..	1,197	1,197	Compromise.
Do. ..	*Bombay*— Bhabha Municipal Hospital (Pub.)	*Personnel*— Demand for cancellation of transfer orders	13th November 1972.	13th November 1972.	90	..	59	59	Unsuccessful.
Hospital ..	*Bombay*— Sarvodaya Hospital (Pub.)	*Wages*— Demand for wage-scales etc.	18th September 1972.	14th November 1972.	650	..	7,800	32,500	Unsuccessful.
Motor Vehicles	*Bombay*— Bombay Cycle and Motor Agency Ltd., (Pvt) ..	*Personnel*— Demand for cancellation of transfer order of one worker.	2nd November 1972.	3rd November 1972.	443	..	886	886	Indefinite.
Tobacco ..	*Bombay*— India Tobacco Co. (Pvt.)	*L. & W.*— Protest against extended nightshift	25ht November 1972. 26th November 1972. 27th November 1972.	25th November 1972. 26th November 1972, 27th November 1972.	543	..	464	464	Unsuccessful.
Cotton Tex ..	*Sholapur*— Vyankatesh Pogual Tex. (Pvt.)	*Personnel*— Demand for reinstatement of discharged wokers.	16th November 1972.	....	125	..	1,563	1,563	Continued.
Powerloom	*Ichalkaranji (District Kolhapur)*— Shakuntala Sadi Works (Pvt).	*Retrenchment*— Demand for reinstatement of retrenched workers.	19th November 1972.	28th November 1972.	54	..	486	486	Successful.

Tailoring ..	*Bombay*— Siddharth Tailors (Pvt.)	*Bonus*— Demand for 8·33 percent bonus.	3rd November 1972	....	25	..	600	600	Continued.
Pharmaceutical.	*Thana*— Kubin Dye Colours Works (Pvt.)	*Bonus*— Demand for 8 percent bonus.	10th November 1972	11th November 1972	28	..	56	56	Unsuccessful
Engineering	*Bombay*— Peacefort Chemi Ind. Engg. Pvt. Ltd. (Pvt.)	*Bonus*— Demand for bonus.	26th October 1972	27th November 1972	45	..	1,035	1,260	Successful.
Do. ..	*Bombay*— General Mechanical Industries (Pvt.)	*Others*— Demand for recognition of the union	17th November 1972	17th November 1972	13	..	13	13	Unsuccessful
Electrical	*Hadapsar (District Poona*— Globe Electrical Industries (Pvtl)	*Wages*— Demand for early disbusement of pay on account of Diwali Festival.	6th November 1972	10th November 1972	90	..	450	450	Successful.
Hotel ..	*Bombay*— Reserve Bank Canteen, (Pvt)	*Personnel*— Protest against lay-off given to the workers	24th November 1972	..	18	..	108	108	Continued.
Services	*Bombay*— Contractor of Prajapati Sahakari Utpadak Mandal Ltd., (Pvt.)	*Wages*— Demand for more wages.	15th September 1972	1st November ber 1972	15	..	15	615	Unsuccessful.
Beverages ..	*Bombay*— Parle Bottling Co., Pvt. Ltd. and its sister concern, (Pvt.).	*Personnel*— Demand for reinstatement of terminated employee.	25th November 1972.	27th November 1972.	413	..	826	826	Indefinite.
Silk ..	*Bombay*— Fancy Textiles, (Pvt.)	*Bonus*— Demand for higher quantum of bonus.	6th November 1972.	7th November	71	..	106	106	Successful.
Engineering ..	*Bombay*— Mukand Engineering Works (Pvt.).	*Others*— Protest against the removing of machine.	23rd November 1972.	....	40	..	280	280	Continued.
Electrical ..	*Bombay*— Doshi Spray Printing and Welding Works and its sister concern, (Pvt.).	*Retrenchment*— Demand for reinstatement of retrenched workers.	30th September 1972.	3rd November 1972	25	..	75	750	Unsuccessful.
Hotel ..	*Bombay*— Juhu Hotel (Pvt).	*Bonus*— Demand for 20% bonus etc.	3rd November 1972	16th November 1972.	84	..	1,008	1,008	Indefinite.

L DISPUTES IN PROGRESS IN MAHARASHTRA STATE IN THE STATE SPHERE FOR THE MONTH OF NOVEMBER 1972—contd

lustry	Name of the Concern and Locality	Matter in dispute	Date when work-stoppages		Maximum No. of workers affected		No. of mandays 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
ering—	*Pimpri (District Poona)* A. K. K. P. Engineering Corporation (Pvt.)	*Wages*— Demand for increase in wages, etc.	24th November 1972	contd.	33	..	181	181	Continued.
..	*Bombay*— Akbarally Ebrahimji, (Pvt.)	*Personnel*— Protest against dismissal of a worker.	6th September 1972	17th November 1972.	22	..	330	1,375	Unsuccessful
Textile	*Bombay*— Ajay Textile and seven other concern.	*Wages*— Demand for increase in wages.	13th November 1972	Contd.	880	..	10,758	10,758	Contd.
..	*Bombay*— J. K. Prints and its sister concern (Pvt.)	*Wages*— Demand for increase in dearness allowance	18th November 1972.	Contd.	222	..	2,506	2,506	Contd.
nery ..	*Bombay*— Kamakshi Tannery Works and 10 others (Pvt.)	*Wages*— Demand for increase D. A. wages, etc.	14th November 1972	16th November 1972.	129	..	387	387	Successful.
s.	*Bombay*— Plastic Dies Co. and its sister concern, (Pvt.)	*Retrenchment*— Demand for reinstatement of retrenched workers.	9th October 1972. 1972.	....	39	..	1,014	1,794	Contd.
ring ..	*Chinchwad (Poona)*— Atlas Automotive components, (Pvt.)	*Bonus*— Demand for 20 percent bonus.	19th November 1972	19th November 1972	62	..	62	62	Unsuccessful.
Textile	*Poona*— The Raja Bahadur Motilal Poona Pvt. Ltd., Poona. (Pvt.)	*Bonus*— Demand for remaining 2·33 percent bonus.	29th November 1972	29th November 1972	1,911	..	1,911	1,911	Unsuccessful.
ring ..	*Bombay*— Messrs Vinod Steel	*Wages*— Demand for increase	16th October 1972	2nd November 1972	400	..	800	6,400	Successful

Bombay— Ashok Steel Chain Mfg. Co., (Pvt.)	*Others*— Protest against shifting lockers of Tiffin carriers.	12th November 1972	15th November 1972.	111	..	444	444	Unsuccessful.
Bombay— De Smet (India) Pvt. Ltd., (Pvt.)	*Personnel*— Protest against termination of services of temporary drivers.	14th November 1972	14th November 1972	60	..	60	60	Unsuccessful.
Bombay— Gannon Dunkerley and Co. (Pvt.)	*Bonus*— Demand for bonus.	2nd November 1972.	2nd November 1972.	206	..	206	206	Successful.
Khed-Shivapur (Dist-Poona)— Ko. S. Prabodhan Udyog, (Pvt.)	*Personnel*— Demand for reinstatement of terminated Workmen.	22nd November 1972.	....	75	..	600	600	Continued.
Poona— Subodh Chrome (Plast) (Pvt.)	*Bonus*— Demand for bonus	10th November 1972	19th November 1972.	28	..	252	252	Successful.
Poona— Art. Leather Private Ltd. (Pvt.)	*Wages*— Demand for Rs. 100 as Diwali advance.	5th November 1972	5th November 1972	185	..	185	185	Unsuccessful
Bhosari (Dist-Poona)— Industrial Air Control India Pvt. Ltd., (Pvt.)	*Bonus*— Demand for 8·33 per cent bonus.	1st November 1972	11th November 1972	25	..	250	250	Indefinite
Bhosari (Dist-Poona)— Industrial-Air Control India Pvt. Ltd., (Pvt.)	*Bonus*— Demand for 8·33 per cent bonus.	22nd November 1972.	24th November 1972.	25	..	75	75	Indefinite
Bombay— Digvijay Motor Transport Service, (Pvt.)	*Personnel*— Protest against employing temporary workmen on holiday.	27th November 1972.	27th November 1972.	21	..	21	21	Successful
Bombay— Indian Lime Corporation, (Pvt.)	*Wages*— Demand for increase in wages.	29th November 1972.	....	42	..	64	64	Continued.
Bombay— M/s. Shapurji Pallanji Co, (Pvt.).	*Wages*— Demand for overtime and allowance for Sunday	15th November 1972	21th November 1972	400	..	2,400	2,400	Successful.
Thana:—								
Simac Group (India) Pvt. Ltd. (Pvt.)	*Personnel*— Protest against lay Off and retrenchment	28th November 1972	....	97	..	216	216	Continued.

STATEMENT OF AGRICULTURAL WAGES IN URBAN AREAS DURING DECEMBER, 1972.

...VISION	BOMBAY									POONA					
...istrict	Thana		Kolaba		Ratnagiri	Nasik		Dhulia	Jal-gaon	Ahmednagar		Poona	Sangli	Shola-pur	Kolha-pur
...illage	Kalyan	Palghar	Alibag	Mahad	Ratnagiri	Nasik	Malegaon	Nan-durbar	Jalgaon	Shev-gaon	Shriram-pur	Poona	Miraj	Shola-pur	Ichal-karanji
...Working		(8)						(8)	(8)	(8)					
...f Labour	I.N.R.	Rs.P.	I.N.R.	I.N.R.	I.N.R.	I.N.R.	I.N.R.	Rs.P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.	I.N.R.	I.N.R.	I.N.R.	I.N.R.	I.N.R.
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...n ..		2·50	3·00					2·50	3·00	2·00					
...en ..		1·50	3·00					2·00	3·00	1·50					
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Division	AURANGABAD					NAGPUR								
District	Aurangabad	Parbhani	Bhir	Nanded	Osmanabad	Buldhana	Akola	Amravati	Yeotmal	Wardha	Nagpur	Bhandara	Chandrapur	
Village	Aurangabad	Hingoli	Mominabad	Nanded	Bembli	Shegaon	Mangrulpir	Amravati	Digras	Wardha	Narkhed	Gondia	Warora	Desaigunj
...mal Working ...urs.						(8)		(8)		(8)	(7)	(8)	(8)	
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...lled Labour—														
Carpenters ..						5·00		6·75		9·00	8·00	5·00	7·00	7·00
...) Blacksmiths ..						5·00		6·50		8·00	7·00	5·00	7·00	5·00
Mochies(Cobblers).						5·00		6·50		7·00	5·00	3·00	3·50	4 00
...d Labour—											(10)			
...) Men ..						2·25		2·50		3·50	3·00	1·75	3·00	3·00
...) Women ..						1·25		1·50		2·00	1·50	1·25	2·00	2·00
...) Children ..						....		1·25		1·50	....	0·75	2·00	1·00
...her Agricultural ...abour—											(8)			
...) Men ..						2·25		2·50		4·00	3·00	2·00	3·00	....
...) Women ..						1·25		1·50		2·00	2·00	1·25	1·50	....
...c) Children ..						....		1·25		1·50	2·00	0·75	1·50	....
...erdsmen—											(10)			
...a) Men ..						....		2·75		....	2·50	1·50	3·00	2·00
...b) Women ..						....		1·25		....	1·50	....	1·50	1·00
...c) Children ..						....		1·00		....	1·00	....	1·50	0·75

STATEMENT OF AGRICULTURAL WAGES IN RURAL AREAS DURING DECEMBER, 1972—contd.

ION	BOMBAY												POONA					
ct	Thana		Kolaba	Ratnagiri	Nasik		Dhulia			Jalgaon			Ahmednagar			Poona	Satara	
e	Tanashi	Dolkhamb	Mangaon	Masure	Lasalgaon	Pimpalgaon	Taloda	Pimpalner	Kapadne	Wagholi	Rotwad	Chinawal	Rashin	Deolali	Kalaskhurd	Junnar	Kelghar	Budh
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POONA				AURANGABAD					NAGPUR								
Sangli		Sholapur	Kolhapur	Aurangabad	Parbhani	Bhir	Nanded	Osmanabad	Buldhana	Akola	Yeotmal	Wardha	Nagpur	Bhandara	Amravati	Chandrapur	
ath	Atpadi	Hajapur	Gargoti	Kadoli	Phulmari	Pingali	Amalner	Loha	Latur	Mera Bk.	Akoli	Babulgaon	Seloo	Fetri	Sakoli	Khalapur	Mul	Brahmapuri
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The Month in Brief

Consumer Price Index Number for Working Class

The Bombay, Sholapur and Nagpur Consumer Price Index Numbers for Working Class for the Month of February 1973 with the average Prices for the Year 1960 ended December equal to, 100 were 208, 232 and 206 respectively. The Jalgaon Nanded, Poona and Aurangabad Consumer Price Index Numbers or working class for the month of February 1973 with the average prices for he year ended December 1961 equal to 100 were 220, 240, 201 and 232 espectively.

Industrial Disputes

During December 1972, there were 94 strikes involving 20,952 workmen nd a time loss of 1,58,513 working days, as compared to 101 disputes n November 1972 involving 35,912 workers and time loss of 2,11,158 mandays. Further particulars of industrial disputes are given at pages 1241 o 1242 and 1268 to 1277 of this issue.

Absenteeism

During January 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 78·48 per cent as against 184·81 per cent in December 1972. For further particulars see pages 1243 of this issue.

Production of Cotton Yarn, Spun and Manufacture of cloth

During October 1972, Mills in Bombay City produced a total of 1,47,20,000 Kgs. of yarn, 1,95,000 Kgs. of Miscellaneous goods such as blankets, hosiery goods and knitted fabrics and packed 27,53,000 metres of cotton goods mixed with silk, wool, terene, etc. and packed 10,01,77,000 metres wearable and non-wearable cloth and those in Rest of Maharashtra produced 53,65,000 Kgs. of yarn 1,17,000 Kgs. of miscellaneous goods such as blankets, hosiery and knitted fabrics and packed 2,64,51,000 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 2,00,85,000 Kgs, 3,12,000 Kgs. 29,38,000 metres and 12,66,28,000 metres respectively.

The Current Notes

Yeast Manufacturing Industry declared as public utility service

The Government of Maharashtra has declared the industry engaged in fresh yeast manufacturing wherein 20 or more workmen are employed to b public utility service for the purpose of the Industrial Disputes Act, 1947 a period of six months.

Minimum Wages Act Exemptions

The Government of Maharashtra has directed that for a period of nine mor from April 1, 1973 the provisions of the Minimum Wages Act, 1948, shall apply to the part-time employee in certain specified scheduled employme Employees whose daily hours of work do not exceed five hours and such ho of work are not split into more than two periods of work shall be treated part-time employees.

The specified employments are : employment in any rice mill, flour or dal mill; tobacco (including bidi making); oil mill; stone-breaking or st crushing; public motor transport tanneries and leather manufactory; reside hotel, restaurant or eating house; cotton ginning or cotton pressing manufac glass industy; potteries; rubber manufacturing industry; paper and paper-bo manufactory, brick or roof tiles manufactory, premises wherein baffaloes kept for milking, cleaning or feeding and or any other ancillary proces automobile repairing workshops and garrages, canteens and clubs not fa under entry 13 in part I of the schedule of the Act; film production indu powerloom industry, any local authority, construction or maintaining of r or building operations, any industry in which any process of printing by le press, lithography, photogravure or other similar work or work incidenta such process or book binding is carried, on any shop or commercial estab ment (not being an employment in any bank or an employment whic included under any of the other entries in the schedule to the Act), and industry in which any process of transforming plastics into various solid sh through moulding, forming, extrusion or casting by application singly together with heat and or pressure or both or other similar work or ncidental to such process is carried on.

Pay scarcity workers at old rates if higher than uniform rates

The State Government has directed that the scarcity workers should be their wages at old rates if it is found that the uniform rates which were bro into force from December 1, 1972, are lower than the old rates.

It was represented to the Government that in some districts the old ra respect of some of the items of the scarcity relief works were higher tha prescribed uniform rates and as a result the workers were likely to get less than Rs. 2·50 for men and Rs. 2 for women. In view of this, the Go ment has asked the Collectors to examine the problem and submit repo it so that the uniform rates could be suitably revised.

Pending Government's decision on the modifications of the uniform rates cessary orders have been issued to the concerned authorities to pay wages the scarcity workers according to the higher of the two rates.

l Hoc pension to municipal primary Teachers

e Government of Maharashtra has sanctioned a scheme granting an ad hoc nsion to those primary school teachers in the employment of municipal nools boards in Western Maharashtra (including Poona, Sholapur and olhapur municipal corporations) Nagpur municipal corporation and muni-pal councils in Vidarbha who retired on superannuation between August 15 47 and April 30, 1960.

The scheme which has already come into force with effect from January 1, 73 will be applicable to those teachers who are still alive. Under the scheme, e rates of ad hoc pension will be Rs. 40 per month payable only during the e time of the pensioner. No other additional pensionary benefits such as ath-cum-retirement gratuity, temporary increase in pension, family pension service gratuity, etc., will be admissible.

The primary school teachers who are in receipt of pension admissible under e Bombay Primary Education Rules 1948 or pension from any other source ill not be eligible for this pension.

The teachers who have retired between August 15, 1947 and April, 30 1960, ould not be asked to refund the employers' share of the contributory ovident fund received by them along with their own contribution.

The Commissioner, Nagpur municipal corporation the Administrative fficer of the Municipal school board and Chief Officer of the municipal uncil will be the competent authority to sanction the ad hoc pension under is scheme. Teachers entitled for ad hoc pension may apply in the prescribed rms. Copies of application forms can be had from the offices of the aforesaid fficers.

irmingham Trade Mission calls on Industries Minister.

Trade Mission of the Birmingham Chamber of Commerce and Industry, eaded by Mr. N. J. Burne, called on Shri N. M. Tidke, Minister for Industries, Sachivalaya, Bombay on 17th April, 1973.

Shri Tidke briefed the members on the industrial progress made by Maharashtra and discussed the possibilities of importing machinery and other ems that were needed by the State.

The Mission offered to supply high-pressure cylinders, porcelaim insulators nd specialised type of printing machinery, etc. to Maharashtra.

Shri K. P. Patil, Minister of State for Industry; Mr. M. J. Marshall, Deputy High Commissioner in Bombay; Mr. G. Peaston, Commercial Secretary and Dr. M. N. Desai, Secretary, Industries Department, were also present on the occasion.

Streamlining of Arbitration Called Key to Expanded Use

Arbitration has been widely and successfully used in this century to settle grievances arising during the term of a labor contract, but it is badly in need of streamlining.

Norman Walker, information director of the Federal Mediation and Conciliation Service, cites the cost factor, the time required to settle grievances, and the availability of qualified arbitrators as the chief problems.

Writing in the AFL-CIO magazine, the Federationist, Walker notes that arbitration, as it has evolved since the 1940s, means voluntary arbitration, as contrasted to compulsory arbitration. The affected parties voluntarily enter the arbitration procedure of their own free will.

Walker points out that wider reliance on the arbitration process has contributed to new stresses on the system. One strain is from sheer volume. The Federal Mediation & Counciliation Service and the American Arbitration Association– the two principal agencies supplying arbitration services at the national level– received an estimated 20,000 requests for arbitration panels during 1972.

Chief Justice Stanley H. Fuld rejected both contentions. The strikers had met the requirements for public assistance, he ruled. And if there is any violation of neutrality, he suggested, it is certainly no more so than if the state " renders of grievances, Walker notes, are factors such as technological development, increasing unionization among public employes and the emergence of a younger, more militant workforce.

The author cites a recent Labour Dept. study showing that one-third of all work stoppages in the country occur during the life of the contract, indicating that working conditions– not just disagreement over new terms of wages and fringe benefits– can produce crisis situations.

" A more effective arbitration process could obviously contribute to reducing at least that one-thrid of the nation's strikes," Walker observes.

Remedial efforts are already under way, he says. Steps are being taken to reduce the caseload in the beginning by screening out weak or frivolous grievances, consolidating similar grievances for hearing in a single case, and encouraging arbitrators to issue bench decisions where the parties agree no

Even so, much more work needs to be done to solve the basic problems of time lag, cost, and arbitrator availability that currently hinder the process, he says.

FM & CS statistics show that the arbitration process now takes an average 168 days from the time a request for arbitration is filed until an award is handed down.

Excluding attorney fees and other expenses incurred separately by the parties in a case, arbitration costs that averaged less than $200 a day in 1962 had about tripled by 1972, says Walker.

Meanwhile, he points out, the supply of acceptable arbitrators has not increased commensurately with the number of cases. In response to the problem of arbitrator availability, FM & CS has launched a training program in the Buffalo, N.Y., area to develop qualified newcomers into the arbitrator profession.

Also, the FM & CS has inaugurated a new computerized system for tracking the progress of arbitration cases to help locate and elimanate the " bugs " in the system, Walker reports.

" The FM & CS computer will produce a great deal of important incidental information," the author suggets. " Individual companies, indus-tries or areas in which the incidence of grievances is highest will be natural situations for a mediator's investigation on whether grievance systems are bogged down or overloaded. They ' will red-flag ' potential problem situations."

Some unions, too, are experimenting with " instant " arbitration with a good deal of success, notably the Steelworkers and the Electrical, Radio & Machine Workers which have cut both costs and time to settle recent cases significantly, Walker observes.

He finds the fact that experimentation is being pursued " demonstrates the basic confidence in which the parties hold the entire (arbitration) system.

" That basic confidence is also displayed by the wide recognition that the proper purpose of arbitration should be justice speedily achieved," he sums up. " It is a real tribute to labor and management that, like it or not, they do abide by arbitrators' decisions."

First Asian Conference of Oil-Chemical Unions

An Asian area conference of oil and chemical unions, the first of its kind, was conducted by the International Federation of Petroleum and Chemical Workers in Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia. The Malaysian National Union of Petroleum and Chemical Industry Workers was host, and AAFLI assisted in making the meeting possible.

Sixty-nine delegates and observers from 17 countries attended the weeklo sessions. Discussion topics included the status of the petroleum and chemi industries in Asia ; trade unions in developing nations ; multinational cor rations, and the International Labour Organization. The chief empha was on unity within the federation and how to make it more effective.

Participating countries were Australia, Fili, India, Indonesia, Japan-Oikna Korea, Malaysia (Sabah, Sarawa), Singapore, Vietnam, Taiwan, Austr Italy, Lebanon, Liberia, Turkey, U.S.A. and Venezuela."

John T. Dunlop, Chairman of the Construction Industry Stabilizat Committee, has been designated as the director of the Cost of Living Cou under Phase 3 of the Administration's economic stabilization program.

Defining poor families

"The level of family income which the Federal Government in USA s to help determine whether a person is poor or not has been raised by Labour Department in its manpower programs.

The Department's Manpower Administration uses the guidelines to h determine eligibility in manpower training and job placement programs.

The new levels are approximately $193 higher than last year's. They effective immediately.

The change was made by the Manpower Administration to conform w a recent revision in the poverty income guidelines by the Office of Econo Opportunity.

For purposes of program eligibility, a person is considered to be poo he or his family receives welfare payments or if annual net income does exceed the following limits :—

Family Size	Continental U.S.		Hawaii		Alaska	
	Nonfarm	Farm	Nonfarm	Farm	Nonfarm	Far
1	$2,100	$1,800	$2,425	$2,075	$2,625	2,2
2	2,725	2,325	3,150	2,700	3,425	2,9
3	3,450	2,950	4,000	3,400	4,325	3,7
4	4,200	3,575	4,850	4,125	5,250	4,4
5	4,925	4,200	5,675	4,850	6,175	5,2
6	5,550	4,725	6,400	5,475	6,950	5,9
7	6,200	5,275	7,150	6,100	7,750	6,6

come limits for families of more than seven persons can be determined by ng for the nonfarm and farm levels these amounts for each additional on : $650 and $550 for the Continental U.S., $750 and $650 for Hawaii, $800 and $700 for Alaska.

e income guidelines are based on poverty thresholds derived from a defi- n of poverty developed for statistical purposes by the Social Security inistration in 1964.

e income guidelines are used in all Federal programs in which poverty is a qualifying eligibility factor."

e, Benefit Improvements Still Best Way to Enrich Jobs

following is excerpted from an address by Machinists Vice President am W. Winpisinger at the recent annual meeting of the Industrial ions Research Association in Toronto.

er some years of seeking legislative alternatives to collective bargaining, even more years of academic discussion and rebate on the pros and cons ion responsibilities in relation to public rights, it now appears that labour's friends in government, intellectual and academic circles have discovered teresting new malady. They've already provided it with a name, a osis and even a cure.

e name is the "blucecollar blucs." The diagnosis is that because younger ers are brighter and better educated than their fathers they refuse tc accept ing conditions that past generations took for granted. The cure consists hot of psychic penicillin known as job enrichment.

you want to enrich the job, enrich the pay check. The better the wage, reater the job satisfaction. There is no better cure for the "blué collor ."

you want to enrich the job, begin to decrease the number of hours a er has to labor in order to earn a decent standard of living. Just as the ased productivity of mechanized assembly lines made it possible to dec- the work week from 60 to 40 hours a couple of generations ago, the time ome to translate the increased productivity of automated processes into ind of enrichment that comes from shorter work weeks, longer vacations earlier retirements.

you want to enrich the job, do something about the nerve-shattering the heat and the fumes that are deafening, poisoning and destroying ealth of American workers. Thousands of chemicals are being used in places whose effect on humans has never been tested.

mpanies are willing to spend millions advertising quieter refrigerators or ng machines but are reluctant to spend one penny to provide a reasonably

safe level of noise in their plants. And though we are now supposed to have a law that protects working people against some of the more obvious occupational hazards, industry is already fighting to undermine enforcement, and the Nixon Administration has gone along with them by cutting the funds that are needed to make it effective.

If you want to enrich the jobs of the men and women who manufacture the goods that are needed for the functioning of our industralized society, the time has come to re-evaluate the snobbery that makes it noble to possess a college degree and shameful to learn skills that involve a little bit of grease under the finger nails.

The best way to undermine a worker's morale, and decrease his satisfaction with himself and his job is to make him feel that society looks down on him because he wears blue coveralls instead of a while collar.

If you want to enrich the job, give working people a greater sense of control over their working conditions. That's what they, and their unions, were seeking in the early 1960s when management was automating and retooling on a large scale. That's why we asked for advance consultation when employers intended to make major job changes. That's why we negotiated for clauses providing retraining and transfer rights and a fair share of the increased productivity that resulted from automation.

What workers resent, and what really causes alienation, are management decisions that rearrange job assignments or upset existing work schedules without reference to the rights of the work force.

If you want to enrich the job, you must realize that no matter how dull or boring or dirty it may be an individual worker must feel that he has not reached the end of the line. If a worker is to be reasonably statisfied with the job he has today he must have hope for something better tomorrow.

Perhaps workers were not thinking in terms of job enrichment when they first negotiated the right to bid on better shifts, overtime or promotions on the basis of length of service. Perhaps they were only trying to restrict management's right to allocate jobs and shifts and overtime on the basis of favoritism. But even if they weren't thinking in terms of "job enrichment," in actual practice that's what they got.

It's true that many young workers in their 20s resent the fact that while they have to tighten the same old bolt in the same old spot a thousand times a day the guys in their 40s are walking up and down the line with inspection sheets or running around the factory on forklifts.

They may resent and bitch about it now, but they also know that they are accumulating seniority which they can trade for a better job of their own some

e are those who worry about what the younger generation is coming to
onder whether the rebellious young workers of today will be willing to
ir father's shoes in the factory jobs of tomorrow.

e is little doubt, and all the studies tend to prove, that worker dissatis-
diminishes with age. And that's because older workers have accrued
f the kinds of job enrichment that unions have fought for—better wages,
hours, vested pensions, a right to have a say in their working condi-
he right to be promoted on the basis of seniority and all the rest.

's the kind of job enrichment that unions believe in. And I assure you
at's the kind of job enrichment that we will continue to fight for."

rs Press for Progress Through Democratic System

erican workers approach the New Year in a determined mood. They
ll aware of the many, grave problems they face as wage earners, as heads
ilies, as citizens—for their problems are those of all America.

working people are convinced none of these problems is insurmountable
ey are determined to resolve each of them through the American system.

kers are not blind to the imperfections and injustices of the system,
ey are deaf to the cries of those who would wreck the best system of
ment yet devised by man in the vain hope that something better might
e it.

kers want to eliminate the imperfections in the system. Their goal,
rse, is to have the government function for the benefit of all its citizens,
st a privileged few. That goal, workers believe, can be achieved by
tuting justice for injustice, equity for inequity, compassion for neglect,
ss for unfairness, and reason for irrationality.

kers know that the single best mechanism they have for building a better
r themselves and their families is through united, collective action—at
llective bargaining table through strong unions and in the legislative
through a strong, united voice.

the nearly 5 million workers who will go to the bargaining table through
unions, 1973 will be a year to regain lost purchasing power, to better
lives today and in the future. It is only through collective bargaining
vorkers have a say in their own economic destiny and an opportunity to
a fair portion of the wealth they produce.

ring 1973, the AFL-CIO will be pursuing many legislation goals in the

A just tax system based on ability to pay through closing tax loopholes which benefit only the most wealthy.

A national health security program based on human needs, rather than individual pocket-books.

A Foreign Trade and Investment Act that will stop the export of U.S. jobs, capital and technology.

Making the economic stabilization program equitable for all or abolishing controls altogether.

Increasing the minimum wage above the poverty level and extending coverage to all workers.

Mandatory federal minimum standards for unemployment and workmen's compensation laws.

In addition, the AFL-CIO will seeks ; establishment of an independent Consumer Protection Agency a federally funded, community-controlled system of comprehensive day care centers ; welfare reform ; protections for workers' pensions ; collective bargaining rights for state and local government employees ; repeal of the Hatch Act and enactment of a Federal Workers' Bill of Rights ; protection for workers' jobs against environmental blackmail by employers seeking to avoid compliance with pollution abatement orders ; full funding of education, health, job safety and environmental protection programs ; enforcement of existing civil rights laws ; increased low and middle-income housing ; and a national voters registration law.

All of these legislative goals have one thing in common—they will help all Americans. None will benefit workers at the expense of their fellow citizens. All are designed to strengthen the fabric of America and to improve the American system.

So American workers face 1973 in the unshaken belief that trade unionism will serve them as well in the future as it has in the past. They pay no heed to the editorialists, wrong so often in the past, who claim unions are weaker, divided, unprepared for the battles that lie ahead.

These purveyors of gloom couldn't be more wrong—and the events of 197 will prove that prediction."

In an address before the American Arbitration Association, Meany said there has been "some misinterpretation on the part of people who, I suppose, had some reason to misinterpret" labor's reasons for taking part in the study group, which serves as an advisory committee to the AAA.

"It was interpreted that the AFL-CIO had decided to forego strikes—to give up the strike weapon, to accept compulsion," Meany recalled.

"Voluntary arbitration is the very essence of freedom. Compulsory arbitration is the reverse. It is coercion. To labor, the question is just that simple—freedom versus coercion. And we will never accept coercion."

Meany said the AFL-CIO has long regarded voluntary arbitration as an integral part of the collective bargaining process. And when it agreed to sit on the joint labor-management committee, its purpose was "to perfect the collective bargaining process through expanded use of arbitration, mediation and fact-finding."

"No one has coerced us into doing this," he said. "The government is not standing over our heads with an injunction or an edict of some type. We are participating in this project because we believe that it will be of benefit to our membership."

"We need some new machinery to reduce the likelihood of strikes," Meany said, "and the place to look is in the collective bargaining process itself. That is the reason why we are engaged in this 'do-it-yourself' project with the AAA."

Meany made it clear that "the strike—as an economic weapon—will never be replaced by voluntary arbitration."

"No one likes a strike," he said, "but we recognize that it is the right to strike, the threat of a strike or, in some cases, a strike itself that makes the collective bargaining process work.

"Therefore, under no conditions will the trade union movement ever surrender its ultimate right to strike," he said.

"We reject the counsel of those who say that because collective bargaining is not perfect it must be junked. We reject the advice of those who say strikes are intolerable in this complex society and that compulsory arbitration would solve the problems that the parties have failed to solve for themselves."

Meany said those who seek compulsory arbitration laws contend they are

"If we were to do less, we would abandon our conviction that the ri free men and women to work collectively through their unions to dete their own economic destiny is a cornerstone of a free society," he said.

"No one can convince us that the public's right not to be inconveni outweighs the public interest in the preservation of freedom."

Meany said he thought pres. Eisenhower summed up the situation well he said : "There are worse things than strikes—and one of them is the freedom."

"The fact is that those who claim to put public convenience ahead o vidual freedom, those who use public convenience as an excuse for comp arbitration have as their hidden, but very real, goal the abolition of str effective strikes," Meany declared.

He said the labor movement is well aware the public interest m provided for in some strike situations. And he pointed out that, in in after instance, unions have offered to insure that essential goods and s are delivered during a strike.

"All too often," he said, "management has rejected those offers, that the union would be blamed and public support for the company w enhanced if essential goods were not delivered."

Meany also observed that few in the general public are aware of the to which labor and management have succesesded in narrowing the r issues on which strikes occur.

Most contracts, he noted, have built-in limitations that provide for procedures to resolve disputes during the life of a contract, and many extension of the agreements after the expiration date—so long as nego continue—with full retroactivity once a new contract is settled.

He was also optimistic over the use of expedited grievance procedu said "the jury is still out on the performance of this new procedure."

Meany said it was "significant" that the Steelworkers, headed by I. a member of the AAA labor-management advisory group, establi expedited grievance procedure in their last contract talks with the major steel producers. Under the procedure, hearings are held within

PUBLIC UTILITY SERVICES DECLARED IN THE MONTH OF FEBRUARY 1973

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

Sr. No.	Name of the Undertaking	Period	Name and dated of the Notification of M.G.G. in which published
1	2	3	4
1	The Workshops, Garages, & depots of the Maharashtra State Road Transport Corporation in the State of Maharashtra.	Six months from the 5th February 1973.	No. IDA-1467/LAB-II dated 15th January 1973 published in M. G. G. Part I-L on 1st February 1973 at page No. 1362.
2	Employment under the Bombay Municipal Corporation in the following industries namely:— (*i*) Transport (other than Railway) for the carriage of refuse, cesspool water, drainage-silt, metal offals and hearses and (*ii*) Services in hospitals dispensaries and maternity homes.	Six months from 14th February 1973.	No. IDA/1468/LAB-II, dated 1st February 1973, published in M. G. G. part I-L at page No. 1672 on 8th February 1973.
3	The Road Transport Servic operated by the Maharashtra State Road Transport Corporation in the Mahashtra.	Six months from 26th February 1973.	No. IDA'1468/LAB-II dated 22nd February 1973, published in M. G. G. part I-L, dated 15th February 1973, at page No. 1702.
4	Oxygen & Acetylene Industry	Six months from 9th February 1973.	No. IDA- 1069/LAB-II, dated 2nd February 1973. published in M. G. G. part I-L, dated 22 February 1973 at page No. 1941.

All India Average Consumer Price Index Number for Industrial workers (on Base : 1960=100) For January 1973

The All India Average Consumer Price Index Number for Industrial Workers (General) on Base : 1960=100 for January, 1973 remained stationery at 210 (Two hundred and ten). The index for January, 1973 on Base : 1949=100

Articles, Reports, Enquiries, etc.

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SHARING THE BENEFIUS OF PRODUCTIVITY

BY

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What Productivity is

If you worked 2,000 hours last year at $3·50 an hour and produc widgets, your output per hour was five widgets—total output divide hours worked.

If you are averaging six widgets an hour this year, your output pe productivity—has gone up 20 per cent.

Let's assume a widget sells for $2, the same as last year, and yo paid $3·50 on hour. Your employer's labour cost per widget has g from 70 cents to 58 cents. He is getting added profits on each widg his sales volume increases, his total profits shoot up.

So he can afford to share his extra profits with his workers. Al share his added profit per widget with his customers through lower his widgets. And his total profits can increase—a narrow profit margi widget, combined with a rise in sales.

Increased labour productivity is one of many justifications for a Rising living costs, wages and working conditions for similar jobs companies, bigger business profits and many other reasons are factors in collective bargaining.

Like the weather, productivity is the subject of a lot of talk. But difference. Most people know more about the weather than they kn productivity.

What is productivity ? What causes rising productivity ? How is pr measured ? What is the American record on productivity ? How doe tivity affect jobs, wages, prices and living standards ?

With a sound understanding of productivity, this nation can develop policies leading to full employment and a fairer sharing of the nation But rising productivity, without expanding sales and output, can

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increased unemployment.

Productivity is a measure of efficiency. The efficiency of a car can be judge in terms of miles per gallon of gas. To get this miles-per-gallon efficiency divide the number of miles driven by the number of gallons of gas used. If th car is driven 150 miles and uses 10 gallons of gas, the result is 15 miles per gallo

The efficiency of a baseball player can be judged by his batting averag the number of hits divided by the total number of times, at bat. If he come to bat 10 times and gets three hits his batting average, his efficiency, is .300

In a similiar way labour efficiency—or labour productivity—can be establishe by counting up the production of goods and services and dividing up th number of hours worked by the men and women who produced this outpu If a worker puts in 40 hours a week and makes 200 widgets, his productivit is five widgets per hour.

Output per man-hour is a good definition of productivity. It tells us ho much a worker produces in one hour. It's possible to define productivity other way—for example, in terms of output per dollar of invested capital output per kilowatt of energy used in producing the output.

But human welfare is the purpose of economic life and human labour is the mos important economic resource. So output per man-hour is the most useful and th simplest definition of productivity. That is what most people mean when the speak of productivity.

With this measure—how much a worker produces in an hour—comparison can be made of productivity over a period of time. Is output per man-hou this year hipher or lower than last year ? By what percentage ?

The U. S. Labour Department's Bureau of Labour Statistic reports quarter and yearly on output per mar-hour for the total private U. S. economy, for th private non-farm economy, for manufacturing, and for "non-financial corporation. (excluding banks, insurance companies, and stock brok firms).

BLS also reports on productivity in some 35 selected industries—but the is no official published productivity information on any individu corporation.

The biggest cause of productivity gains over the years is improvement the quality of American labour. Educated, skilled workers are highly producti workers.

The U. S. makes a big investment in "human capital", in the educatio

Thus the American worker is better educated than a generation ago. From its very beginning there has been an emphasis on education in America and there have been continuing improvements. In 1900 very few adults had completed a high school education. By 1950 only 34 per cent of the adult population 25 years and older had finished high school. In 1969 this was up to 54 per cent. And more than half now get some schooling beyond high school.

Better education and the spread of knowledge—through schools, training programmes, books, magazines, newspapers, T. V. and so on—account for about 40 per cent of U. S. economic growth in recent decades according to some studies of economic growth. They provide the basis for inventions, new materials, the improved flow of work from one operation to another. And they provide the work-force with the basic skills for applying such advances in technology and knowhow.

More than one million patents issued in the U. S. since World War II testify to the scientific progress and the creative, inventive abilities of the American people. These inventions help speed technological progress with new ways of producing more and better goods and services.

Trade union pressures for better wages, hours, and working conditions result in business firms operating more efficiently. Businesses learn to cut costs by adding new machinery, improving management and workflows—instead of relying on low wages and salaries. Workers themselves directly contribute to better production and maintenance operations with on-the-job improvements and suggestions for higher efficiency.

Expanding mass markets in the continental-sized U. S. economy—with mass consumer buying power supported by union-won wage gains—are both a cause and a result of highly productive mass production, using advanced technology. The growth of mass markets, within the U. S. has made possible the use of more productive techniques. It has also made possible the efficiency of high-volume production.

Business investment in high technology equipment and plants—like automated computerized service and factory operation—helps bring productivity gains. Since the end of World War II, the capital stock in the U. S. economy—plants, machines and equipment—has gone up about 250 per cent, while the labour force rose less than 45 per cent.

Power-driven machinery and equipment used by skilled labour helps raise output per man-hour. Electric energy used in the U. S. doubled from 1960 to 1970.

Scientific research and development—more than half of it financed by the federal government—also helps raise productivity, through the development

Through federal, state, and local government the nation makes a lar investment in the economy's productive capacity. Schools, colleges, universitie highways, airports, waterways, dock facilities, public power projects—a contribute to higher productivity in the general economy. And Governme protection of public safety, plus antitrust enforcement of competition, stren then the public and private institutions which make growing productivi possible.

In contrast to more tradition-bound societies, Americans are more willi to accept productivity-raising change. American workers have shared, to son degree, in the benefits of rising productivity—through improved living cond tions. This has made it possible for most Americans to accept technologic change and concentrate their efforts on humanizing such change and sharing its benefits.

Elimination of discrimination on the basis of race, age and sex also hel to raise productivity. Equal opportunity helps all citizens reach full producti potential.

The basic, long-run causes of the rise of productivity include such factors the education and skills of the population, the application of technologic improvements through business investment and labour skills and the grow of mass consumer markets, with high-volume operations and increasing work buying power.

In the short run, growth in output per man-hour comes from an expandi economy using its potential efficiently. Rapid growth in the nation's outp of goods and services, expanding job opportunities, and high utilization of t economy's productive capacity—manpower, as well as machinery and equi ment—all contribute to growth in productivity.

Unemployment—entirely apart from humanitarian considerations—is terribly inefficient waste of potentially productive economic resources. T economic waste of jobless workers and idle machines results in laggi productivity.

The American worker now produces four times as much in an hour of wo as he did 60 years ago.

This rise in productivity has made possible the great advance in livi conditions during these past 60 years, while working hours have been c through a shorter work-week, paid holidays, and vacations, later entry into t work-force and earlier retirement.

Output per man-hour in the American economy has been rising almo continuously since 1909, the earliest year for which we have consistent relia productivity information.

is expanding vigorously. Productivity rises slowly, or sometimes falls, in of depression and recession. During the 1969-70 recession, for example, per man-hour rose less than one percent a year.

In 1971 and 1972, a very sharp advance followed the recession slow of productivity. Output per manhour in the private U. S. economy ro percent in 1971 considerably faster than the long-term trend of the past q century. And in the first half of 1972, productivity zoomed up at an rate of 4·7 percent.

Over the past 60 years there has been a substantial increase in the gro productivity. In the years since World War II—as automation and con spread through the economy —the pace in growth of output per ma has stepped up sharply. The pace of rising productivity since 1947 ha about 50 per cent faster than in the previous period, 1919—1947.

Average yearly productivity growth rates have been as follows :

1909 to 1919	..	..	.. 0·7 percent.
1919 to 1947	..	..	.. 2·2 percent.
1947 to 1971	..	..	.. 3·2 percent.

Most productivity experts predict output per man-hour in the non-Government sector of U. S. economy will rise at an average rate of 3 percent a year over the next 10 yesrs. With the continuing spread of auto and increased mechanization it may go up even faster.

The benefits of rising productivity come in increased efficiency. But benefits are not shared adequately by workers and consumers, as wel business, the result can be unemployment and economic recession.

Rising productivity, in itself, is not an unmixed blessing. There is automatic to assure that the benefits of productivity will be shared ade or fairly. So rising productivity presents us with the potential for as well as the potential for progress.

In the 1920, rising productivity was translated into booming business but wages and buying power and living standards of the great mass American people lagged far behind, Sales of goods and services did not as fast as they could be produced. This led to a seriously lop-sided, unb economy—to the 1929 crash and the Great Depression of the 193 post-World War II recessions reflect the same failure to translate risi ductivity into rising consumer buying power.

The lesson is clear. Balanced economic growth, with expanding sales employment, must accompany rising productivity. Economic polic seek a fair distribution of the potential benefits from rising productivi

Labour costs don't necessarily go up when wages go up. Wages and labo

An employer's total payroll costs may go up after a pay raise is negotiated. But if output per man-hour is going up also, the employer's labour cost per unit of production will be fairly stable or even failling.

For example, a 5 percent pay raise for workers in a "widget" factory might be expected to raise labour cost per widget by 5 percent But if widget output per man-hour also goes up 5 percent. there's no change in labour cost per widget. And if out-put per man-hour goes up 10 percent, there's 5 percent drop in labour cost per widget even though workers' wages went up.

From 1960 to 1965, compensation per man-hour (wages salaries, and fringe benefits) went up 23 percent in the total private economy. But labour costs per item produced (unit labour costs) went up only 5 percent because productivity rose 21 percent.

In the key manufacturing sector of the economy, unit labour costs actually declined in 1960-65. Although wages and fringe benefits increased in those years, factory production rose at a faster pace.

Furthermore, business takes its share of the benefits from rising productivity in profits and other non-labour payments like depreciation and interest return to capital.

In 1971 these non-labour costs per unit went up more than twice as fast as unit labour costs. And in the second quarter of 1972, fueled by booming profits, non-labour costs per unit of production continued to zoom up—while unit labour costs were actually falling as the result of big increases in productivity.

So an employer's labour costs per unit of production can be important in bargaining. They may be going down or rising much more slowly than his profits depreciation reserves, and other non-labour payments.

Improvements in wages, salaries, and fringe benefits help working people and their families get a fair share of the wealth they help produce. They also help to expand consumer markets, which account for nearly two-thirds of total national out.

When workers don't get a fair share, their buying power doesn't keep up with rising productive capacity, sales don't keep up with production. unsold goods pile up in warehouses, employers cut working hours and workers are laid off, workers lose income and jobs and the entire economy moves into a recession.

So a one-sided boom in business profits, at the expense of workers' earnings, holds back needed growth in workers' buying power and in consumer sales,

Rising productivity provides the basis for high and increasing
of living. But the improvements in buying power are not achieved aut
The actual rise of living standards is the result of increasing real i
workers and expanding consumer buying power, which unions help
through collective bargaining.

The national economy's rising productivity is a factor in collective
negotions. But it is only one factor. In contract negotiations, unio
many other factor.

Changes in the cost of living are an important consideration. W
costs rise they cut the buying power of workers' earnings. Wage in
needed to match the rise of living costs, merely to maintain the buy
of wages.

Workers have a right to continuing improvements in buying power
conditions beyond keeping with up living costs. The buying power o
hourly wages and fringe benefits should keep pace with the econor
output per man-hour. Such improvements in buying power are e
provide the needed growth of consumer markets.

If workers' buying power fails to keep pace with the trend of ris
tivity, consumer markets will not expand in line with the economy
capacity to produce more goods and services more efficiently. Sh
a situation continue over a period of time —without Government p
to offset the un-balanced developments the result is insufficient sales
up of inventories, followed by cutbacks in production and a genera
decline.

An essential factor in negotiations is comparability of wages, frin
and working conditions with those of other workers in similar occup
industries. And the elimination of substandard wages is a major
negotiations.

Profits are another consideration keyed to the concept that work
share in the profitability of their employer and their industry.

Therefore, productivity is not the only factor in contract ne
Unions oppose any productivity "guideline" or any other rigid ma
formula for negotiating agreements. They bargain with employers
share for workers on the basis of the realities in each situation.

Rising productivity can affect employment and hours of work. If t
of sales continues to lag behind rising productivity

On the other hand, rising productivity means more goods and services can produced, without a similar increase in working hours or in the number of s. In 1971, for example, output went up 3 per cent while total man-hours rked actually dropped seven tenths of one percent. This reflected an increase 3·7 percent in output per man-hour in 1971.

t's clear, therefore, that real economic growth—the real volume of sales and duction must be fast enough to produce more jobs. But how fast ?

ssuming that output per man-hour is rising 2·3 percent a year, the average rly rate in 1971-47, then the nation's real output of goods and services uld also expand 3·2 percent a year—or else there will be a 3·2 percent in total working hours, through lay-offs and cutbacks in hours of work.

nother possibility is that the standard work-week could be cut by 3·2 ent, without a loss of takehome pay. But such a large annual decline in standard work-week for the entire national economy, year after year, is ealistic.

o, from a practical point of view, as productivity rises, standard working rs can be reduced a bit—through increased paid holidays and vacations by some reduction in the standard work-week, without a cut in take-home . But the major need, by far is for economic growth—increased sales and duction—if lay-offs are to be avoided. When output per man-hour rises by percent, the real volume of sales and production must rise by close to rcent, even if there is some reduction of standard working hours, in order revent lay-offs of workers who are employed at present.

lowever, productivity is not the only factor that is increasing. Largely as sult of a growing population, there is a net increase in the labour force each .

he civilian labour force is increasing by about 1·5 million to 2 million year at present. To create new jobs for these new workers and returning rans, an additional increase of about 2 percent in the real growth of the nomy is needed.

o merely to prevent a rise in unemployment, the real volume of goods and es in the American economy must expand by about 4 percent to 5 per- each year—depending on how fast output per man-hour and the civilian ur force are actually increasing.

nd what about those workers who are unemployed at present ? To create tional jobs for the unemployed, a still further expansion in the real me of sales and production is required.

the first half of 1972, there were 5 million unemployed or 5·8 percent of civilian labour force. Productivity in the total private economy rose at arly rate of 4·7 percent—much faster than the average pace for 1947-71.

In addition, the labour force increased very rapidly, particularly because of the decline in the size of the Armed Forces.

As a result, of such conditions of high unemployment, plus very rapid increases in the labour force and productivity, the real volume of sales and production in the national economy must rise by about 7 percent for more, for at least two consecutive years, to create the needed number of new jobs, merely to begin to approach full employment.

American labour unions will continue to seek fair shares for working people in a full employment economy with rising productivity. The potential blessings of a growing, productive economy can be achieved through effective collective bargaining and Government policies aimed at full employment.

(*Courtesy :* **AFL-CIO American Federationsist**)

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Notifications Under Labour Laws

Bombay Industrial Relation Act, 1946.

The Government of Maharashtra has notified the local areas for the industries specified in the schedule and for that purpose has amended the notification, Industries and Labour Department, No. BIR. 1065 (iii) LAB-(I), dated the 2nd May 1965, as follows :—

In the Schedule to the said notification in Part II—

(*a*) for entry 59, the following shall be substituted namely :—

" 59. Nanded taluka including the Nanded Municipal area in the Nanded district " ;

(*b*) after entry 59, the following new entry shall be inserted, namely :—

" 59A. The Lature taluka in the Osmanabad district .. Do. " ;

(*c*) after entry 60, the following new entries shall be added, namely :—

" 61. The Kandhar taluka in the Nanded district .. Do. " ;

62. The Osmanabad taluka in the Osmanabad district .. Do. ".

SCHEDULE

Area	Industry
1	2
(*i*) Nanded taluka (excluding the Nanded Municipal area) in the Nanded district.	Cotton Textile Industry.
(*ii*) Lature taluka in the Osmanabad district ..	Do.
(*iii*) Kandhpr taluka in the Nanded district ..	Sugar Industry.
(*iv*) Osmanabad taluka in the Osmanabad district ..	Do.

[Government Notification, Industries and Labour Department, No. BIR. 1072/103267-Lab-I (I) dated 20th January 1973, published in *M. G. G.* Part I-L, dated 22nd February 1973, at page No. 1852].

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The Government of Maharashtra has also directed that all the provisions of the Act shall apply to all industries specified in the schedule with effect from the Saturday, 20th January 1973, and for that purpose has amended the notification, Industries and Labour Department, No. BIR. 1055 (vii)-Lab-I, dated 2nd May 1965, namely as follows :—

In the Schedule to the said notification, in column (2), after the figures, letters and word " 2nd May 1965 " the words, letters and figures " as amended by Government Notification, Industries and Labour Department, No. BIR. 1072/103267-Lab-I (I), dated the 20th January 1973 " shall be added.

SCHEDULE

Industries	Local Area
(1) *Cotton Textile Industry*—	
(*a*) All concerns using power and employing twenty or more employees which are engaged in cotton spinning.	Nanded taluka (excluding Nanded M cipal area) in the Nanded district Lature taluka in the Osmanabad dis
(*b*) All concerns using power and employing twenty or more employees which are engaged in cotton weaving with or without an admixture of silk, rayon, artifical silk or one or more of these.	
(*c*) All mechanics shops attached to and all dyeing, bleaching and printing departments, whether situated within or outside the precincts of, and forming integral part of, the concerns calling under clause (*a*) or (*b*).	
(*d*) All concerns using power and employing twenty or more employees, which are engaged in widing, warping, drawing, sizing, twisting, reeling, doubling or any other processes for preparing cotton yarn for weaving with or without an admixture of silk, rayon, artifical silk or one or more of these.	
(2) *Sugar-Industry*—	
The manufacture of sugar and its by-products, including—	Kandhar taluka in the Nanded di and Osmanabad taluka in the Osman district.
(*i*) the growing or sugarcane on farms belonging to, or attached to, concerns engaged in the said manufacture or on farms which, immediately before the date on which the lands; comprised in such farms are taken possession of and vest in the State Government under section 21 of the Maharashtra Agricultural Lands (Ceiling on Holdings) Act, 1961, belonged to, or were attached to, such concerns, and which from that date are run or managed by a Corporation (including Company) owned or controlled by the State under that Act ; and (*ii*) all agricultural and industrial operations connected with the said manufacture or with the growing of sugarcane on the said farms.	

Explanation.—All service or employment connected with the conduct of the sugar ind shall be deemed to be part of the industry when engaged in, or by an employer engag

vernment Notification, Industries and Labour Department, No. BIR. 1072/103267-(II), dated 21st January 1973, published in *M. G. G.*, Part I-L, dated 22nd February at pages 1853-54].

III

vernment of Maharashtra has further directed that the second Labour Court at Poona, have jurisdiction also over the local areas mentioned in the Schedule hereto.

Schedule

Nanded taluka (excluding Nanded Municipal area) and Kandhar taluka in the Nanded ct.

Latur and Osmanabad talukas in the Osmanabad district.

vernment Notification, Industries and Labour Department, No. BIR. 1072/103267-III), dated 20th January 1973, published in *M. G. G.*, Part I-L, dated 22nd February at page 1855].

num Wages Act, 1948

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Government of India has appointed an Advisory Board consisting of the following ers for the purpose of co-ordinating the work of committees and sub-committee appo- under section 5 of the Act and for advising the Central Government generally in the of fixing and revising minimum rates of wages in respect of the scheduled employ- conveid on by or under the authority of the Central Government and appointed M. Sriramamurthy, retired Judge, as chairman, thereof, namely :—

dependent Members

Shri M. Sriramamurthy, *Chairman*
Retired District Judge and former member of the Railway Rates Tribunal, 41, III Main Road, Gandhinagar, Adyar, Madras-20.

Dr. B. M. Bhatia,
Principal, Hindu College, 13, University Road, Delhi.

Shri J. N. Sinha,
Senior Fellow, Institute of Economic Growth, University Enclave, Delhi-7.

epresentatives of Employers

Shri K. V. Ramanamurthi,
Deputy Secretary to the Government of India, Ministry of Defence, New Delhi.

Shri S. M. Chakravarty,
Joint Director, Civil Engineering, Railway Board, Ministry of Railways, New Delhi.

Shri S.N. Banerji.
Deputy Secretary (Establishment Works) Ministry of Works and Housing (Works Division), New Delhi.

Shri K. L. Gupta,
Deputy Secretary to the Government of India, Ministry of Shipping and Transport (Transport Wing), New Delhi.

Shri K. S. K. Rao.

III. Representatives of Employees

1. Shri Keshav H. Kulkarni,
   General Secretary, National Federation of Indian Railwaymen, 166/1, Punchkuian, New Delhi.

2. Shri Bindeshwari Dubey,
   General Secretary, Bokaro Steel Workers' Union, Bokaro Steel City, Dhanbad.

3. Shri C.G. Karmarkar,
   General Secretary, Assam Cha Mazdoor Sangha, P.O. Dibrugarh (Assam).

4. Shri Raj Bahadur Gaur,
   General Secretary, Andhra Pradesh Trade Union Congress, Makhdoom Mohiuddin Marg, Himayatnagar, Hyderabad-29 (A.P.).

5. Com. S. R. Kulkarni,
   President, All India Port and Dock Workers' Federation, P. D'mellow Road, Carnac Bunder, Bombay-1.

(Government Notification, Industries and Labour Department, No. MWA. 5273/154519-Lab-III-A, dated 5th February 1973, published in *M.G.G.*, Part I-L, dated 15th February 1973, at pages 1699-1700).

II

The Government of Maharashtra has announced its intention to cover "40, Employment in any dispensary not being a dispensary in any hospital falling under entry 6 or 23 in this schedule" under the Minimum Wages Act, 1948 with effect from 1st June 1973.

(Government Notification, Industries and Labour Department, No. NWA. 5871/157777-Lab-III-A, dated 29th January 1973, published in *M.G.G.*, Part I-L, dated 22nd February 1973, at page 1876).

III

The Government of India has appointed an Advisory Board consisting of the following members for the purpose of co-ordinating the work of committee and sub-committees appointed under section 5 of the Act for advising the Central Government generally in the matter of fixing and revising minimum rates of wages of the scheduled employments carried on by or under the authority of the Central Government.

I. INDEPENDENT MEMBERS

1. Shri M. Sriramamurthy, Retired District Judge, and former member of the Railway Rates Tribunal, 41, III Main Road, Gandhinagar, Adyar, Madras-20. *Chairman.*

2. Dr. B. M. Bhatia, Principal, Hindu College, 13, University Road, Delhi.

II. REPRESENTATIVES OF EMPLOYERS

1. Shri Keshav H. Kulkarni, General Secretary, National Federation of Indian Ministry of Defence, New Delhi.

2. Shri S. M. Chakravarty, Joint Director, Civil Engineering, Railway Board, Ministry of Railways, New Delhi.

3. Shri S. N. Banerji, Deputy Secretary (Establishment Works), Ministry of Works and Housing (Work Division), New Delhi.

4. Shri K. L. Gupta, Deputy Secretary to the Government of India, Ministry of Shipping and Transport (Transport Wing), New Delhi.

5. Shri K .S. K. Rao, Assistant Commissioner (Land Reclamation), Department of Agriculture, New Delhi.

III. REPRESENTATIVES OF EMPLOYEES

1. Shri Keshav H. Kulkarni, General Secretary, National Federation of Indian Railwaymen, 166/1, Punchkuian Road, New Delhi.

2. Shri Bindeshwari Dubey, General Secretary, Bokarao Steel Workers' Union, Bokaro Steel City, Dhanbad.

3. Shri C. G. Karmarkar, General Secretary, Assam Cha Mazdoor Sangha, P. O. Dibrugarh (Assam).

4. Shri Raj Bahadur Gaur, General Secretary, Andhra Pradesh Trade Union Congress, Makhdoom Mohiuddin Marg, Himayatnagar, Hyderabad 2I (A.P).

5. Com. S. B. Kulkarni, President, All India Port and Dock Workers Federation, P. D'Mello Road, Carnac Bunder, Bombay-1.

(Government Notification, Industries and Labour Department, No. MWA. 5273/154519-Lab-III-A, dated 22nd February 1973, published in *M.G.G.*, Part I-L, dated 15th March 1973, at pages 2285-86).

Payment of Gratuity Act, 1972.

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Government of Maharashtra has appointed the Deputy Commissioner of Bombay, to be the controlling authority also for the Kolaba district and for that purpose has amended the Notification, Industries and Labour Department, No. PGA. 1072/154866-Lab.-IV, dated 3rd November 1972 (Government Notification, Industries and Labour Department, No. PGA. 1072/155260-Lab.-IV, dated 5th February 1973, published in *M.G.G.*, Part I-L, dated 22nd February 1973, at page 1950).

II

The Government of India has specified under the Act the following officers to be the appellate authority for the areas mentioned against their names in the Schedule :—

SCHEDULE

Serial No.	Officers	Area
(1)	(2)	(3)
1	Regional Labour (Central), New Delhi. Commissioner	Whole of India.
2	Regional Labour (Central), Ajmer. Commissioner	The States of Rajasthan and Gujarat.
3	Regional Labour (Central), Asansol. Commissioner	Civil Districts of Burdwan, Bankura, Birbhum and Purulia in West Bengal.
4	Regional Labour (Central), Bhubaneswar. Commissioner	The State of Orissa.
5	Regional Labour (Central), Bombay. Commissioner	The State of Maharashtra and Union Territories of Goa, Daman and Diu, Dadra and Nagar Haveli.
6	Regional Labour (Central), Calcutta. Commissioner	The States of West Bengal (excluding the Civil Districts of Burdwan, Bankura, Birbhum and Purulia) Assam, Meghalaya, Nagaland, Manipur and Tripura and Union Territories of Andaman and Nicobar Islands Auranchal and Mizoram.
7	Regional Labour (Central), Dhanbad. Commissioner	The State of Bihar.
8	Regional Lbaour (Central), Hyderabad. Commissioner	The States of Andhra Pradesh and Mysore.
9	Regional Labour (Central), Jabalpur. Commissioner	The State of Madhya Pradesh.
10	Regional Labour (Central), Kanpur. Commissioner	The States of Uttar Pradesh, Jammu and Kashmir, Punjab, Himachal Pradesh, Haryana and the Union Territories of Chandigarh and Delhi.
11	Regional Labour (Central), Madras. Commissioner	The States of Tamil Nadu and Kerala and the Union Territories of Pondicherry, Lacadive, Minicoy and Amindivi Islands.

(Government Notification, Industries and Labour Department, No. PGA. 1073/160400-Lab.-IV, dated 23rd February 1973, published in *M.G.G.*, Part I-L, dated 15th March 1973, at pages 2288-89).

III

The Government of India has also appointed under the Act the following officers as the Controlling Authority for the areas specified against their names in the schedule for the Act and in relation to all establishments for which the Central Government is the appropriate Government under section 2 of the Act.

SCHEDULE

Serial No.	Officers	Area
(1)	(2)	(3)
1	Assistant Labour Commissioner (Central), Ajmer.	Civil districts of Ajmer, Jaipur, Bhilwara, Sikar, Jhunjhuna, Churu, Ganganagar, Bikaner, Nagpur, Jodhpur, Jaisalmer, Alwar, and Pali in the State of Rajasthan.
2	Assistant Labour Commissioner (Central), Kota.	Civil districts of Kota, Bundi, Sawaimadhopur, Tonk, Bharatpur, Jhalawar, Chittorgarh, Udaipur, Dungarpur and Bansawara in the State of Rajasthan.
3	Assistant Labour Commissioner (Central), Ahmedabad.	Civil districts of Ahmedabad, Gandhinagar, Kaira, Baroda, Broach, Surat, Dangs, Mehsana, Sabarkantha, Panch Mahals, Surendra Nagar, Bhavnagar, Bulsar in the State of Gujarat.
4	Assistant Labour Commissioner (Central), Kandla.	Civil districts of Banaskantha, Kutch, Rajkot, Amreli, Jamnagar and Junagarh in the State of Gujarat and the civil district of Sirohi, Barmer and Jallore in the State of Rajasthan.
5	Assistant Labour Commissioner (Central), Asansol-I	Asansol Sub-Division of Purdwan District and Civil district of Purulia in the State of West Bengal.
6	Assistant Labour Commissioner (Central), Asansol-II.	
7	Assistant Labour Commissioner (Central), Raniganj-I.	Civil district of Burdwan excluding Asansol Sub-Division and Civil districts of Bankura and Birbhum in the State of West Bengal.
8	Assistant Labour Commissioner (Central), Raniganj-II.	
9	Assistant Labour Commissioner (Central), Bhubaneshwar.	Civil districts of Puri, Cuttack, Bhonkanal, Ganjam, Belesore, Koraput, Kalahandi, Belangir and Baudh-Khondmals in the State of Orissa.
10	Assistant Labour Commissioner (Central), Rourkela.	Civil districts of Keonjhar, Mayurbhanj, Sambalpur and Sandergarh in the State of Orissa.

Serial No.	Officers	Area
(1)	(2)	(3)
11	Assistant Labour (Central), Bombay-I. Commissioner	Civil districts of Greater Bombay, Dhulia, Nasik, Kolaba, Ahmednagar, Sholapur, Osmanabad, Sangli, Jalgaon, Au bad, Parbhani, Nanded, Bhir, Buldhana and Rajura in the St Maharashtra and the Union Ter of Dadra and Nagar Haveli.
12	Assistant Labour (Central), Bombay-II. Commissioner	
13	Assistant Labour (Central), Nagpur. Commissioner	Civil districts of Nagpur, C Wardha, Amravati, Yeotmal Bhandara in the State of Maharas
14	Assistant Labour (Central), Sambhaji. Commissioner	Union territory of Goa, Daman an and Civil districts of Ratnagi Kolhapur in the State of Maharas
15	Assistant Labour (Central), Calcutta-I. Commissioner	Civil districts of Calcutta, H Dinajpur, Jalpaiguri, Darjeeling Hoogly, 24 Parganas, Mind Mursidabad, Nadra, Malda, Coochbehar in the State of Bengal and the Union Territ Andman and Nicobar Islands.
16	Assistant Labour (Central), Calcutta-II. Commissioner	
17	Assistant Labour (Central), Calcutta-III. Commissioner	
18	Assistant Labour (Central), Gauhati. Commissioner	All civil districts in the State of Nagaland, Meghalaya, Manipu Tripura and Union Territori Arunachal and Mizoram.
19	Assistant Labour (Central), Dhanbad-I. Commissioner	Civil districts of Dhanbad in the of Bihar.
20	Assistant Labour (Central), Dhanbad-II. Commissioner	
21	Assistant Labour (Central), Dhanbad-III. Commissioner	
22	Assistant Labour (Central), Dhanbad-IV. Commissioner	
23	Assistant Labour (Central), Hazaribagh. Commissioner	Civil districts of Hazaribagh, Pa and Ranchi in the State of Bihar.
24	Assistant Labour (Central), Patna. Commissioner	Civil districts of Patna, Shahabad, Katihar, Muzaffarpur, Darbhang Saharsa, Saran, Monghyr, Bhagalpur and Santhal Pargan the State of Bihar.

l	Officers	Area
	(2)	(3)
	Assistant Labour Commissioner (Central), Chaibasa.	Civil district of Singhabhum in the State of Bihar.
	Assistant Labour Commissioner (Central), Hyderabad-I.	Civil districts of Gulbarga and Bidar in the State of Mysore and the civil districts of Hyderabad, Nizambad, Nalgonda, Mahbubnagar, Medak, Kurnool in the State of Andhra Karimnagar, Adilabad, Warnangal and Pradesh.
	Assistant Labour Commissioner (Central), Hyderabad-II.	
	Assistant Labour Commissioner (Central), Vijayawada.	Civil districts of Krishna, West Godavari, Guntur, Ongole, Nellore and Khammam in the State of Andhra Pradesh.
	Assistant Labour Commissioner (Central), Visakhapatnam.	Civil districts of Visakhapatnam, Srikakulam and East Godavari in the State of Andhra Pradesh.
	Assistant Labour Commissioner (Central), Bangalore.	Civil districts of Bangalore, Kolar, Mysore, Mandya, Tumkur, Coorg, Hasan, Shimoga, South Kanara, Chitradurga and Chickmagulur in the State of Andhra Pradesh.
	Assistant Labour Commissioner (Central), Bellary.	Civil districts of Bellary, North Kanara, Raichur, Bijapur, Dharwar and Belgaum in the State of Mysore and Anantapur and Guddapah in the State of Andhra Pradesh.
	Assistant Labour Commissioner (Central), Jabalpur.	Civil districts of Jabalpur, Damoh, Saugor, Chatarpur, Tikamgarh, Satna, Pauna and Narsimhapur in the State of Madhya Pradesh.
	Assistant Labour Commissioner (Central), Raipur.	Civil districts of Bilaspur, Raipur, Durg, Bastar, and Raigarh in the State of Madhya Pradesh.
	Assistant Labour Commissioner (Central), Chhindwara.	Civil districts of Chhindwara, Betul, Seoni, Balaghat and Mandla in the State of Madhya Pradesh.
	Assistant Labour Commissioner (Central), Shahdol.	Civil districts of Shahdol, Sarguja, Sidhi and Rewa in the State of Madhya Pradesh.

Serial No.	Officers	Area
(1)	(2)	(3)
36	Assistant Labour (Central), Bhopal. Commissioner	Civil districts of Sahore, Ratlam, Mandsaur, Jhabua, Ujjain, Dhar, Raisen, Shivpuri, Datia, Vidisha, Guna, Shajapur, Rajgarh, East Nimar, West Nimar, Hoghangabal, Bhind, Morena, Gwalior, Indore and Dewas in the State of Madhya Pradesh.
37	Assistant Labour (Central), Kanpur. Commissioner	Civil districts of Kanpur, Lacknow, Etwah, Mainpuri, Jhansi, Hamirpur, Banda, Jalaun, Gorakhpur, Gonda, Deoria, Bharich, Azamgarh, Bellia, Basti, Ghazipur, Brabanki, Raebareli, Unnao, Sitapur, Hardoi, Pratapgarh, Allahabad, Mirzapur, Varanasi, Jaunpur, Faizabad, Sultanpur, Fetchpur and Ferukhabad in the State of Uttar Pradesh.
38	Assistant Labour (Central), Delhi. Commissioner	Civil districts of Agra, Mathura, Aligarh, Meerut, Muzaffarnagar, Bulandshahar and Saharanpur in the State of Uttar Pradesh and Civil districts of Rohtak, Gurgaon and Mahindergarh in the State of Haryana and Union Territory of Delhi.
39	Assistant Labour (Central), Chandigarh. Commissioner	All Civil districts in the State of Punjab, Jammu and Kashmir and Himachal Pradesh and all Civil districts except Pradesha and all Civil districts excepting Civil districts of Rohtak, Gurgaon and Mahindergarh in the State of Haryana and the Union Territory of Chandigarh.
40	Assistant Labour (Central), Barielly. Commissioner	Civil districts of Barielly, Naintal, Amora, Dehradun, Bijaor, Uttar Kashi, Thri Garwal, Garwal, Chamoli, Pithoragarh, Badaun, Etah, Kheri, Moradabad, Pilibhit, Rampur and Shahjahanpur in the State of Uttar Pradesh.
41	Assistant Labour (Central), Madras-I. Commissioner	All Civil districts in the State of Tamil Nadu and Union territory of Pondicherry.
42	Assistant Labour (Central), Madrass-II. Commissioner	
43	Assistant Labour (Central), Ernakulam. Commissioner	All Civil districts in the State of Kerala and the Union Territories of Lacadive Minicoy and Aminidivi Islands.

*(Government notification, Industries and Labour Department, No. PGA-1073/160401 Lab.-IV, dated 26th February 1973, published in *Maharashtra Government Gazette*, Part I-L dated 15th March 1973 at pages 2297-2300).

Industrial Disputes Act, 1947

I

The Government of Maharashtra has declared the Maharashtra State Road Transport Corporation to be a public utility service for the purpose of the Act for the further period of six months from 26th February 1973

(Government Notification, Industries and Labour Department, No. IDA. 1468/Lab. III, dated 2nd February 1973 published in *Maharashtra Government Gazette*, Part I-L, dated 25th February 1973 at page 1702).

II

The Government of Maharashtra has declared " the oxygen and Acelylence industry " to be a " Public Utility Service " for the further period of six months from 9th February 1973 for the purpose of the Act.

(Government Notification, Industries and Labour Department, No. IDA. 1069/Lab-II, dated 2nd February 1973, published in *Maharashtra Government Gazette*, Part I-L, dated 22nd February 1973, at page 1941).

III

The Government of Maharashtra has declared (1) the concerns manufacturing bread and biscuits and employing 20 or more workmen and (2) Dairies employing 20 or more workmen to be a public utility service for the purpose of the Act for a period of six months from 20th March 1972.

(Government Notification, Industries and Labour Department, No. IDA.1468/Lab.II, dated 2nd March 1973 published in *Maharashtra Government Gazette*, Part I-L, dated 15th March 1973 at page 2313).

IV

The Government of Maharashtra has also declared the industry engaged in the fresh yeast Manufacturing wherein 20 or more workmen are employed to be a public utility service for the purpose of the said Act for a period of six months from 15th March 1973.

(Government Notification, Industries and Labour Department, No. IDA. 1472/150087(*a*) Lab-II dated 27th February 1973 published in *Maharashtra Government Gazette*, Part I-L, dated 15th March 1973 at page 2426).

Bombay Shops and Establishments Act, 1948

I

The Government of Maharashtra has amended the schedule II of the Act and subst the existing entry No. 9 as follows—

"9. Establishment of Chemists and Druggist.	Sections 10, 11, 13 to 18 (both inclusive to the condition that the employees c are granted one day holiday in week making any deduction from their account thereof.

(Government Notification Industries and Labour Department, No. BSE.147 Lab.III-A, dated 2nd February 1973 published in *Maharashtra Government Gazette*, dated 25th February 1973 at page 1701).

II

The Government of Maharashtra has further amended the schedule II of the said added after entry No. 166 as follows :—

"167. Office of the Fertiliser Association of India, Bombay.	Sections 35, 36, 37 and 62 subject the that any condition that any visi register and record maintained by t ciation are continued to be maintai perly and such registers and records available to the Inspector for insp

(Government Notification, Industries and Labour Department, No. BSE. 147 Lab. III-A, dated 5th February 1973 published in *Maharashtra Government* Part I-L, dated 25th February 1973 at page 1702).

III

The Government of Maharashtra has amended schedule II to the Act as follows :

In the said Schedule II to the said Act after entry No. 167, the following shall namely :—

"168. B. Kaikhushroo & Co. Bombay-1.	Sections 13, 14, 17 and 18 subject to the c that—
ii	(*i*) the total hours of work shall no 9 hours a day or 48 hours a week ;
	(*ii*) spreadover shall not exceed 12 hour day ;
	(*iii*) if employee is required to work of the limit of hours of work spe section 63 of the said Act, he has to overtime wages at the rate not less th prescribed under section 63 of the sa and
	(*iv*) the employees concerned shall be gra day holiday in a week without mak deductions from their wages on thereof."

In the said Schedule II to the said Act, in entry No. 79, in column 2, after entry following entry shall be added, namely :—

"(zc) Office of the City and Industrial Development Corporation of Ma Limited, Bombay."

Government Notifications, Industries and Labour Department, No. BSE.1472/154419-Lab-III-A and BSE. 1472/152482-Lab-III-A dated 26th February 1973 and 1st March 1973 respectively published in *Maharashtra Governmebt Gazette*, Part I-L, dated 15th March 1973 at pages 2294 & 2314.)

IV

The Government of Maharashtra has also suspended the operations of the provisions of the Act on the occasion of Ganapati festival and on the other festival occasions, in respect of the establishments and for the period and subject to the conditions respectively specified in the following schedules.

SCHEDULE

Establishment	Provisions of the said Act	Period of Suspension	Conditions
1	2	3	4
(*i*) Shops selling "Ganpati" images (*ii*) Shops selling flowers, fruits. vegetables and papers. (*iii*) Sweetmeat shops (*iv*) Coconut shops	Sections 11(*1*) (*a*) 12, 14, 16 and 18.	30th and 31st August 1973.	No shops selling images of "Ganpati" shall on any day be, closed later than midnight and no shop other than shop selling images of "Ganpati" shall be closed later than 10-00 p.m. Hawking of images of "Ganpati" shall be permitted after 8-30 p.m. If any employees is required to work in excess of the limit of hours of work specified in section 63 of the said Act he shall be entitled in respect of over-time work(which shall be noted in the prescribed register), to wages at the rates not less than those prescribed in section 63 of the

SCHEDULE

Establishment	Provisions of the said Act	Period of Suspension	Conditions
1	2	3	4
			The spreadover shall not exceed fourteen hours in any day.
			Every employee shall on account of the loss of the prescribed weekly holiday be granted (*i*) equal number of holidays in exchange after 31st August 1973 but before 30th September 1973, and (*ii*) wages for the work done on such holiday at rate of wages not less than those prescribed for overtime work in section 63 of the said Act.

SCHEDULE

Occasion	Establishments	Provisions of the said Act	Period of Suspension	Conditions.
1	2	3	4	5
a ..	(*i*) Sweetmeat Shops ..	Section 11 (*1*) (*a*) 14,, 16 and 18.	5th and 6th October 1973.	No shop shall on any day be closed later than 10-00 p.m. If any employee is required to work in excess of the limit of hours of work specified in sections 63 of the said Act he shall be entitled in respect of overtime work (which shall be noted in the prescribed register) to wages at the rate not less than those prescribed in section 63 of the said Act. The spread over shall not exceed fourteen hours in any day. Every employee, shall on account of the prescribed weekly holidays be granted (*i*) equal number of holidays in exchange after 6th October 1973 but before the 6th November 1973 and (*ii*)wages, for the work done on such holidays at the rate not less than those prescribed for overtime work in section 63 of the said Act.
	(*ii*) Shops selling flowers, fruits and vegetables.			
	(*iii*) Provision Shops			
	(*iv*) Shops selling perfumery ..			
	(*v*) Jewellery and Goldsmith shops.			
	(*vi*) Cloth Shops including tailoring establishments.			
	(*vii*) Shops dealing mainly in Stationery, Cutlery, Bangles, Ribbons and Cosmetics.			
	(*iv*) Hair cutting Saloons ..			

SCHEDU LE

on	Establishments	Provisions of the said Act.	Preiod of suspension	Conditions
	2	3	4	5
ival ..	All shops ..	Section 11(*l*) (*a*)	From 14th October 1973 to 27th October 1973(both days inclusive).	No shop shall on any day be closed later than 10-00 p.m.
		Section 14. ..	Do.	If any employee is required to work in excess of the limit of hours specified in section 63 of the said Act, he shall be entitled in respect of over-time work (which shall be noted in the prescribed ree gister) to wages at the rates not less than those prescribed in section 63 of the said Act.
		Section 16. ..	Do. ..	The spread over shall not exceed fourteen hours in any day.
		Section 18 ..	From 14th October 1973 to 27th Octo-ber 1973 (both days inclusive).	Every employee shall on account of the loss of the prescribed weekly holidays be granted (*i*) equal number of holidays in exchange after the 27th October 1973 but, before 27th December 1973 and (*ii*) wages for the work done on such holidays at the rates not less than those prescribed for over-time work in section 63 of the said Act.

SCHEDULE

stival ..	Shops selling Books Shops selling fire-works.	Accounts	Section 11 (*1*) (*a*) and section 14.	From 30th September 1973 to 29th October 1973.	No shop shall on any day be closed later than 10 p.m. If any employee is required to work in excess of the time limit of hours of work specified in section 63 of the said Act, he shall be entitled in respect of over time work (which shall be noted in the prescribed register) to wages at the rates not less than those prescribed in Section 63 of the said Act.
			Section 16 ..	..	The spread over shall not exceed fourteen hours in any day.
			Section 18 ..		Every employee shall on account of the loss of the prescribed weekly holidays be granted (*i*) equal number of holidays in exchange after 29th October 1973 but before 28th November 1973, and (*ii*) wages for the work done on such holidays at the rate of wages not less than those prescribed for overtime work in section 63 of the said Act.

SCHEDULE

n	Local area	Establishments	Provisions of the said Act	Period of suspension	Conditions
	2	3	4	5	6
			H		
..	All local areas in Marathwada region of the State of Maharashtra.	(1) Sweetmeat shops. (2) Shops selling flowers, fruits and vegetables. (3) Provision shops. (4) Shops selling perfumery. (5) Jewellery Goldsmith Shops (6) Cloth Shops including Tailoring establihments. (7) Shops selling caps, foot wear and readymade clothes.	Section 11(*1*) (*a*). Section 14.	From 25th to 28th August 1973 (both days inclusive).	No. shop shall on any day be closed later than 10-00 p.m. if any employee is required to work in excess of the limit of hours of work specified in section 63 of the said Act he shall be entitled in respect of over-time work, which shall be noted in the prescribed registert to wages at the rate not less than those prescribed in section 63 of the said Acr.
			Section 16	.. Do. ..	The spread-over shall not exceed 14 hours in any day.
			Section 18	.. From 25th to 28th August 1973 (both days inclusive).	.. Every employee shall on account of the loss of the prescribed weekly holiday be

					be fore 28th September 1973 and (*ii*) wages for work done or such holidays at the rate of wages not less than those prescribed for over-time work in section 63 of the said Act.
a Babasaheb Sailu, District arbhani.	Sailu Municipal area.	(*i*) Shops selling flowers, fruits, bangles, sewet-meat, coconuts.	Section 10(1) Section 11(1) ..	From 9th December 1973 to 15th December 1973 (both days inclusive).	No shops shall on any day be opened earlier than 5-00 a.m. and closed later than mid-night.
		(*ii*) Shops dealing in pan, bidi, cicigarrettes, matches and other ancillary articles and	Section 14 ..		If any employees in required to work in excess of the limit of hours of work specified in section 63 of the side Act, he shall be entitled in respect of over-time work, which shall be noted in the prescribed register, to wages at the rates not less than those specified in section 63 of the said Act.
			Section 16 ..	Do. ..	The spread-over shall not exceed fourteen hours in any day.
			Section 18 ..	Do. ..	Every employee shall on account of the loss of the prescribed weekly holidays be granted (*i*) equal number of holidays in exchange after the 15th December

SCHEDULE

on	Local area	Establishment	Provisions of the Act	Period	Condition
	2	3	4	5	6
					1973 but before 15th January 1974 and (*ii*) wages for the work done on such holidays at the rate of wages not less than those prescribed in section 63 of the said Act.
		(*iii*) All restaurants and eating houses.	Provisions relating to closing hours in section 19(*1*)	From 9th December 1973 to 15th December 1973 (both days inclusive).	No. restaurant or eating house shall on any day be closed later than 1-00 a.m.
			Section 21 ..	Do. ..	If any employee is required to work in excess of the limito of hours of work specified in section 63 of the said act, he shall be entitled, in respect of over-time work, which shall be noted in the prescribed register, to wages at the rates not less than those prescribed in section 63(2) of the said Act.

			section 63(2) of the said Act.
Section 24	..	Do.	.. Every employee shall on account of the loss of the prescribed weekly holidays be granted (*i*) equal number of holidays in exchange after the 15th December 1973 but before the 15th January 1974 and (*ii*) wages for the work done on such holidays at the rate of wages not less than those prescribed in section 63(2) of the said Act.

nment Notifications, Industries and Labour Department Nos. P 7373/152206 (*i*), (*ii*), (*iii*), (*iv*), & (*vi*)/Lab-III-A, h February 1973, published in M. G. G., Part I-L, dated 15th March 1973 at pages Nos. from 2301 to 2311.)

V

The Government of Maharashtra has further suspended the operations of the provisio the Act on account of the Dashara Mela Fair within the limits of the Hingoli Municipal for the period and subject to the conditions specified in the following schedule in respe of shop, restaurents and eating houses.

SCHEDULE

Provisions of the the Act 1	Period 2	Condition 3
Section 10(*1*) ..	27th September 1973 to 10th October 1973	No shop on any day be opened ea than 5-00 a.m. and closed than mid-night.
Section 11(*1*) .. Section 18 ..	Do.	.. Every employee shall on accoun the loss of the prescribed we holidays, be granted (1) eq number of holidays in exch after 10th October 1973 but be 10th November 1973; and deductions shall be made from wages on account thereof; (*ii*) wages for the work done such holidays at the rate of w not less than those prescribed over-time work in section 63 (1 the said Act.
Section 19(*1*) .. Section 21 ..	Do.	.. If any employee is required to w in excess of the limit of hours work specified in section 63 of said Act he shall be entitled in spect of over-time work, which s be noted in the prescribed regi to wages at the rates not less t those prescribed in section 63(2) the said Act.
Section 24 ..	8th October 1973 to 20th October 1973 ..	Every employee shall on account the loss of the prescribed we holidays be granted (*i*) equal num of holidays in exchange after 10th October 1973 but before November 1973; and (*ii*) wages the work done on such holiday the rate of wages not less than th prescribed for over-time work

VI

The Govrenment of Maharashtra has declared with effect from 20th February 1973 a person working as a tailor on piece-rate wages in the premises of an establishment in Greater Bombay to be a person to whom the provisions of Section 14 and Sub-section (*1*) of section 63 of the said Act, applicable in relation to persons employed in shops and for that purpose, Government has amended the Government notification, Industries and Labour Department No. BSE. 1562 Lab.-III, dated 9th January 1963 as follows namely.

In the said notification after the words and figures " and section 63 thereof " the words " in the case of an establishment outside Greater Bombay " shall be inserted.

(Government notification, Industries and Labour Department, No. BSE.1572/158152/ Lab.III, dated 19th February 1973, published in *Maharashtra Government Gazette*, Part I-L, dated 15th March 1973 at pages 2420).

Factories Act, 1948

The Government of Maharashtra has appointed the Deputy Commissioner of Labour (Technical) to be the additional Inspector of the Factories for the purposes of the provisions under chapters III, IV, V, VI (except power of exemption under proviso to section (62), VII, VIII section 91 and section 108 of the Act for the whole of State (Government notification, Industries and Labour Department No. FMC.1873/154847/Lab-III-B, dated 8th February 1973 published in *Maharashtra Government Gazette* Part I-L, dated 15th February 1973 at page 1700).

Labour Legislation

Maharashta Industrial Relations (Validation of Certain Proceedings) Act, 1972*

The Maharashtra Industrial Relations (Validation of Certain Proceedings) Act, 1972 has been published in the *Maharashtra Government Gazette* Extraordinary, dated 20th February 1973. The Act has come into force from that date.

2. Under this Act, all proceedings under Paragraph D of sub-section (*1*) of section 78 of the Bombay Industrial Wclations Act which commenced during the period from 12th April 1967 to 9th March 1972, without following the procedure prescribed by sub-section (*4*) of Section 42 and the proviso thereto, and which were pending at the commencement of this Act before any Labour Court or before the Industrial Court in appeal, are deemed to have been duly and validly commenced before such Labour Court or the Industrial Court, as the case may be. Similarly, where such proceedings have, before the commencement of this Act been dismissed by any Labour Court or the Industrial Court on the ground only that proceedings under Para D of sub-section (*1*) of Section 78 of theBombay Industrial Relations Act were commenced without following the procedure prescribed bysub-section (*4*) of section 42 and the proviso thereto, such proceedings may be restored to the file of the Court on an application to be made by the party concerned within a period of six months from thecommencement of this Act.

Bombay Shops and Establishment Act, 1948*

The Government of Maharashtra has enacted in the Twenty-Fourth year of the Republic of India as follows :—

(1) (*i*) This Act may be called the Bombay Shops and Establishment (Amendment Act, 1973.

(*ii*) It shall come into force at once.

(2) The Government of Maharashtra has also added the provisions to the section 33 of the Act as follows :—

" Provided that a woman who has completed her eighteenth years may be allowed to work in shops upto 9-00 p.m."

LABOUR LEGISLATION
THE SICK TEXTILE UNDERTAKINGS (TAKING OVER OF MANAGEMENT) ACT, 1972

Act No. 72 of 1972*

[23rd December, 1972].

An Act to provide for the taking over, in the public interest, of the management of the sick textile undertakings pending nationalisation of such undertakings, for the expeditious rehabilitation of such undertakings so that such rehabilitation may subserve the interests of the general public by the augmentation of the production and distribution, at fair prices, of cheaper varieties of cloth, and for matters connected therewith or incidental thereto.

Be it enacted by Parliament in the Twenty-third Year of the Republic of India as follows :—

CHAPTER I

PRELIMINARY

1. *Short title and commencement.*—(*1*) This Act may be called the Sick Textile Undertakings (Taking Over of Management) Act, 1972.

(2) It shall be deemed to have come into force on the 31st day of October, 1972.

2. *Definitions.*—In this Act, unless the context otherwise requires,—

(*a*) " appointed day " means the 31st day of October, 1972 ;

(*b*) " notification " means a notification published in the *Official Gazette* ;

(*c*) " owner " ,in relation to a textile undertaking, means the company, individual, body of individuals or firm by which it is owned ;

(*d*) " sick textile undertaking " means the textile undertaking which falls within one or more of the following categories, namely :—

(*i*) which is owned by a textile company which is being wound up, whether voluntarily or by or under the supervision of any Court, or in respect of which a provisional liquidator has been appointed by a Court,

(*ii*) which had remained closed for a period of not less than three months immediately before the appointed day and the closure of which is prejudicial to the textile industry, and the condition of the undertaking is such that it may, with reasonable inputs, be re-started in the interests of the general public,

(*iii*) which has been leased to Government or any other person or the management of which has been taken over by Government or any other person under any leave or licence granted by any Receiver or Liquidator by or under the orders of, or with the approval of, any Court.

(*iv*) the management of which was authorised by the Central Government, by a notified order made under section 18-A, or in pursuance of an order made by the High Court under section 18FA, of the Industries (Development and Regulation) Act, 1951 (65 of 1951), to be taken over by a person or body of persons, but such management could not be taken over by such person or body of persons, before the appointed day.

(*v*) the management of which ought to be [according to the report made after investigation by any person or body of persons appointed after the 1st day of January, 1970, under section 15 of section 15-A of the Industries (Development and Regulation) Act, 1951 (65 of 1951)] taken over under section 18-A of that Act, but in relation to which

no notified order authorising any person or body of persons to take over the ma of such undertaking was made before the appointed day.

(*vi*) in respect of which an investigation was caused to be made, before the a day, by the Central Government under section 15 or section 15-A of the I (Development and Regulation Act, 1951 (65 of 1951), and the report of such inv was not received by the Central Government before the appointed day ;

and includes any textile undertaking which is deemed, under sub-section (2) of s to be a sick textile undertaking,

(*e*) " textile " includes yarn or fabrics made either wholly or partly of cott jute, synthetic and artificial (man-made) fibres ;

(*f*) " textile company " means a company specified in the third column of Schedule as owning the textile undertaking specified in the corresponding entr second column of that Schedule;

(*g*) " textile undertaking " means an undertaking engaged in the manufacture o and to which the provisions of the Factories Act, 1948 (63 of 1948), apply ;

(*h*) words and expressions used but not defined in this Act and defined in the In (Development and Regulation) Act, 1951 (65 of 1951), shall have the meanings resp assigned to them in that Act;

(*i*) words and expressions used but not defined either in this Act or in the In (Development and Regulation) Act, 1951 (65 of 1951), but defined in the Compan 1956, shall have the meanings respectively assiged to them in the Companies A (1 of 1956).

3. *Act to override all other enactment, etc.*—The provisions of this Act shall hav notwithstanding anything inconsistent therewith contained in any enactment (other t Act) or any judgement, decree or order of any Court, tribunal or other authority instrument having effect by virtue of any enactment other than this Act.

CHAPTER II

MANAGEMENT OF SICK TEXTILE UNDERTAKINGS

4. *Management of sick textile undertakings to vest in Central Government on the ap day.*—(*1*) On and from the appointed day, the management of all the sick textile under specified in the First Schedule shall vest in the Central Government.

(2) If, after the commencement of this Act, any investigation is ordered, under sec or section 15-A of the Industries (Development and Regulation) Act, 1951 (65 of in relation to any textile undertaking, and it is reported after such investigation th management of such textile undertaking ought to be taken over under section 18-A Act, the Central Government may, if it is satisfied after considertation of such repo other relevant matters that such undertaking ought to be declared to be a sick textile taking, make a declaration to that effect and further declare that the management o textile undertaking ought to be taken over by it under this Act and on and from the such declaration,—

(*i*) the textile undertaking specified in such declaration shall be deemed to be textile undertaking,

(*ii*) the management of such textile undertaking shall be deemed for the purposes Act , to vest in the Central Government , and

(*iii*) the textile undertaking and the textile company owning it shall be deemed included in the First Schedule

and thereupon the provisions of this Act shall become applicable thereto subject to the modification that for the words "appointed day" wherever they occur, the words brackets and figures "date of the declaration made by the Central Government under sub-section (2) of section 4" shall be substituted.

(3) The sick textile undertaking shall be deemed to include all assets, rights, powers, authorities and privileges of the textile company; in relation to the said sick textile undertaking and all property, movable and immoveable, including lands, buildings, workshops, stores, instruments, machinery, automobiles and other vehicles and goods under production or in transit, cash balances, reserve fund, investments and all otherrights and, interests in, or arising out of, such property as were, immediately before the appointed day in the ownership, possession, power or control of the textile company, whether within or outside India, and all books of account, registers and all other documents of whatever nature relating thereto.

(4) Any contact, whether express or implied, or other arrangement (whether under any statute or otherwise) in so far as it relates to the management of the business and affairs of the sick textile undertaking, and in force immediately before the appointed day, or any order made by any Court in so far as it relates to the management of the business and affairs of the sick textile undertaking and in force immediately before the appointed day, shall be deemed to have terminated on the appointed day.

(5) All persons in whom the management of the business and affairs of the sick textile undertaking vests immediately before the appointed day, shall, as from that day, cease to be so vested.

(6) Notwithstanding any judgment decree or order of any Court, tribunal or other authority or anything contained in any law (other than this Act) for the time being in force, every, Receiver, Official Liquidator or other person in whose possession or custody or under whiose control a sick textile undertaking or any part thereof may be immediately before the appointed day, shall, on the commencement of this Act, deliver the possession of the said undertaking or such part thereof, as the case may be, to the Custodian, appointed under section 5, or where no Custodian has been appointed to such other person as the Central Government may direct.

(7) The Central Government may take, or cause to be taken, all necessary steps for securing the possession of the sick textile undertaking which has vested in it under section 4.

(8) No resolution passed at any meeting of the shareholders of any textile company on or after the appointed day regarding the business of the textile company, in so far as it relates to the sick textile undertaking, shall be given effect to unless approved by the Central Government.

5. *Appointment of Custodian to take over the management of the sick textile undertaking.*—(1) The Central Government may, as soon as it is convenient administratively so to do, appoint an individual or a Government company as the Custodian of a sick textile undertaking for the purpose of taking over the management of such undertaking and the Custodian so appointed shall carry on the management of such undertaking for and on behalf of the Central Government.

(2) The Central Government may also appoint a Government company as the Custodian General for exercising supervision and control over all the sick textile undertakings, the management of which has vested in it under this Act, and, on such appointment, every Custodian appointed under sub-section (1) shall act under the guidance, control and supervision of the Custodian-General.

(3) On the appointment of a Custodian under sub-section (1), the charge of management of the sick textile undertaking shall vest in such Custodian and all persons in charge of the management ... such appointment shall cease to be

(*4*) The Central Government may issue such directions (including directions as to initiatin defending or continuing any legal proceedings before any Court, tribunal or other authority to the Custodian or Custodian-General as to his or its powers-and duties as the Centra Government deems desirable and the Custodian or the Custodian- General may apply to th Central Government at any time for instructions as to the manner in which the Custodian o the Custodian-General shall conduct the management of the undertaking of the compan or in relation to any matter arising in the course of such managment.

(*5*) Any person who, on the appointed day, has in his possession or under his control an books, papers or other documents relating to the sick textile undertaking, the management o which has vested in the Central Government under this Act, shall, notwithstanding anythin contained in any otyer law for the time being in force, be liable to account for the book papers and other documents, to the Custodian and shall deliver them upto the Custodian o to such other person as may be authorised by the Central Government or the Custodian i this behalf.

(*6*) Every person in charge of the management of a sick textile undertaking immediatel before the appointed day, shall, within ten days from that day or within such further perio as the Central Government may allow in this behalf, furnish to the Custodian a complet inventory of all the properties and assets (including particulars of book debts, investmen and belongings) forming part of sick textile undertaking immediately before the appointe day and of all liabilities and obligations of the sick textile undertaking subsisting immediatel before that day and also of all agreements entered into by the textile company, in relation t the sick textile undertaking, and in force immediately before that day.

(7) The Custodian and Custodian-General shall hold office during the pleasure of th Central Government and shall receive from the funds of the sick textile undertaking suc remuneration as may be fixed by the Central Government.

6. *Payment of amount.*—(*1*) The owner of every textile undertaking shall be given by th Central Government an amount, in cash, for vesting in it, under sub-section (*1*), or sub section (*2*), as the case may be, of section 4, the management of the sick textile undertakin of such company.

(*2*) For every month during which the management of the sick textile undertaking remain vested in the Central Government under this Act, the amount referred to in sub-section (1 shall be computed at the rate of—

(*i*) fifty paise per one thousand spindles or any part thereof, in the case of a sick textil undertaking having spindles only ;

(*ii*) one rupee per one hundred looms or any part thereof, in the case of a sick textil undertaking having looms only ;

(*iii*) fifty paise per one thousand spindles or any part thereof, and one rupee per on hundred looms or any part thereof, in the case of a sick textile undertaking having bot spindles and looms.

CHAPTER III

Powers to provide Relief to Sick Textile Undertakings

7. *Powers of Central Government to make certain declarations in relation to sick textil undertakings.*—(*1*) The Central Government may, if satisfied, in relation to a sick textil undertaking or any part thereof, the management of which has been vested in it under th Act, that it is necessary so to do in the interests of the general public with a view to preventin the fall in the volume of production of the textile industry, by notification, declare that—

(*a*) all or any of the enactments specified in the Second Schedule shall not apply o shall apply with such adapations, whether by way of modification, addition or omissio

(*b*) the operation of all or any of the contracts, assurances of property, agreements, settlements, awards, standing orders or other instruments in force (to which such sick textile undertaking or the company owing such undertaking is a party or which may be applicable to such sick textile undertaking or company) immediately before the date of issue of the notification shall remain suspended or that all or any of the rights, privileges, obligations and liabilities accruing or arising thereunder before the said date, shall remain suspended or shall be enforceable with such adaptations and in such manner as may be specified in the notification.

(2) The notification made under sub-section (*1*) shall remain in force, in the first instance, for a period of one year, but the duration of such notification may be extended from time to time by a further notification by a period not exceeding one year at a time :

Provided that no such notification shall, in any case, remain in force after the espiry of three years from the commencement of this Act.

(3) Any notification made under sub-section (*1*) shall have effect notwithstanding anything to the contrary contained in any other law, agreement or instrument or any decree or order of a Court, tribunal, officer or other authority or of any submission, settlement or standing order.

(4) Any remedy for the enforcement of any right, privilege, obligation or liability referred to in clause (*b*) of sub-section (*1*) and suspended or modified by a notification made under that sub-section shall, in accordance with the terms of the notification, remain suspended or modified and all proceedings relating thereto pending before any Court, tribunal, officer or other authority shall accordingly remain stayed or be continued subject to such adaptations, so however, that on the notification ceasing to have effect—.

(*a*) any right, privilege, obligation or liability so remaining suspended or modified shall become revived and enforceable as if the notification had never been made.

(*b*) any proceeding so remaining stayed shall be proceeded with subject to the provisions of any law which may then be in force, from the stage which had been reached when the proceeding become stayed.

(5) In computing the period of limitation for the enforcement of any right, privilege, obligation or liability referred to in clause (*b*) of sub-section (*1*), the period during which it or the remedy for the enforcement thereof remained suspended shall be excluded.

CHAPTER IV

MISCELLANEOUS

8. *Textile companies not to wound up.*—(1) No proceeding for the winding up of a textile company, within the meaning of this Act, shall lie in any Court or be continued whether by or under the supervision of any Court or voluntarily, except with the consent of the Central Government.

(2) In computing the period of limitation prescribed by any law for the time being in for any application which may be made in the course of winding up of any textile company in respect of any matter arising out of any transaction in relation to a sick textile undertaking the time during which the making of such application was barred by this Act, shall be excluded

varying (either unconditionally or subject to such conditions as it may think fit to impose) the contract or agreement and thereafter the contract or agreement shall have effect accordingly.

Provided that no contract or agreement shall be cancelled or varied except after giving to the parties to the contract or agreement a reasonable opportunity of being heard.

(2) Any person aggrieved by an order made under sub-section (*1*) may make an application to the principal Court of civil jurisdiction within the local limits of whose jurisdiction the registered office of the sick textile undertaking is situated for the variation or reversal of such order and, there upon such Court may confirm, modify or reverse such order.

10. *Power to terminate the contract of employment.*—If the Custodian or Custodian-General is of opinion that any contract of employment entered into by the owner of any sick textile undertaking or his agent, in relation to such sick textile undertaking, at any time before the appointed day, is unduly onerous, he may, by giving to the employee one month's notice in writing or the salary or wages for one month in lieu thereof, terminate such contract of employment.

11. *Management of sick textile undertaking pending taking over physical possession by the Custodian.*—(1) Pending the taking over by a Custodan, appointed under section 5, of the physical possession of any sick textile undertaking the person in charge of the management of such undertaking immediately before the appointed day shall, on and from the appointed day, be in charge of the management of such undertaking for and on behalf of the Central Government ; and the management of such undertaking shall be carried on by such person subject to the provisions contained in sub-section (2) and such directions, if any, as the Central Government may give to him, and no other person, including the textile company, shall, so long as such management continues, exercise any powers of management in relation to the sick textile undertaking.

(2) (*a*) No person in charge, of under sub-section (*1*), of a sick textile undertaking shall ; or

(*b*) No person in charge of the textile undertaking of a company in relation to which investigation has been ordered, after the commencement of this Act, under section 15 or section 15-A of the Industries (Development and Regulation) Act, 1951 (65 of 1951), shall, without the previous approval of the person specified by the Central Government in this behalf in respect of that undertaking (hereinafter referred to as the "authorised person")—

(*i*) incur any expenditure from the assets appertaining to the textile undertaking otherwise than for the purpose of making routine payments of salaries or commissions to employees, agents of for the purpose of meeting the routine day to day expenditure ;

(*ii*) transfer or otherwise dispose of any such assets or create any charge, hypothecation lien or other incumbrance thereon ;

(*iii*) invest in any manner any monies forming part of such assets ;

(*iv*) acquire any immovable property out of the monies forming part of such assets ;

(*v*) enter into any contract of service or agency, whether expressly or by implication, for purposes connected wholly or partly with the textile undertaking or vary the terms and conditions of any contract relating to any such transaction subsisting on the appointed day.

(3) The approval of the authorised persons may be given either generally in relation to certain classes of transactions relating to the textile undertaking or specially in relation to any of its transactions.

12. *Protection of action taken in good faith.* (1) No suit, prosecution or other legal proceeding shall lie against the Custodian-General or any Custodian in respect of any thing which is in good faith done or intended to be done under this Act.

(2) No suit or other legal proceeding shall lie again the Central Government, the Custodian-General or any Custodian for any damage caused, or likely to be caused, by anything which

13. *Delegation of powers.* (1) The Central Government may, by notification, direct that all or any of the powers exerciseable by it under this Act may also be exercised by any person or persons as may be specified in the notification.

(2) Whenever any delegation of power is made under sub-section (*1*), the person to whom such power has been delegated shall act under the direction, control and supervision of the Central Government.

14. *Debts incurred for the purposes of textile undertaking to have priority.* Every debt arising out of any loan advanced to a sick textile undertaking by the Central Government or a State Government for carrying on the management of any sick textile underkaing specified in the First Schedule,

(*a*) shall have priority over all other debts, whether secured or unsecured, incurred before the management of such textile undertaking was taken over under this Act ;

(*b*) shall be a preferential debt within the meaning of section 530 of the Companies Act, 1956 (1 of 1956) ;

and such debts shall rank equally among themselves and be paid in full out of the assets of the sick textile undertaking unless such assets are insufficient to meet them, in which case they shall abate in equal proportions.

15. *Penalties.* If any person

(*a*) fails to deliver to the Custodian any assets, books of account, registers or any other documents in his custody relating to any sick textile undertaking, the management of which has vested in the Central Government, or

(*b*) retains any property of such sick textile undertaking or removes or destroys it, or

(*c*) fails to comply with the provisions of section 5, or

(*d*) fails to comply with any direction made under this Act,

he shall be punishable with imprisonment for a term which may extend to seven years, and shall also be liable to fine.

16. *Offences by companies.* (1) Where an offence under this Act has been committed by a company every person who at the time the offence was committed was in-charge of, and was responsible to, the company for the conduct of the business of the company, shall be deemed to be guilty of the offence and shall be liable to be proceeded against and punished accordingly :

Provided that nothing contained in this sub-section shall render any such person liable to any punishment, if he proves that the offence was committed without his knowledge or that he had exercised all due diligence to prevent the commission of such offence.

(2) Notwithstanding anything contained in sub-section (*1*), where any office under this Act has been committed by a company and it is proved that the offence has been committed with the consent or connivance of, or is attributable to, any neglect on the part of any director, manager, secretary or other officer of the company, such director, manager, secretary or other officer shall be deemed to be guilty of that offence and shall be liable to be proceeded against and punished accordingly.

Explanation.—For the purposes of this section,—

(*a*) "company" means any body corporate and includes a firm or other association

17. *Power to make rules.*—(*1*) The Central Government may, by notification, make rules to carry out the provisions of this Act.

(*2*) Every rule made by the Central Government under this Act shall be laid, as soon as may be after it is made, before each House of Parliament, while it is in session, for a total period of thirty days which may be comprised in one session or in the two or more successive sessions, and if, before the expiry of the session immediately following the session or the successive sessions aforesaid, both Houses agree in making any modification in the rule or both. Houses agree that the rule should not be made, the rule shall thereafter have effect only in such modified form or be of no effect, as the case may be ; so, however, that any such modification or annulment shall be without prejudice to the validity of anything previously done under that rule.

18. *Repeal and saving.*—(1) The Sick Textile Undertakings (Taking Over of Management) Ordinance, 1972 (9 of 1972), is hereby repealed.

(2) Notwithstanding such repeal, anything done or any action taken, including any order issued, appointment made or direction given under the said Ordinance shall be deemed to have been done or taken under the corresponding provisions of this Act.

THE FIRST SCHEDULE

Serial No.	Name and address of the sick textile undertaking	Name and address of the owner of the sick textile undertaking
1	2	3
1	Adoni Cotton Mills, Alur Road, Adoni (Andhra Pradesh).	Adoni Cotton Mills Limited, 22, Bell Building, Sir P. M. Road, Bombay-1.
2	Anantapur Cotton Mills, Tadapatri (Andhra pradesh).	The Anantapur Cotton Mills Limited, Tadapatri (Andhra Pradesh).
3	Apollo Mills, N. M. Joshi Marg, Chinchpokli, Bombay-11.	Apollo Mills, Limited, N. M. Joshi Marg, Chinchpokli, Bombay-11.
4	Arati Cotton Mills, Dassnagar, Howrah (West Bengal)	Arati Cotton Mills Limited, 29, Strand Road, Calcutta-1
5	Balarama Varma Textile Mills, Shencottah (Tamil Nadu).	Balarama Varma Textile Limited, Shencottah (Tamil Nadu).
6	Bangasri Cotton Mills, Sodepore (West Bengal).	The Bangasri Cotton Mills Limited, Chandrachur Sadan, Sodepore, 24-Parganas (West Bengal).
7	Bengal Fine Spinning and Weaving Mills, Mill No. 2, Kataganj, District Nadia (West Bengal).	Bengal Fine Spinning and Weaving Mills Limited, 7, Bipin Behari Ganguly Street, Calcutta.
8	Bijli Cotton Mills, Mendu Road, Hathras (Uttar Pradesh).	The Bijli Cotton Mills (Private) Limited, Agra (Uttar Pradesh)

Serial No.	Name and address of the sick textile undertaking	Name and address of the owner of the sick textile undertaking
1	2	3
10	Dayalbagh Spinning and Weaving Mills, Amritsar.	Sir Sahabji Maharaj Mills Limited, Dayalbagh, Agra.
11	Edward Mills, Beawar (Rajasthan).	The Edward Mills Company Limited, Beawar (Rajasthan).
12	Edward Textile Mills, Ferguson Road, Lower Parel, Bombay.	Edward Textile Mills, Limited, Indu House, Dougall Road, Ballard Estate, Bombay.
13	Fine Knitting Mills, Near Chamundamata, Asarva Road, Ahmedabad.	The Fine Knitting Company Limited, Asarva, near Chamundamata, Ahmedabad-16.
14	Gaya Cotton and Jute Mills, Gaya (Bihar)	Gaya Cotton and Jute Mills, Limited, Gaya (Bihar).
15	Indore Malwa United Mills, Indore ..	The Indore Malwa United Mills Limited, 139, Meadows Street, Fort, Bombay.
16	Jayashankar Mills Barsi, Barsi, District Sholapur (Maharashtra).	The Jayashankar Mills Barsi Limited Barsi, District Sholapur (Maharashtra)
17	Jyoti Weaving Factory, 69, S. K. Dev Road Calcutta-48.	Jyoti Weaving Factory (Private) Limited 69, S. K. Dev Road, Patipurkar, Calcutta-48.
18	Kaleeswarar Mills, A Unit, Coimbatore.	The Kaleeswarar Mills Limited, Coimbatore.
19	Kaleswarar Mills, B Unit, Kalaynarkolil (District Ramnad).	
20	Kalyanmal Mills, 15, Silnath Camp, Indore	Kalyanmal Mills Limited, 15, Silnath Camp, Indore.
21	Kanoria Industries, (Cotton Mills Section), Konnagar (West Bengal).	Kanoria Industries Limited, 59, Netaji Subhas Road, Calcutta-1.
22	Kerala Lakshmi Mills, Trichur, Kerala State.	Kerala Lakshmi Mills Limited, Pullazhi, Trichur-4, Kerala State.
23	Kharar Textile Mills, Kharar, near Chandigarh.	The Panipat Woollen and General Mills Company Limited, Kharar, near Chandigarh.
24	Lord Krishna Textile Mills Saharanpur (Uttar Nradesh).	Lord Krishna Sugar Mills Limited, Chand Hotel, Chandni Chowk, Delhi.
25	Mahboob Shahi Kulbarga Mills, Gulbarga	Mahboob Shahi Kulkbarga Mills Company Limited, Gulbuarga (Mysore)

Serial No.	Name and address of the sick textile undertaking	Name and address of the owner of the sick textile undertaking
1	2	3
26	New Kaiser -i- Hind Spinning and Weaving Mills, Gorupdeo Road, Chinchpokli, Bombay-33.	New Kaiser-i-Hind Spinning and Weaving Company Limited, Ashoka Apartment, Altamount Road, Bombay.
27	New pratap Spinning Weaving and Manufacturing Mills, Dhulia, West Khandesh.	New Pratap Spinning, Weaving and Manufacturing Company Limited, Dhulia, West Khandesh.
28	Orisa Cotton Mills, Bhagatpur, Cuttack.	Orisa Cotton Mills, Limited, 41, Ironside Road, Calcutta-1.
29	Osmanshahi Mills, Mill Road, Nanded (Maharashtra).	Osmanshahi Mills Limited Mill Road, Nanded (Maharashtra).
30	Panipat Woollen Mills, Kharar, near Chandigarh.	The Panipat Woollen and General Mills Company Limited, Kharar near Chandigarh.
31	Pankaja Mills, Coimbatore	Pankaja Mills Limited, Coimbatore.
32	Pioneer Spinners, Pioneernagar (Tamil Nadu).	Pioneer Spinners (Private) Limited, Pioneernagar (Tamil Nadu).
33	Prabha Mills, Viramgam (Gujarat) ..	Prabha Mills Limited, Highway Rose Building, 92, Ambawala Dixit Road, Vile-Parle, Bombay-57.
34	R. B. Bansilal Abirchand Spinning and Weaving Mills, Hinghanghat (Maharashtra).	R. B. Bansilal Abirchand Spinning and Weaving Mills Company (Private) Limited, Hinghanghat (Maharashtra).
35	Savatram Ramprasad Mills, Akola (Maharashtra).	Savatram Ramprasad Mills, Company Limited, Akola (Maharashtra).
36	Seksaria Cotton Mills, Delisle Road, Parel, Bombay.	Seksaria Cotton Mills Limited, Delisle Road, Parel, Bombay.
37	Shree Bijay Cotton Mills, Bijainagar (Rajasthan).	Shree Bijay Cotton Mills Limited, Bijainagar (Rajasthan).
38	Shri Vikram Cotton Mills, Talkatora, Lucknow.	Shri Vikram Cotton Mills Limited, Lucknow (Uttar Pradesh).
39	Sodepur Cotton Mills, Sodepur (West Bengal).	Sodepur Cotton Mills Limited, Sodepur (West Bengal).
40	Shree Yallamma Cotton, Woollen and Silk Mills, Yallamnagar (Tal	Shree Yalamma Cotton, Woollen and

Serial No.	Name and address of the sick textile undertaking	Name and address of the owner of the sick textile undertaking
1	2	3
41	Sri Kothandram Spinning Mills Madurai.	Sri Kothandram Spinning Mills (Private) (Private) Limited, Madurai.
42	Sri Sarada Mills, Podanur (Tamil Nadu).	Sri Sarada Mills Limited, Podanur (Tamil Nadu).
43	Suraj Textile Mills, Malout Mandi, Punjab.	Suraj Textile Mills Limited, Malout Mandi, Punjab.
44	Tirupathi Cotton Mills, Renigunta (Andhra Pradesh).	Tirupathi Cotton Mills Limited, 8, Boag Road, T. Nagar, Madras-17.
45	Vidarbha Mills (Berar), Ellichpur (Maharashtra).	Vidarbha Mills Berar Limited, Ellichpur (Maharashtra).
46	Vijaymohini Mills, Trivandrum. ..	The Vijaymohini Mills Limited, Trivandrum.

THE SECOND SCHEDULE

(*See* section 7)

1. The Industrial Employment (Standing Orders) Act, 1946, (20 of 1946).
2. The Industrial Disputes Act, 1947 (14 of 1947).
3. The Minimum Wages Act, 1948, (11 of 1948).

Other Legislation

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

Industries and Labour Department No. UWA 1472/163418/Lab-IV—31st January 1973.— In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 4 of the Maharashtra Mathadi, Hamal and other Manual Workers (Regulation of Employment and Welfare) Act, 1969 (Mah. XXX of 1969) and of all other powers enabling it in that behalf, the Government of Maharashtra after consultation with the Advisory Committe, hereby makes the following schemes for employment in Metal (excluding Iron and Steel) including employment in Steel Furniture Markets or Shops and Paper Markets or Shops and other establishments in the trades in connection with loading, unloading, stacking, carrying, weighing measuring or such other work including work preparatory or incidental to such operations in the area of Greater Bombay, the same having been previously published as required by sub-section (1) of the said section 4, namely :—

SCHEME

THE METAL (EXCLUDING IRON AND STEEL) AND PAPER UNPROTECTED WORKERS (REGULATION OF EMPLOYMENT AND WELFARE), SCHEME, 1973.

1. *Title.*—This scheme may be called the Metal (excluding Iron and Steel) and Pape Unprotected Workers (Regulation of Employment and Welfare) Scheme, 1973.

2. *Objects and applications*—(*1*) *Objects.*—The objects of the schemes are to ensure an adequate supply and full and proper utilisation of unprotected workers employed in Metal (excluding Iron and Steel) including those employments in steel furniture Markets or Shops and Paper Markets or Shops and Other establishments in the trades in connection with loading, unloading, stacking, carrying, weighting, measuring or such other work including work preparatory or incidental to such operations for efficient performance of work and generally for making better provision for the terms and conditions of employment of such workers and make provision for their general welfare.

(2) *Application of the Scheme.*—This scheme shall apply to the employment of registered workers by registered employer in Metal (excluding Iron and Steel) including those employments in steel furniture markets or shops and paper markets or shops and other establishments in the trades in connection with loading, unloading, stacking, carrying, weighing, measuring or such other works including work preparatory or incidental to such operation in Greater Bombay.

3. *Commencement.*—(*i*) Clauses 14 and 15 of this scheme shall come into force from 1st March 1973.

(*ii*) The remaining clauses of the scheme shall come into force from 1st April 1973.

4. *Interpretation.*—(*a*) " Act " means the Maharashtra Mathadi, Hamal and Other Manual Workers (Regulation of Employment and Welfare) Act, 1969.

(*b*) Board means Metal (excluding Iron and Steel) and Paper Markets and Shops Mathadi

monthly worker " means a worker who is employed by an employer or a group of ers on contract on monthly basis ;

Personal Officer " means the Personal Officer appointed by the Board under clause 5.

Pool worker " means a register worker in the pool who is not a monthly worker.

pool " means a list of workers maintained by the Board but which does not include y workers :

register of employers " means the register of employers maintained under the scheme ;

register of workers " means the register of workers maintained under the scheme ;

rules " means the Maharashtra Mathadi, Hamal and Other Manual Workers (Regula- Employment and Welfare) Rules, 1970 ;

Secretary " means the Secretary of the Board ;

' week " means the period of seven days commencing from midnight of Saturday ling on the midnight of the Saturday next following.

Worker " means a worker whose name is for the time being entered in the register l workers or in the register of monthly workers ;

Secretary, Personnel Officer and other servants of the Board.—The Board may appoint tary, a Personnel Officer and such other officer and servants on such terms and condi- f service as it deems fit :

ided that no post, the maximum salary of which exclusive of allowance is Rs.500 and *er mensem* shall be created and no appointment to such post shall be made by the Board with the previous approval of the State Government :

ided further that, the previous approval of the State Government shall not be necessary appointment in a leave vacancy of a duration of not more than three months.

Functions of the Board.—(1) The Board may take such measures as it may consider le for carrying out the objectives of administering the Scheme set out in clause 2 includ- asures for—

ensuring the adequate supply and the full and proper utilisations of registered workers he purpose of facilitating the rapid turnout of work ;

) regulating the recruitment and entry into and the discharge from the scheme of s and allotment of registered workers in the pool to registered employers.

') determining and keeping under review the number of registered workers from time me, on the registers or records and the increase or reduction to be made in the number gistered workers ;

) keeping, adjusting and maintaining the employers' registers, entering or re-entering in the name of any employer and where circumstances so require, removing from the ter the name of any registered employer in accordance with the provisions of this me ;

) keeping, adjusting and maintaining from time to time, such registers or records, ay be necessary of workers including any registers, or records of workers who are porarily not available for work and whose absence has been approved by the Board : where circumstances so require, removing from any register or record the name of registered worker either at his own request or in accordance with the provisions of scheme ;

(*viii*) recovering from registered employers contribution in respect of the e of this scheme, wages, levy and any other contributions under this scheme ;

(*ix*) making provision subject to availability of funds, for the health and safety m in places where workers are employed in so far as such provision does not exi from this scheme ;

(*x*) maintaining and administering the workers' welfare, fund, and recoverin all the registered employers contribution towards the fund when such fund is con in accordance with the rules of the fund ;

(*xi*) maintaining and administering provident fund and gratuity fund for w workers in the pool when such funds are constituted.

(2) All property, fund and other assets vesting in the Board shall be held and ap it subject to the provisions and for the purposes of this Scheme.

(3) The Board shall have and maintain its own fund to which shall be credited—

(*a*) all monies received by the Board from the State Government ;

(*b*) all fees, wages and levies received by the Board under this scheme ;

(*c*) all monies received by the Board by way of sale and disposal of properties a assets ;

(*d*) interest on investment in securities and deposits, rents and all monies by the Board in any other manner or from any other source.

(4) All monies forming part of the funds shall be kept in current or deposit acco the State Bank of India or the Reserve Bank of India or in any nationalised schedul or invested in such securities as may be approved by the Board. Such accounts operated by such officers of the Board as may be authorised by it :

Provided that the Board may keep on hand such sum not exceeding Rs. 1,000 as th may consider necessary.

(5) The Board may with the previous permission of the State Government borro from open market or otherwise with a view to provide itself with adequate resou

(6) The Board may accept deposits on such conditions as it deems fit from persons. ties or establishments with whom it has to transact any business.

(7) The Board shall make provision for such reserve and other denominated f may be provided in this scheme.

(8) The Board shall have the authority to spend such sum as it thinks fit for the authorised under scheme from out of the general fund of the Board or from the re other funds, as the case may be.

(9) The Board shall cause the proper account to be kept of the cost of operating th and of all receipts and expenses under this scheme.

(10) The Board shall submit to the State Government—

(*a*) as soon as may be after the first day of April in every year and on later

The Board may—

fix the number of workers to be registered under the various categories ;

) increase or decrease the number of workers in any category on the register from time ne, as may be necessary after a periodical review of the register and anticipated require- :s ;

) sanction the temporary registration of a specified number of workers in any category pecific periods :

) devise forms, records, registers, statements and the like required for administration e scheme ;

determine the wages, allowances and other conditions of service including age of ment of registered workers.

) fix the rate of levy under clause 42(1) ;

) appoint, abolish or reconstitute the Committees under clause 28 ;

ii) sanction the annual budget ;

) subject to the provisions of clause 5 appoint a Secretary, the Personnel Officer and staff of the Board ;

) make recommendation to the State Government about any modification in the scheme;

) settle disputes between registered employers and registered workers ;

i) discuss statistics of output of labour and turn-out of work and record its observa- and directions ;

(*xiii*) subject to such conditions as it thinks fit, delegate in writing to the committees, rman, Secretary or to any other officer of the Board any of its functions under this ne.

Annual estimate.—The Chairman shall at a special meeting to be held before the end uary in each year lay before the Board, the annual budget of the scheme for the year ncing on the first day of April then next ensuing in such details and forms as the Board om time to time specify. The Board shall consider the estimate so presented to it and ithin four weeks of its presentation sanction the same either unaltered or subject to lteration as it may deem fit.

Responsibilities and duties of Chairman.—Without prejudice to the powers and functions Board, the Chairman shall be generally responsible for satisfactory execution of the and shall have powers to execute the decisions of the Board subject to its directions particular—

to ensure that the decisions of the Board in regard to the adjustment of the registers orkers are carried out expeditiously ;

) to ensure that the sanctions for temporary registration of workers are carried out out delay ;

to supervise and control the working of the scheme ;

) to take suitable steps if any irregularities are detected by him or brought to his e ;

to ensure that the provisions of the scheme in regard to transfer and promotion of ers are carried out ;

) to constitute medical boards when required ;

) to ensure that conditions laid down in the scheme for the registration of employers omplied with by them ;

) to ensure that all forms, registers, returns and documents, devised by the Board roperly maintained ;

(*j*) (*i*) to sanction the creation of posts the maximum salary of which exclusiv allowance is below Rs. 500 per month and to make appointment to such posts ;

(*ii*) to make appointments to posts, the maximum salary of which exclusive of allow is Rs. 500 per month and above ;

(*k*) to take disciplinary action against workers and employers in accordance wi provisions of this scheme ;

(*l*) to declare that there has been a " go slow " and to take action as authorised this scheme ;

(*m*) to sanction the transfer of a monthly worker to the pool at the request of the e yer or the worker, as provided for in this scheme ;

(*n*) to deal with appeals from workers and employers under clauses 38 and 39

(*o*) discharge all functions relating to disciplinary action against registered emp and workers to the extent permitted under clause 35.

9. *Functions of Secretary.*—Without prejudice to the powers and functions of the and the Chairman, the Secretary shall perform duties imposed on him by this sch discharge of his duties and in particular be responsible for—

(*a*) keeping, adjusting and maintaining the register of employers entering or re-e therein the name of any employer and where the circumstances so require removin the register the name of any registered employer in accordance with the provisions scheme ;

(*b*) keeping, adjusting and maintaining from time to time, such registers or as may be necessary of workers, including any registers or records of workers, temporarily not available for work and whose absence has been approved by th and where the circumstances require removing from any registers or records the any registered worker, either at his request or in accordance with the provision scheme ;

(*c*) the employment and control of registered workers who are available for wo they are not otherwise employed in accordance with this scheme ;

(*d*) the grouping or re-grouping of registered workers in suitable pools in ac with the instructions received from the Board in such groups as may be determine Board ;

(*e*) the allotment of registered workers in the pool who are available for work to employers and for this purpose, the Secretary shall—

(*i*) make the fullest possible use of registered workers in the pool ;

(*ii*) keep the record of attendance at call stands or control points of registered

(*iii*) provide for the maintenance of records of employment and earnings of worker ;

(*iv*) make or cause to be made the necessary entries in the attendance card wage slips of the workers in the reserve pool as laid down in clause 23.

(*f*) (*i*) the collection of levy or any other contribution from the employers scheme ;

(*ii*) the collection from registered workers of contribution to the Provide Insurance Fund or any other fund which may be constituted under the schem

(*iii*) the payment to each daily worker of all earnings lawfully due to him from tered employer and the payment to such worker of all monies payable by th

) the keeping of proper accounts of the cost of operating this scheme and of all receipts expenses under it and making and submitting to the Board an Annual Report and ted Balance-Sheet and profit and loss accounts statements ;

framing budget annually for submission to the Board on or before the 15th day February each year ;

maintaining complete service records of all registered workers and record sheets of egistered employers ;

authorising the employment of unregistered workers in case registered workers are vailable for work in the pool or in such other circumstances as the Chairman may ove ; and

such other functions as may, from time to time, subject to the provision of this Scheme signed to him by the Board or the Chairman.

Functions of Personnel Officers.—The Personnel Officer shall assist the Secretary lischarge of his duties and shall in particular carry out the functions assigned to him se 35 of this Scheme.

Maintenance of registers.—(1) *Register of employer.*—There shall be a register of ers in the form devised by the Board wherein the names and addresses of the employers ; ed under the scheme shall be entered.

Monthly register.—There shall be a register of workers who are engaged by the Board the names and addresses of workers registered under this scheme shall be entered. be duly maintained.

Monthly register.—There shall be a register of workers who are engaged by each emplo- contract on monthly basis and who are known as monthly workers.

ool legister.—There shall be a register of workers other than those on the monthly known as pool workers. This register shall include a sub-pool of workers who are ched to any gang to fill casual vacancies in gangs. The workers included in such ool shall be known as leave reserve workers.

Classification of workers.—The Board shall arrange for the classification of workers ble categories as may be determined, by it, from time to time.

Fixation of number of workers on the registers.—The Board shall determine, beforet mencement of registration in any category, the number of workers required in tha in consultation with the employers.

Registration of employers.—Every employer engaged in selling, purchasing or trading as an Agent in Metal (excluding Iron and Steel) including any such employer engated ctivities in Steel Furniture Markets or Shops and Paper Markets or Shops and other ments in the trade in the areas to which the scheme applies shall get registered withone applying in Form " A " appended to the scheme within fifteen days from the date of nto force of this clause : Provided however, that an employer of any establishment nto existance after the commencement of the scheme shall apply for registration eously on the commencement of this business.

Registration of existing and new workers.—(1) Any worker who on the date of enforce- this scheme is already working in the employment in the area to which the scheme hall be registered under this scheme.

e qualifications for new registration shall be such as may be specified by the Board egard to local conditions, physical fitness, capacity and/or experience. Citizens of

(4) Notwithstanding any provisions of this Scheme, where the Board is of opini a worker has secured his registration by furnishing false information in his applicati withholding any information required therein or where it appears that a worker h registered improperly or incorrectly, the Board may direct the removal of his name f registers :

Provided that, before giving any such direction, the Board shall give such worker o nity of showing cause why the proposed direction should not be issued.

16. *Promotion and transfer of workers.*—(1) A vacancy (other than a casual vac any category of workers in a pool register shall ordinarily be filled by promotion of a from the next lower category within the same gang.

(2) A vacancy (other than a casual vacancy), in any category of monthly workers filled only by promotion from lower categories of monthly workers in the gang or, if no is suitable for promotion from lower categories of monthly workers in the same g transfer of a worker in the same or a superior category in the pool who may be sel registered employers or a group of employers.

Explanation.—The criteria for promotion shall ordinarily be :—

(*a*) seniority ;

(*b*) merit and fitness for the category to which promotion is to be made ;

(*c*) record of past service.

Note.—A transfer from the pool register to the monthly register in the same cat *vice versa* shall not be deemed a promotion.

(3) The Chairman or the Secretary may for sufficient and valid reasons allow the tr a monthly worker to the pool on a request in writing of the employer or the worker e fully the reasons for the transfer provided that such transfer shall be subject to the fulfi any contract subsisting between the monthly worker and his employer regarding ter of employment. No transfer shall take place without the prior approval of the Cha the Secretary.

(4) If the services of a monthly worker are terminated by the employer for an ac cipline or misconduct he may apply to the Board for employment in the pool. The Sec behalf of the Board shall then decide on the merits of the case, whether or not th should be employed by the Board and if so, whether in the same or a lower category.

(5) If a monthly worker is transferred to , or employed in, the pool under sub- or sub-clause (4) as the case may be, his previous service shall be reckoned for all benc pool and the employer shall transfer to the Board all benefits that have accrued to th in respect of his previous service as if such service has not been transferred. The shall contribute to the Board such amount of the provident fund of the worker, if any, to his credit in the Provident Fund of which he is a member and such amount towards and gratuity as may have been due to him under any contract subsisting between th and his employer or under any law, award or agreement applicable to such worke services had been terminated by the employer.

17. *Medical examination.*—(1) If the Board considers it to be necessary so to require a new worker before registration to undergo, free of charge, a medical exami physical fitness by a Medical Officer nominated by the Chairman for this purpose. found medically unfit by a Medical Officer may apply in writing to the Chairman an neously deposit with him such fees as may be specified in this behalf for examin a Medical Board. On receipt of such a request, the Chairman shall set up a Medic

18. *Registration fee.*—(*i*) A registration fee of rupee one shall be paid to the Board by each worker at the time of registration under this scheme.

(*ii*) A registration fee of Rs. twenty-five shall be paid by each employer at the time of registration under this scheme.

19. *Supply of cards.*—(1) Every registered workers shall be supplied with (*i*) an identity card ; (*ii*) an attendance card ; (*iii*) wage slips in the forms, devised by the Board.

(2) In case of loss of card, a fresh card will be issued but the cost thereof, which will be fixed by the Board shall be payble by the worker concerned.

20. *Service records for registered workers.*—A service record for every monthly and daily worker shall be maintained in a form to be specified by the Board which shall contain, among other things a complete record of disciplinary actions taken against the worker, promotions, commendations for good work, etc, and such other matters as the Board may think fit. Such details in respect of monthly workers shall be supplied to the Board by the registered employers.

21. *Record sheets for registered employers.*—The Personal Officer shall maintain a record sheet in respect of each registered employer in a form to be devised by the Board which, shall contain among other things, a complete record of disciplinary action taken against the registered employer.

22. *Surrender of cards.*—A worker's card shall be surrendered to the Board in the following circumstances, namely.—

(*a*) when proceeding on leave for seven days or more ;

(*b*) when retiring from service ;

(*c*) when dismissed or discharged from service ;

(*d*) when temporarily suspended ; or

(*e*) on death :

Provided that, the employer of a monthly worker shall also surrender the card of the worker to the Board in the case of (*a*), (*b*), (*c*), (*d*) and (*e*) above

23. *Entries in attendance card and wage slip.*—(1) A Registered worker in the pool shall hand over to the Board at the time he is allotted for work to a registered employer his attendance card the Board shall make necessary entries in the attendance card in respect of the period of work done by the worker, and return it to him on completion of his engagement. For each day of work, the Board shall supply as soon as possible, a wage slip showing the wages earned by a worker.

(2) A monthly worker shall hand over to his employer at the time when he is allotted his work, attendance card. The employer shall make necessary entries in the card in respect of the period of work done by the worker and return it to him on the completion of his allotted work. For each day of work, the employer shall supply as soon as possible a wage-slip showing wages earned by a worker.

(3) A monthly worker of one employer or a group of employers shall not be employe by an other employer or group of employers, except with the previous approval of t Chairman or Secretary.

25. *Filling up of casual vacancies.* Casual vacancies of monthly workers shall be fill up in the following manner :

When a Head *Mukadam* or *Mukadam* is absent, the vacancy shall be filled by a seni person of the same gang in the employment of employer.

26. *Disappointment money.* When a worker in the pool presents himself for work a for any reason the work for which he has been allotted cannot commence or proceed and alternative work can be found for him and he is relieved within two hours of his attendi for work, he shall be entitled to disappointment money from the employer at a rate as m be fixed by the Board appropriate to the category to which he belongs. A worker dete in for more than two hours shall be paid full wages inclusive of dearness allowance.

27. *Holidays.* Each worker shall be entitled in a year to four holidays with pay at su rates as may be specified by the Board under clause 33. Out of the four holidays, th holidays will be on (*i*) 26th January (Republic Day), (*ii*) 1st May (Maharashtra Da and (*iii*) 15th August (Independence Day), The fourth holiday shall be decided by Board.

28. *Committees.*- (1) The Board may appoint one or more Committees to whom it m entrust such of its function as it may deem necessary to facilitate compliance with the p visions of this Scheme and may abolish or reconstitute them as it may deem necessa Persons who are not members of the Board may, if necessary, be nominated as co-op members of the Committee. Such co-opted members, however, shall not have any ri of vote.

29. *Obligations of registered workers.*- (1) Every registered worker shall be deem to have accepted the obligations of this Scheme.

(2) A registered worker in the pool who is available for work shall be deemed to be in employment of the Board.

(3) A registered worker in the pool who is available for work shall not engage him for employment under registered employer, unless he is allotted to that employer by Secretary.

(4) A registered worker in the pool who is available for work shall carry out direct of the Board and shall-

(*a*) report as such call stands or control points and at such times as may be speci by the Board and shall remain at such call stands or control points;

(*b*) accept any employment under registered employer whether in the categor which he has been registered or any other category for which he is considered suit by the Board.

(5) A registered worker who is available for work when allotted by the Board for em ment under a registered employer shall carry out his duties in accordance with the direc

stered employer shall, in accordance with instructions as may be given by the
it all available information of his current and future labour requirements.

stered employer shall lodge with the Board, unless otherewise directed, parti-
workload handled by workers on piece-rate and such other statistical data as
ired in respect of the registered workers engaged by him.

stered employer shall pay to the Board, in such manner and at such times as
ay direct, the levy payable under clause 42(1) and the gross wages due to daily
any other amount due to daily workers.

stered employer shall keep such records as the Board may require and shall
re the Board or such person as may be designated by the Board upon
otice all such records and any other documents of any kind relating to registered
to the work upon which they have been employed and furnish such information
eto as may be set out in any notice or directions issued by or on behalf of the

riction on employment.—(1) No employer (other than a registered employer
to which this Scheme applies) shall engage for employment a worker unless that
registered worker.

thstanding the preceding provisions of the clause.—

re the Secretary is satisfied that.—

e work is emergently required to be done ; and

is not reasonable practicable to obtain registered worker for that work the
ry may, subject to any limitation imposed by the Board, allow a registered
er to employ a worker who is not a registered worker. In selecting such workers
al Employment Exchange Organisation shall as far as possible be consulted :

ided that, whenever unregistered workers have to be employed the Secretary
otain, if possible, the prior approval of the Chairman to the employment of such
s, and where this is not possible, shall report to the Chairman within 24 hours
l circumstances under which such workers were employed and the Chariman
uly inform the Board of such employment at its next meeting ;

Board may, subject to such conditions as it may specify, permit employment
stered workers on a holiday, if work is required to be done on that day, to the
gistered workers are not available for work ;

he cases referred to in items (a) and (b) the person so employed as aforesaid
stered employer shall, for the purposes of clauses 30(4), (5) and (6) and clause 33,
l in respect of that work, as if he were a daily worker.

gistered worker in the pool may, provided he fulfils fully his obligations under
ake up employment elsewhere on those days on which he is not allotted for work
rd.

umstances in which this Scheme ceases to apply.—(1) This Scheme shall cease
a registered worker when his name has been removed from the register or record
nce with the provisions of the Scheme.

Scheme shall cease to apply to a registered employer when his name has been
in accordance with the provisions of this Scheme.

33. *Wages, allowances and other conditions of service of workers.*—Without prejudice to the provisions of any award it shall be, unless otherwise specifically provided for in the Scheme, and implied condition of the contract between a registered worker (whether in the pool or on the monthly register) and registered employer that the rates, allowances, overtime, hours or work, rest intervals, leave with wages and other conditions of service shall be such as may be fixed by the Board for each category of workers.

34. *Disbursement of wages and other allowances to registered workers.*—The Board shall permit the registered employers to pay wages and other allowances to the registered monthly workers employed by them directly after making such deductions as may be authorised or recoverable from them under this Scheme. In respect of workers other than monthly workers employed by the registered employees from time to time, the wages and other allowances payable by the registered employers shall be remitted by the registered employers by cheque to the Secretary of the Board every fortnight. The Secretary thereupon shall arrange to disburse the wages and other dues, if any, to the registered workers on a specified day of the month subject to deductions recoverable from them under this Scheme.

35. *Disciplinary procedure.*—(1) (*i*) The personnel Officer may, on receipt of the information whether on a complaint or otherwise that a registered employer has failed to carry out the provisions of this Scheme after investigating the matter, give him a warning in writing, or

(*ii*) Where in his opinion, a higher penalty is merited, the Personnel Officer shall report the case to the Chairman who may then cause such further investigation to be made as he may deem fit and take any of the following steps as regards that employer, that is to say, he may—

(*a*) censure him and record the censure in his record sheet ; or

(*b*) subject to the approval of the Board and after one month's notice in writing give the registered employer, remove his name from the employer's register for such period as determined by the Board or permanently.

(2) A registered worker in the pool who fails to comply with any of the provisions of the Scheme or commits any act of indiscipline or misconduct may be reported in writing to the Personnel Officer who may after investigating the matter give him a warning in writing.

(3) Where in the opinion of the Personnel Officer, a higher punishment than that provided in sub-clause (2) is merited, he shall report the case to the Chairman.

(4) On receipt of the written report from the Personnel Officer under sub-clause (3) or employers or any other person that a registered worker in the pool has failed to comply any of the provisions of this Scheme or has committed an act of indiscipline or misconduct has consistently failed to produce the standard or *datum* output or has been inefficient in other manner, the Chairman may make of cause to be made such further investigation as he may deem fit and thereafter take any of the following steps, as regards the worker concerned that is to say he may impose any of the following penalties :

(*a*) give him a warning in writing ;

(*b*) terminate his services after giving one month's notice or one month's wages in lieu of dearness allowance in lieu thereof ; or

(*c*) dismiss him.

(5) Before any action is taken under this clause the person concerned shall be given

(4) No appeal shall lie where due notice has been given of the removal of the name of a registered worker from the register or record in accordance with the instructions of the Board if the ground of removal is that the registered worker falls within a class of description of workers whose names are to be removed from the register or record in order to reduce the size thereof :

Provided that, an appeal shall lie to the Chairman where the registered worker alleges that he does not belong to the class or description of workers referred to in the instruction of the Board.

(5) Every appeal referred to in sub-clause (1), (2), (3) or (4) shall be in writing and be preferred within fourteen days of the date of receipt of the order appealed against :

Provided that, the appellate authority may for reasons to be recorded admit an appeal preferred after the expiry of fourteen days.

39. *Appeals by employers.*—(1) (*i*) A registered employer who is aggrieved by an order of the Personnel Officer under clause 35(1)(*ii*) may appeal to the Chairman ;

(*ii*) In the case of an appeal against an order under clause 35 (1) (*ii*) (d) the Chairman shall forthwith refer, the matter to the State Government. The State Government shall make such order on the appeal as it thinks fit.

(2) Every appeal referred to in sub-clause (1) shall be in writting and preferred within fourteen days of the receipt of the order appealed against ;

Provided that, the appellate authority may for reasons to be recorded, admit an appeal preferred after the expiry of fourteen days.

40. *Powers of revision of the Chairman.*—Nothwithstanding anything contained in this Scheme, the Chairman in case of an order passed by Personnel Officer under clause 35 may at any time call for the record of any proceeding in which the Personnel Officer has passed the order for the purpose of satisfying himself as to the legality or propriety thereof and may pass such order in relation thereto as he may think fit.

Provided that, the Chairman shall not pass any order, under this clause which may prejudicially affect the interests of any person without giving such person reasonable opportunity of being heard.

41. *Stay of order in case of certain appeals.*—Where an appeal is made by a worker in accordance with the provisions of clause 38 against an order of termination of service on one month's notice or where an appeal is preferred by an employer in accordance with the provisions of clause 39 against an order removing his name from the employers' register under clause 35 (1) (*ii*) (d) the appellate authority may suspend the operation of the order appealed from pending the hearing and disposal of the appeal.

42. *Cost of operating the scheme.*—(1) The cost of operating this scheme shall be defrayed by payments made by the registered employers to the Board. Every registered employer shall pay to the Board such amount by way of levy in respect of registered workers allotted to an and engaged by him as the Board may, from time to time, specify by written order to the registered employers and in such manner and at such time as the Board may direct.

(2) In determining what payments are to be made by the registered employers under sub-clause (1) the Board may fix different rate of levy for different categories of work or workers, provided that, the levy shall be so fixed that thesame rate of levy will apply to all

36. *Special disciplinary powers of the Chairman.*—(1) Notwithstanding anythin in the Scheme if the Chairman is satisfied after enquiry that a " go slow " has beer by any gang of registered workers of any individual worker and is being continued by the same gang or worker or different gangs or workers on the same or differe work he may make a declaration in writing to that effect.

(2) When a declaration under sub-clause (1) has been made it shall be lawful fo man—

(*i*) in case of monthly workers, to take, without prejudice to the rights of th employers, such disciplinary action including removal against such workers consider appropriate ; and

(*ii*) in case of registered workers in the pool to take such disciplinary actic dismissal against such workers as he may consider appropriate.

(3) The Chairman may take disciplinary action—

(*i*) where " go slow " is resorted to by a gang against all the members of th

(*ii*) where " go slow " is resorted to by a worker against the worker concer

(4) Before any disciplinary action is taken under this clause against any worker of workers, such worker or gang shall be given an opportunity to show cause why t action should not be taken against him or it :

Provided that, the Chairman may, before giving an opportunity to show caus sub-clause, suspend from work any worker or gang of workers immediately after a has been made under sub-clause (1).

(5) A declaration by the Chairman that a " go slow " has been resorted to by a gang of workers shall be final and shall not be liable to be questioned on any g soever.

37. *Termination of empoyment.*—(1) The employment of a registered worker shall not be terminated except in accordance with the provisions of this Scheme.

(2) A registered worker in the pool shall not leave his employment with the Boa giving fourteen days' notice in writing to the Board of forfeiting fourteen day's wa of dearness allowance in lieu thereof.

(3) When the employment of a registered worker with the Board, has been under sub-clauses (1) and (2) his name shall forthwith be removed from the regist by the Board.

38. *Appeals by workers.*—(1) Save as otherwise provided in this clause, a wo pool who is aggrieved by an order passed by an authority under cluase 35, may prefe against the order of the Personnel Officer to the Chairman and against the order o man to the State Government.

(2) A worker who is aggrieved by an order of the Secretary—

(*i*) placing him in a particular group in the register or record ; or

(*ii*) refusing registration under clause 15 ; or

(4) A registered empoyer shall on demand make a payment to the Board by way of deposit or provide such other security for the due payment of the amount referred to in sub-clause (1) as the Board may consider necessary.

(5) The Secretary shall furnish from time to time, to the Board such statistics and other information as may reasonably be required in connection with the operation and financing of the scheme.

(6) If a registered employer fails to make the payment due from him under sub-clause (1) within the time specified by the Board, the Secretary shall serve a notice on the employer to the effect that, unless he pays his dues within three days from the date of receipt of the notice, the supply of registered workers to him shall be suspended. On the expiry of the notice period the Secretary shall suspend the supply of registered workers to a defaulting employer until he pays his dues.

43. *Provident Fund and Gratuity.*—(1) The Board in respect of the workers in the pool and the registered employers, in respect of their monthly workers, shall frame and operate rules providing for Contributory Provident Fund. The rules shall provide for the rate of contribution from the workers and the employers, the manner and method of payment and such other matters as may be considered necessary :

Provided that, the rules applicable to monthly workers shall not be less favourable than those relating to workers in the pool.

(2) The Board shall frame rules for payment of gratuity to registered workers.

(3) The rules for Provident Fund and Gratuity framed by the Board shall be subject to the previous approval of the State Government.

44. *Penalties.*—Whoever contravenes the provisions of clause 14, 30 and 31 shall on conviction be punishable with a fine which may extend to Rupees five hundred.

FORM "A".

(*Clause 14*)

THE METAL (EXCLUDING IRON AND STEEL) AND PAPER MARKETS AND SHOPS MATHADI LABOUR BOARD FOR GREATER BOMBAY.

Application for the registration of Employer.

Registration No.

(to be filled in by office)

1. Name and address of the Establishment .....
and Tel. No. .....

2. Whether a firm or a company .....
(Name of Proprietor)

(1) .....
(2) .....
(1) .....
(2) .....

3. Are you a member of any Association ?
If so, state the name of the Association

5. The place of work with location in details where the loading, unloading, stacking, carrying, etc. of goods is carried on in connection with trade business of your Establishments.

6. Are you employing workers through contractors ? If so, state the name of the contractors.

7. Are you employing workers through Tolli ? If so, state the name of the Mukadam/s of the Tolli/s or of all workers.

Date .....

Place .....

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

*Industries and Labour Department No. UWA. 1472/152991/Lab-IV. dated 31st January 1973.**—In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 4 of the Maharashtra Mathadi, Hamal and other Manual Workers (Regulation of Employment and Welfare) Act, 1969 (Mah. XXX of 1969) 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 for employment in khoka making and in Timber Market in connection with sawing, cutting, chiselling, plaining, joining, nailing, assembling, loading, unloading, stacking, carrying, weighing, measureing or such other work including work preparatory or incidental to such operations, in the areas of Greater Bombay, the same having been previously published as required by sub-section (*1*) of the said section 4, namely :—

SCHEME

THE KHOKHA AND TIMBER UNPROTECTED WORKERS (REGULATION OF EMPLOYMENT AND WELFARE) SCHEME, 1973

1. *Title.*—This scheme may be called the Khokha and Timber Unprotected Workers (Regulation of Employment and Weflare) Scheme, 1973.

2. *Objects and applications.*—(1) Objects.—The objects of this scheme are to ensure adequate supply and full and proper utilisation of unprotected workers employed in Khokha making Establishments and Timber Markets and Shops in connection with sawing, cutting, chiselling, plaining, joining, nailing, assembling, loading, unloading, stacking, carrying, weighing, measuring or such other work including the work preparatory or incidental to such operations for efficient performance of work and generally for making better provision for the terms and conditions of employment of such workers and make provision for their general welfare.

(2) *Applications.*—(*a*) This scheme shall apply to employment of registered workers in registered employers in Khokha Making Establishment and Timber, Markets and Shops

4. *Interpretation.*—(*a*) " Act " means the Maharashtra Mathadi, Hamal and Ot Manual Workers (Regulation of Employment and Welfare) Act, 1969.

(*b*) Board means " The Khokha Making Establishment and Timber Markets and Sh Labour Board for Greater Bombay " constituted under section 6 of the Act ;

(c) " Chairman " means the Chairman of the Board ;

(*d*) " Monthly Worker " means a worker who is employed by an employer or a gro of employers on monthly basis ;

(*e*) " Pool " means a list of workers maintained by the Board but which does not inclu monthly worker ;

(*f*) " Pool Worker " means a worker whose name is entered in the pool ;

(*g*) " Employer " means the employer whose name is for the time being entered in the reg ter of employers ;

(*h*) " Worker " means a worker whose name is for the time being entered in the regis of pool workers or in the register of monthly workers ;

(*i*) " Register of Employers " means the register of employers maintained under the schem

(*j*) " register of workers " means the register of worker maintained under this schem

(*k*) " Secretary " means the Secretary of the Board ;

(*l*) " Personnel Officer " means the Personnel Officer appointed by the Board under clause

(*m*) " Rule " means the Maharashtra Mathadi, Hamal and Other Manual Worke (Registration of Employment and Welfare) Rules, 1970 ;

(*n*) " Week " means the period of seven days commencing on mid-night of Saturd and ending on the mid-night of the Saturday next following.

5. *Secretary, Personnel Officer and other Officers and servants of Board.*—The Boa may appoint a Secretary, a Personnel Officer and such other Officers and servants on su terms and conditions of service as it deems fit :

Provided that, no post, the maximum salary of which exclusive of allowance is Rs. 5 and above per mensem shall be created, and no appointment to such post shall be made b the Board except with the previous approval of the State Government :

Provided further that, the previous approval of the State Government shall not be necessar to any appointment in a leave vacancy of a duration of not more than three months.

6. *Function of the Board.*—(1) The Board may take such measures as it may conside desirable for carrying out the objectives of administering the scheme set out in clause including measures for—

(*i*) ensuring the adequate supply and the full and proper utilisation of registered worke for the purpose of facilitating the rapid turnout of work ;

(*ii*) regulating the recruitment and entry into and the discharge from, the scheme o workers and allotment of registered workers in the pool to registered employers ;

(*iii*) determining and keeping under review the number of registered workers from tim to time, on the registers or records and the increase or reduction to be made in the numbe

(*iv*) keeping, a ljusting and maintaining the employers' registers, entering or re-ente therein the name of any employer and where circumstances so require removing from register the name of any registered employer in accordance with the provisions of scheme ;

(*v*) keeping, adjusting and maintaining from time to time, such registers or rec as may be necessary of workers including any registers, or records of workers who temporarily not available for work and whose absence has been approved by the Bo and where circumstances so require removing from any register or record the name of registered worker either at his own request or in accordance with the provisions of scheme ;

(*vi*) grouping or re-grouping of all registered workers into such groups as may be d mined by the Board, and reviewing the grouping of any registered worker on the applic of a registered worker ;

(*vii*) making provision, subject to availability of funds, for the welfare of regis workers including medical services in so far as such provision does not exist apart this scheme ;

(*viii*) recovering from registered employers contribution in respect of the expens this scheme, wages, levy and any other contributions under this scheme ;

(*ix*) making provision subject to availability of funds, for the health and safety me in places where workers are employed in so far as such provision does not exist apart this scheme ;

(*x*) maintaining and administering the workers' welfare fund, and recovering all the registered employers contribution towards the fund when such fund is cons in accordance with the rules of the fund ;

(*xi*) maintaining and administering provident fund and gratuity fund for registered ers in the pool when such funds are constituted.

(2) All property, fund and other assets vesting in the Board shall be held and applied subject to the provisions and for the purposes of this scheme.

(3) The Board shall have and maintain its own Fund to which shall be credited—

(*a*) all monies received by the Board from the State Government ;

(*b*) all fees, wages and levies received by the Board under this scheme ;

(*c*) all monies received by the Board by way of sale and disposal of properties an assets ;

(*d*) interest on investment in securities and deposits, rents and all monies rece the Board in any other manner or from any other source.

(4) All monies forming part of the Funds shall be kept in current or deposit acco the State Bank of India or the Reserve Bank of India or in any nationalised Bank or in such securities as may be approved by the Board. Such accounts shall be operated officers of the Board as may be authorised by it :

Provided that, the Board may keep on hand such sum not exceeding Rs. 1,000 as th may consider necessary.

(7) The Board shall make provision for such reserve and other denominated funds as may be provided in this scheme.

(8) The Board shall have the authority to spend such sum as it thinks fit for the purposes authorised under scheme from out of the general fund of the Board or from the reserve and other funds, as the case may be.

(9) The Board shall cause the proper account to be kept of the cost of operating this scheme and of all receipts and expenses under this scheme.

(10) The Board shall submit to the State Government—

(*a*) as soon as may be after the first day of April, in every year and not later than the 31st day of October, an annual report on the working of this scheme during the preceding year ending the 31st of March together with an audited balance-sheet ; and

(*b*) copies of proceedings of the meetings of the Board.

(11) The Board may—

(*i*) fix the number of workers to be registered under the various categories ;

(*ii*) increase or decrease the number of workers in any category on the register from time to time, as may be necessary after a periodical review of the register and anticipated requirements ;

(*iii*) sanction the temporary registration of a specified unmber of workers in any category for specific periods ;

(*iv*) divise forms, records, registers, statement and the like required for administration of the scheme ;

(*v*) determine the wages, allowances and other conditions of service including age of retirement of the registered workers ;

(*vi*) fix the rate of levy under clause 42(1) ;

(*vii*) appoint, abolish or reconstitute the Committees under clause 28 ;

(*viii*) sanction the annual budget ;

(*ix*) subject to the provisions of clause 5 appoint a Secretary, the Personnel Officer and other staff of the Board ;

(*x*) make recommendation to the State Government about any modification in the Scheme ;

(*xi*) settle disputes between registered employers and registered workers ;

(*xii*) discuss statistics of output of labour and turn-out of work and record its observation and directions ;

(*xiii*) subject to such conditions as it thinks fit, delegate in writing to the committees Chairman, Secretary or to any other officer of the Board any of its functions under this Scheme.

7. *Annual Estimate.*—The Chairman shall, at a special meeting to be held before the end of

8. *Responsibilities and Duties of Chairman.*—Without prejueice to the powers and functions of the Board, the Chairman shall be generally responsible for satisfactory execution of the Scheme and shall have powers to execute the decisions of the Board subject to its direction, and in particular,—

(*a*) to ensure that the decisions of the Board in regard to the adjustment of the registers of workers are carried out expeditiously ;

(*b*) to ensure that the sanctions for temporary registration of workers are carried out without delay ;

(*c*) to supervise and control the working of the Scheme ;

(*d*) to take suitable steps, if any, irregularities are detected by him or brought to his notice;

(*e*) to ensure that the provisions of the Scheme in regard to transfer and promotion of workers are carried out ;

(*f*) to constitute medical boards when required ;

(*g*) to ensure that conditions laid down in the Scheme for the registration of employers are complied with by them ;

(*h*) to ensure that all forms, registers, returns and documents, devised by the Board are properly maintained ;

(*i*) to ensure that suitable statistics in regard to the output of labour is complied and placed before the Board with appropriate remarks and explanations at such intervals as the Board may desire ;

(*j*)(*i*) to sanction the creation of posts the maximum salary of which exclusive of allowance is below Rs. 500 per month and to make appointments to such posts ;

(*ii*) to make appointments to posts, the maximum salary of which exclusive of allowances is Rs. 500 per month and above;

(*k*) to take disciplinary action against workers employers in accordance with the provisions of this Scheme ;

(*l*) to declare that there has been "go slow " and to take action as authorised under t his Scheme ;

(*m*) to sanction the transfer of a monthly worker to the pool at the request of the employer or the worker, as provided for in this Scheme.

(*n*) to deal with appeals from workers and employers under clauses 38 and 39 ;

(*o*) discharge all functions relating to disciplinary action against registered employers and workers to the extent permitted under clause 35.

9. *Functions of Secretary* —Without prejudice to the powers and functions of the Board and the Chairman, the Secretary shall perform duties imposed on him by this Scheme in discharge of his duties and in particular,—

(*b*) keeping, adjusting and maintaining from time to time, such registers or records as may be necessary of workers, including any registers or records of workers, who are temporarily not available for work and whose absence has been approved by the Board, and where circumstances require removing from any registers or records the name of any registered worker, either at this request or in accordance with the provisions of this Scheme;

(*c*) the employment and control of registered workers who are available for work when they are not otherwise employed in accoradance with this Scheme ;

(*d*) the grouping or re-grouping of registered workers in suitable pools, in accordance with the instructions received for the Board in such groups as may be determined by the Board ;

(*e*) the allotment of registered workers in the pool who are available for work to registered employers and for this purpose, the Secretary shall—

(*i*) make the fullest possible use of registered workers in the pool ;

(*ii*) keep the record of attendance at call stands or control points of registered workers;

(*iii*) provide for the maintenance of records of employment and earnings of registered workers ;

(*iv*) make or cause to be made the necessary entries in the attendance cards and the wage slips of the workers in the reserve pool as laid down in clause 23 ;

(*f*) (*i*) the collection of levy or any other contribution from the employers under the Scheme ;

(*ii*) the collection from registered workers of contribution to the Provident Fund, Insurance Fund or any other fund which may be constituted under the Scheme;

(*iii*) the payment to each daily worker of all earnings lawfully due to him fro m the registered employer and the payment to such worker of all monies payable by the Board in accordance with the provisions of this Scheme ;

(*g*) appointing subject to budget provisions such officers and servants from time to time as may be authorised by the Board or the Chairman to appoint ;

(*h*) the keeping of proper account of the cost of operating this Scheme and of all receipt and expenses under it and making and submitting to the Board an a Annual Report and Audited Balance-Sheet and Profit and Loss Accounts Statements;

(*i*) framing budget annually for submission to the Board on or before the 15th day of February each year ;

(*j*) maintaining complete service records of all registered workers and record sheet s of all registered employers ;

(*k*) authorising the employment of unregistered workers in case registered workers are not available for work in the pool or in such other circumstances as the chairman may approve ; and

(*l*) such other functions as may, from time to time, subject to the provision of this Scheme be assigned to him by the Board or the Chairman.

10. *Functions of Personnel Officer.*—The Personnel Officer shall assist the Secretary in the discharge of his duties and shall, in particular, carry out the functions assigned to him

(2) *Monthly Register.*—There shall be a register of wokers who are engaged by the Board wherein the names and addresses of workers registered under this Scheme shall be entered. It shall be duly maintained.

(3) *Monthly Register.*—There shall be a register of workers who are engaged by each employer on contract on monthly basis and who are known as monthly workers.

(4) *Pool Register.*—There shall be a register of workers other than those on the monthly register known as pool workers. This register shall include a sub-pool of workers who are not attached to any gang to fill casual vacancies in ganges. The workers included in such a sub-pool shall be known as leave reserve wc rkers.

12. *Classification of Workers.*—The Board shall arrange for the classification of workers in suitable categories as may be determined, by it, from time to time.

13. *Fixation of Number of Workers on the Registers.*—The Board shall determine, before the commencement of registration in any category, the number of workers required in that category in consultation with the employers.

14. *Registration of Employer.*—Every employer of Khokha making establishment and Timber Markets or Shops engaged in selling, purchasing or trading of timber and wooden boxes (Khokhas) and engaged in processing timber of preparing Khokhas in the areas to which the Scheme applies shall get registered with the Board by applying in Form "A" appended to the within 15 days from the date of coming into force of this clause. provided that an employer of any establishment coming into existence after the commencement of the Scheme shall apply for a registration simultaneously on the commencement of this business.

15. *Registration of Existing and New Workers.*—(1) Any worker who on the date of enforcement of this Scheme is already working in the employment in the area to which the Scheme applies shall be registered under this Scheme.

(2) The qualifications for new registration shall be such as may be specified by the Board having regard to local conditions, physical fitness, capacity and/or experience. Citizens of India only shall be eligible for registration.

(3) Registration of workers in any new category shall be from among workers who have been or were working in the said employment on any such date as the Board may specify in this behalf provided that, the worker is medically fit and is not more than 60 years of age.

(4) Notwithstanding any provisions of this Scheme, where the Board is of opinion that a worker has secured his registration by furnishing false information in his application or by withholding any information required therein or where it appears that a worker has been registered improperly or incorrectly, the Board may direct the removal of his name from the registers:

Provided that, before giving any such direction, the Board shall give such worker opportunity of showing cause, why the proposed direction should not be issued.

16. *Promotion and Transfer of Workers.*- (1) A vacancy (other than a casual vacancy) in any category of workers in a pool register shall ordinarily be filled by promotion of a worker from the next lower category within the same

Explanation.—The criteria for promotion shall ordinarily be,—

(*a*) seniority ;

(*b*) merit and fitness for the category to which promotion is to be made ;

(*c*) record of past service.

Note.—A transfer from the pool register to the monthly register in the same category or or *vice-versa* shall not be deemed a promotion.

(3) The Chairman or the Secretary may for sufficient and valid reasons allow the transfer of a monthly worker to the pool on a request in writing of the employer or the worker explaining fully the reasons for the transfer ; provided that, such transfer shall be subject to the fulfilment of any contract subsisting between the monthly worker and his employer regarding termination of employment. No transfer shall take place with out the prior approval of the Chairman or the Secretary.

(4) If the services of a monthly worker are terminated by the employer for an act of indiscipline or misconduct, he may apply to the Board for employment in the pool. The Secretary on behalf of the Board shall then decide on the merits of the case whether or not the worker should be employed by the Board ; and if so, whether if the same or in a lower category.

(5) If a monthly worker is transferred to, or employed in, the pool under sub-clause (3) or sub-clause (4), as the case may be, his previous service shall be reakoned for all benefits in the pool, and the employer shall transfer to the Board all benefits that have accrued to the worker in respect of his previous service as if such service has not been transferred. The employer shall contribute to the Board such amount of the provident fund of the worker, if any, standing to his credit in the Provident Fund of which he is a member and such amount towards his leave and gratuity as may have been due to him under any contract subsisting between the worker and his employer or under any law, award or agreement applicable to such worker, as if his services had been terminated by the employer.

17. *Medical examination.*—(1) If the Board considers it necessary tso to do, it may require a new worker before registration to undergo, free of charge, a medical examination for physical fitness by a Medical Officer nominated by the Chairman for this purpose. A worker found medically unfit by a Medical Officer may apply in writing to the Chairman, and simultaneously deposit with him such fees as may be specified in this behalf for examination by a Medical Board. On receipt of such a request the Chairman shall set up a Medical Board. The decision of the Medical Board shall be final, and a worker who is medically unfit shall not be entitled to registration.

(2) If the Chairman deems it necessary so to do he may require a worker undergo free of charge a medical examination by a Medical Board to be constructed by the Chairman, The decision of the Medical Board shall be final and a workers it found permanently unfit by a Medical Board, the Chairman shall terminate his services forthwith.

18. *Registration fee.*— (*i*) A registration fee of rupee one shall be paid to the Board by each worker at the time of registration under this scheme.

(*ii*) A registration fee of rupees twenty-five shall be paid by each employer at the time of registration under this scheme.

19. *Supply of cards.*—(1) Every registered worker shall be supplied with (*i*) an indentify card ; (*ii*) an attendance card ; (*iii*) wage slips in the form, devised by the Board.

20. *Service records for registered workers.*—A service record for every monthly and d worker shall be maintained in a form to be specified by the Board which shall contain, am other things a complete record of disciplinary actions taken against the worker, promoti commendations for good work, etc. and such other matters as the Board may thinks fit. S details in respect of monthly workers shall be supplied to the Board by the registered employ

21. *Record sheets for registered employers.*—The Personnel Officer shall meaintain a rec sheet in respect of each registered employer in a form to be devised by the Board which s contain among other things, a complete record of disciplinary actions taken against registered employer.

22. *Surrendered of cards.*—A worker's card shall be surrendered to the Board in following circumstances, namely :—

(*a*) when proceeding on leave for seven days of more ;

(*b*) when retiring from serivce ;

(*c*) when dismissed or discharged from service ;

(*d*) when tempprarily suspended ; or

(*e*) on death :

Provided that, the employes of a monthly worker shall alsosurrender the card of worker to the Board in the case (*a*), (*b*), (*c*), (*d*) and (*e*) above.

23. *Entries in attendance card and wage slip.*—(1) A Registered worker in the pool s hand over to the Board at the time he is allotted for work to a registered employer his at dance card. The Board shall make necessary entries in the attendance card in respect o period of work done by the worker and return it to him on completion of his engagem For each day of work, the Board shall supply as soon as possible, a wage slip showing wages earned by a worker.

(2) A monthly worker shall hand over to his employer at the time when he is allotte work, attendance card. The employer shall make ncecessary entries in the card in res of the period of work done by the worker, and return it to him on the completion o allotted work. For each day of work, the employer shall supply as soon as possible a slip showing wages earned by a worker.

24. *Employment of workers.*—(1) A monthly worker of particular category allotte a registered employer or a group of employers shall be entitled to be employed for work in category by that employer or group of employers in preference to any worker of the s category in the pool.

(2) If the number of workers on the monthly register in a particular category is not suffi for the work available, the workers on the pool register in that category shall be employed

(3) A monthly worker of one employer or a group of employers shall not be emp by another employer or group of employers, except with the previous approval of the C man or Secretary.

25. *Filling up of casual vacancies.*—Casual vacancies of monthly worker shall be fille in the following manner :—

When a Head *Mukadam* or *Mukadam* is absent, the vacancy shall be filled by a s person of the same gang in the employment of an employer.

26. *Disappointment money.*—When a worker in the pool presents himself for work

. *Holidays.*—Each worker shall be entitled in a year to four holidays with pay at such s as may be specified by the Board under clause 33. Out of the four holiday, three holidays be on (*i*) 26th January (Republic Day), (*ii*) 1st May (Maharashtra Day), and (*iii*) 15th ust (Independence Day). The fourth holiday shall be decided by the Board.

. *Committees.*—(1) The Board may appoint one or more Committees to whom it entrust such of its functions as it may deem necessary to facilitate compliance with the visions of this scheme, and may abolish or reconstitute them as it may deem necessary. ons who are not members of the Board may, if necessary, be nominated as co-opted bers of the Committee. Such co-opted members, however, shall not have any right ote.

. *Obligations of registred workers.*—(1) Every registered worker shall be deemed to accepted the obligations of this scheme.

) A registered worker in the pool who is available for work shall be deemed to be in the loyment of the Board.

) A registered worker in the pool who is available for work shall not engaged himself employment under registered employer, unless he is allotted to that employer by the retary.

) A registered worker in the pool who is available for work shall carry out directions he Board and shall—

(*a*) report at such call stands or control points, and at such times as may be specified the Board, and shall remain at such call stands or control points ;

(*b*) accept any employment under a registered employer whether in the category in which has been registered or any other category for which he is considered suitable by the oard.

) A registered worker who is available for work when allotted by the Board for employ- t under a registered employer shall carry out his duties in accordance with the direction uch registered employer or his authorised representative or supervisor, and the rules of employment or place where he is working.

. *Obligations of registered employers.*—(1) Every registered employer shall accept obligations of the scheme.

) Subject to the provisions of clause 24, a registered employer shall not employ a worker r than a worker who has been allotted to him by the Secretary in accordance with the visions of clause 9(*e*).

) A registered employer shall, in accordance with instructions as may be given by the rd, submit all available information of his current and future labour requirements.

) A registered employer shall lodge with the Board, unlessotherwise directed, ; particulars he workload handled by workers no piece rate and such other statistical data as may required in respect of the registered workers engaged by him.

) A registered employer shall pay to the Board, in such manner and at such times as Board may direct, the levy payable under clause 42(1) and the gross wages due to daily kers and any other amount due to daily workers.

) A registered employer shall keep such records as the Board may require, and shall duce before the Board or such person as may be designated by the Board upon reasonable

31. *Restriction on employment.*—(1) No employer (other than a registered employ in any area to which this scheme applies) shall engage for employment a worker unless th worker is a registered worker.

(2) Notwithstanding the preceding provisions of the clause—

(*a*) where the Secretary is satisfied that—

(*i*) the work is emergently required to be done ; and

(*ii*) it is not reasonably practicable to obtain registered worker for that work, Secretary may, subject to any limitation imposed by the Board, allow a registe employer to employ a worker who is not a registered worker. In selecting such work the local Employment Exchange Organisation shall as far as possible, be consulted

Provided that, whenever unregistered workers have to be employed, the Secret shall obtain, if possible the prior approval of the Chairman to the employment of s workers, and where this is not possible, shall report to the Chairman within 24 ho the full circumstances under which such workers were employed and the Chairman sh duly inform the Board of such employment at its next meeting ;

(*b*) the Board may, subject to tsuch conditions as it may specify, permit employm of unregistered workers on a holiday, if work is required to be done on that day, to extent registered workers are not available for work ;

(*c*) in the cases referred to in items (*a*) and (*b*), the person so employed as afores by a registered employer shall, for the purposes of clauses 30(4), (5) and (6) and clause be treated in respect of that work, as if he were a daily worker.

(3) A registered worker in the pool may, provided he fulfils fully his obligations un clause 29, take up employment elsewhere on those days on which he is not allotted for w by the Board.

32. *Circumstances in which this scheme ceases to apply.* (1) This scheme shall ceas apply to a registered worker when his name has been removed from the register on record accordance with the provisions of the scheme.

(2) This scheme shall cease to apply to a registered employer when his name has b removed from the employers' register in accordance with the provisions of this scheme.

(3) Nothing in this clause shall affect any obligation incurred or right accrued during time when a person was a registered worker or a registered employer.

33. *Wages, allowances and other conditions of service of workers.* Without prejudi the provisions of any a ard it shall be, unless otherwise specifically provided for in scheme, an implied condition of the contract between a registered worker (whether in pool or on the monthly register) and registered employer that the rates, allowances and c time hours of work, rest intervals, leave with wages and other conditions of service sha such as may be fixed by the Board for each category of workers.

34. *Disbursement of wages and other allowances to registered workers.*—The Board permit the registered employers to pay wages and other allowances to the registered mon workers employed by them directly after making such deductions as may be authorised recoverable from them under this Scheme. In respect of workers other than monthly wor employed by the registered employees from time to time, the wages and other allowa payable by the registered employers shall be remitted by the registered employers by ch to the Secretary of the Board every fortnight. The Secretary thereupon shall arran disburse the wages and other dues, if any, to the registered workers on a specified day e

(*ii*) where in his opinion, a higher penalty is merited, the Personnel Officer shall report the case to the Chairman who may then cause such further investigation to be made as he may deem fit, and take any of the following steps as regards that employer, that is to say he may—

(*a*) censure him and record the censure in his record sheet ; or

(*b*) subject to the approval of the Board and after one month's notice in writing given to the registered employer, remove his name from the employers' register for such period as determined by the Board or permanently.

(2) A registered worker in the pool who fails to comply with any of the provisions of the scheme or commits any act of indiscipline or misconduct may be reported in writing to the Personnel Officer who may after investigating the matter give him a warning in writing.

(3) Where in the opinion of the Personnel Officer, a higher punishment than that provided in sub-clause (2) is merited, he shall report the case to the Chairman.

(4) On receipt of the written report from the Personnel Officer under sub-clause (3) or from employers or any other person that a registered worker in the pool has failed to comply with any of the provisions of this scheme or has committed an act of indiscipline or misconduct or has consistently failed to produce the standard or *datum* output or has been inefficient in any other manner, the Chairman may make or cause to be made such further investigation as he may deem fit and thereafter take any of the following steps, as regards the worker concerned, that is to say, he may impose any of the following penalties :—

(*a*) give him a warning in writing ;

(*b*) terminate his services after, giving one month's notice or one month's wages inclusive of dearness allowance in lieu thereof ; or

(*c*) dismiss him.

(5) Before any action is taken under this clause the person concerned shall be given an opportunity to show cause why the proposed action should not be taken against him.

(6) Without prejudice to the powers of the Chairman under clause 36 a registered employer shall have full powers to take disciplinary action against monthly workers employed under him.

36. *Special disciplinary powers of the Chairman.*—(1) Notwithstanding anything contained in the scheme if the Chairman is satisfied after enquiry that a " go slow " has been resorted to by any gang of registered workers or any individual worker and is being continued or repeated by the same gang or worker or different gangs or workers on the same or different places of work he may make a declaration in writing to that effect.

(2) When a declaration under sub-clause (1) has been made it shall be lawful for the Chairman—

(*i*) in case of monthly workers, to take, without prejudice to the rights of the registered employers such disciplinary action including removal against such workers as he may consider appropriate ; and

(*ii*) in case of registered workers in the pool to take such disciplinary action including dismissal against such workers as he may consider appropriate.

(3) The Chairman may take disciplinary action—

(*i*) where " go slow " is resorted to by a gang against all the members of that gang, and

(*ii*) [illegible] resorted to by a worker against the worker concerned.

Provided that the Chairman may, before giving an opportunity to show cause under this sub-clause, suspend from work any worker or gang of workers immediately after a declaration has been made under sub-clause (1).

(5) A declaration by the Chairman that a " go slow " has been resorted to by a worker or a gang of workers shall be final, and shall not be liable to be questioned on any ground whatsoever.

37. *Termination of employment.*—(1) The employment of a registered worker in the pool shall not be terminated except in accordance with the provisions of this scheme.

(2) A registered worker in the pool shall not leave his employment with the Board except by giving fourteen days' notice in writing to the Board of forfeiting fourteen days' wages inclusive of dearness allowance in lieu thereof.

(3) When the employment of a registered worker with the Board, has been terminated under sub-clause (1) and (2) his name shall forthwith be removed from the register or record by the Board.

36. *Appeals by workers.*—(1) Save as otherwise provided in this clause, a worker in the pool who is aggrieved by an order passed by an authority under clause 35, may prefer an appeal against the order of the Personnel Officer to the Chairman and against the order of the Chairman to the State Government.

(2) A worker who is aggrieved by an order of the Secretary—

(*i*) placing him in a particular group in the register or record ; or

(*ii*) refusing registration under clause 15 ; or

(*iii*) requiring him under clause 29(4) (*b*) to undertake any work which is not of the same category to which he belongs ;

may prefer an appeal to the Chairman.

(3) Any worker who is aggrieved by an order under clause 16(4) may prefer an appeal to the Chairman.

(4) No appeal shall lie where due notice has been given of the removal of the name of a registered worker from the register or record in accordance with the instructions of the Board if the ground of removal is that the registered worker falls within a class of description of workers whose names are to be remvoved from the register of record in order to reduce the size thereof :

Provided that, an appeal shall lie to the Chairman where the registered worker alleges that he does not belong to the class or description of workers referred to in the instruction of the Board.

(5) Every appeal referred to in sub-clause (1), (2), (3) or (4) shall be in writing and be preferred within fourteen days of the date of receipt of the order appealed against :

Provided that, the appeallate authority may for reason to be recorded admit an appeal preferred after the expiry of fourteen days.

39. *Appeals by employers.*—(1) A registered employer who is aggrieved by an order of the Personnel Officer order clause 35(1) (*ii*) any appeal to the Chairman ;

(*ii*) In the case of an appeal against an order under clause 35 (1) (*ii*) (*b*) the Chairman shall forthwith refer the matter to the State Government. The State Government shall make such order on the appeal as it thinks fit.

40. *Powers of Revision of Chairman.*—Notwithstanding anything contained in the Scheme the Chairman in case of an order passed by Personnel Officer under clause 35 may at any time call for the record of any proceeding in which the Personnel Officer has passed the order for the purpose or satisfying himself as to the legality or propriety thereof and may pass such order in relation thereto as he may think fit :

Provided that, the Chairman shall not pass any order under this clause which may prejudicially affect the interests of any person without giving such person reasonable opportunity of being heard.

41. *Stay of order in case of certain appeals.*—Where an appeal is made by a worker in accordance with the provisions of clause 38 against an order of termination or service on one month's notice or where an appeal is preferred by an employer in accordance with the provisions under clause 39 against an order removing his name from the employers register under clause 35 (1) (*ii*) (*b*) the appellate authority may suspend the operation of the order appealed from pending the hearing and disposal of the appeal.

42. *Cost of operating the scheme.*—(1) The cost of operating this scheme shall be defrayed by payments made by the registered employers, to the Board. Every registered employer shall pay to the Board such amount by way of levy in respect of registered workers allotted to and engaged by him as the Board may, from time to time specify by written order to the registered employers and in such manner and at such time as the Board may direct.

(2) In determining what payments are to be made by the registered employers under sub-clause (1) the Board may fix different rate of levy for different categories of work of workers provided that, the levy shall be so fixed that the same rate of levy will apply to all registered employers who are in like circumstances.

(3) The Board shall not sanction any levy exceeding fifty per cent of the estimated total wages bill calculated on the basis of the daily time rate wage without the prior approval of the State Government.

(4) A registered employer shall on demand make a payment to the Board by way of deposit or provide such other security for the due payment of the amount referred to in sub-clause (1) as the Board may consider necessary.

(5) The Secretary shall furnish from time to time,, to the Board such statistics and other information as may reasonably be required in connection with the operation and financing of the scheme.

(6) If a registered employer fails to make the payment due from him under sub-clause (1) within the time specified by the Board, the Secretary shall serve a notice on the employer to the effect that, unless he pays his dues within three days from the date of receipt of the notice the supply of registered workers to him shall be suspended. On the expiry of the notice period the Secretary shall suspend the supply of registered workers to a defaulting employer until he pays his dues.

43. *Provident Fund and Gratuity.*—(1) The Board in respect of the workers in the pool and the registered employers, in respect of their monthly workers, shall frame and operate rules providing for Contributory Provident Fund. The rules shall provide for the Rate of contribution from the workers and the employers, the manner and method of payment and such other matters as may be considered necessary :

Provided that, the rules applicable to monthly workers shall not be less favourable than those relating to workers in the pool.

(2) The Board shall frame rules for payment of gratuity to registered workers.

(3) The rules for Provident Fund and Gratuity framed by the Board shall be subject to the previous approval of the State Government.

44. *Penalties.*—Whoever contravenes the provisions of clause 14, 30 and 31 shall on conviction be punishable with a fine which may extend to Rupees five hundred.

FORM "A"

(C lause 14)

THE KHOKA MAKING ESTABLISHMENT AND TIMBER MARKETS AND SHOPS LABOUR BOARD FOR GREATER BOMBAY

Application for the registration of Employer

Registration No.

(to be filled in by office).

1. Name and address of the Establishment and Tel. No.....

2. Whether a firm or a company .....

Names of the proprietor. .....

(1) .....

(2) .....

(1) .....

(2) .....

3. Are uou a member of any Association ? If so, state the..... name of the Association.

4. Whether your Estts. is registered under the Bombay Shops..... and Estts. Act, 1948, if so, state the Registration No.

1. The places of work with location in details where the load-..... ing, unloading, stacking, carrying, etc. of goods is carried on in connection with Trade/Business of your Estts.

6. Are you employing workers through contractors ? If so,..... state the name of the contractors.

7. Are you employing workers through Tolli ? If so, state..... the name of the Mukadam/s of the Tolli/s, or of all workers.

Date.....

Signature of the Applicants.

Place .....

onsumer Price Index Number for Working Class for February 1973

IBAY*

-A rise of 3 points

February 1973, The Consumer Price Index Number for Working Class Series) for the Bombay Centre with base : January to December 1960 to 100 was 208 being 3 points higher than that in the preceding month. ndex relates to the standard of life ascertained during the year 1958-59 y living survey at the Bombay Centre.

e index number for the food group increased by 4 points to 227 due to e in the average price of arhardal, moongdal, coconut oil, groundnut anaspati (loose), goat meat, pamfret, bombil, sugar, bhajia, jelebi, cold , and a rise in the sub-group of vegetable and fruits.

e index number for the pan, supari, tobacco etc., group increased by nts to 225 due to a rise in the average prices of panleaf, katha and chewing cco.

e index number for the fuel and light-group, the clothing, bedding and ear group, the miscellaneous group, and housing remained stationary 3, 196, 173 and 118 respectively.

NSUMER 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	
		January 1973	February 1973
Food	57·1	223	227
Pan, Supari, Tobacco, etc.	4·9	223	225
Fuel and Light	5·0	208	208
Housing	4·6	118	118
Clothing, Bedding and Footwear ..	9·4	196	196
Miscellaneous	19·0	173	173
Total ..	100·0		
Consumer Price Index Number ..	....	*205*	*208*

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CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBERS (NEW SERIES) FOR WORKING C
FOR BOMBAY CENTRE—contd.

Articles	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index n
			Year ended December 1960	Jan. 1973	Feb. 1973	Jan. 1973
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
I.A. Food—			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.	
(a) *Cereals and Cereal Products*—						
(1) Rice ..	kg. ..	59·23	0·70	1·36	1·29	194
(2) Wheat ..	" ..	25·05	0·41	0·90	0·90	220
(3) Jowar ..	" ..	9·42	0·53	*	*	..
(4) Bajra ..	" ..	3·22	0·55	1·39	1·47	253
(5) Bread ..	125 kg	0·92	0·12	0·27	0·33	225
(6) Grinding charges ..	3 kg. ..	2·16	0·09	0·20	0·21	222
Total ..		100·00				
Sub-group Index I-A (a) ..						209
(b) *Pulses and pulse products*—						
(1) Arhar Dal ..	kg. ..	63·78	0·78	2·33	2·41	299
(2) Gram Dal ..	" ..	12·99	0·60	1·95	1·95	325
(3) Moong Dal ..	" ..	12·21	0·90	3·27	3·31	363
(4) Masur Dal ..	" ..	7·87	0·78	2·13	2·02	273
(5) Urid Dal ..	" ..	3·15	0·88	3·32	3·26	377
Total ..		100·00				
Sub-group Index I-A (b) ..						310
(c) *Oils and Fats*—						
(1) Coconut Oil ..	500 ml.	9·55	1·36	3·42	3·77	251
(2) Groundnut Oil ..	" ..	71·05	1·00	2·68	2·96	268
(3) Vanaspati (loose) ..	500 g. ..	19·40	1·75	3·70	3·73	211
Total ..		100 00				
Sub-group Index I-A (c) ..						255
(d) *Meat, Fish and Eggs*—						
(1) Goat's Meat ..	500 g. ..	52·54	1·48	3·49	3·71	236
(2) Fish fresh— ..						
(i) Bumblows ..	Dozen ..	38·41	0·44	1·03	...	220
(ii) Pamfret ..	Each ..	....	1·23	2·54	3·12	
(3) Fish dry Bombil ..	Dozen ..	3·97	0·25	0·61	0·62	244
(4) Eggs ..	" ..	5·08	1·93	4·20	4.16	218
Total ..		100·00				
Sub-group Index I-A (d)						229

*Since no quotations of jowar were available, its weight is imputed to Bajra which is an allied

As only 19% quotations of fish fresh buffelows were available during the month of Feb. 1973, full w
been imputed to fish fresh pamfret.

CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBERS (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	Jan. 1973	Feb. 1973	Feb. 1973	Feb. 1973
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
(e) Milk and Milk Products—							
(1) Milks—							
(i) Pure	L.	86·87	1·15	2·42	2·39	188	186
(ii) Aarey	"	....	1·03	1·70	1·70		
(2) Curd	kg.	1·31	1·57	3·49	3·46	222	220
(3) Ghee	"	11·82	7·50	15·19	15·42	203	206
Total		100·00					
Sub-group Index I-A (e)						*190*	*189*
(f) Condiments and Spices—							
(1) Salt	kg.	5·40	0·13	0·26	0·26	200	200
(2) Turmeric	500 g.	5·40	0·72	2·03	2·08	282	289
(3) Chillies (dry)	"	28·42	1·35	2·64	2·51	196	186
(4) Chillies (green)	"	6·83	0·41	0·96	1·01	234	246
(5) Onion	"	19·42	0·15	0·36	0·31	240	207
(6) Garlic	"	4·67	0·60	0·78	0·80	130	133
(7) Coconut	Each (500 g.	12·95	0·33	0·88	0·94	267	285
Other Spices—							
(8) Pepper	500 g.	16·91	3·69	4·70	4·67	289	289
(9) Jeera	"	....	1·80	3·42	3·43		
(10) Lavang	10 g.	....	0·31	1·70	1·70		
Total		100·00					
Sub-group Index I-A (f)						*234*	*228*
(g) Vegetables and Fruits—							
Potatoes	½kg.	21·31	0·25		0·49		196
Muli	Judi	2·11	0·06		0·24		400
Brinjals	½kg.	8·90	0·26		0·61		235
Cauliflower	"	4·68	0·35		0·64		183
Cabbage	"	6·56	0·26		0·48		295
Bhendi	"	4·68	0·42		1·24		
Tomatoes Ripe	"	10·54	0·38		0·78		207
Tomatoes raw	"	....	0·25		0·52		260
Pumkin red	Judi.	2·34	0·20		0·52		200
Palak	"	1·41	0·06		0·12		233
Methi	½kg.	3·28	0·06		0·14		242
Tondli	Judi	7·96	0·26		0·63		167
Alu-leaves	Doz.	5·15	0·06		0·10		244
Banana	"	15·22	0·48		1·17		165
Orange	"	3·75	2·10		3·47		262
Lemon		2·11	0·48		1·26		
Total		100·00					
Sub-group Index I-A (g)						*200*	*221*

CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBERS (NEW SERIES) FOR WORKING CLAS FOR BOMBAY CENTRE—contd.

Articles	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index numbe	
			Year ended Dec. 1960	Jan. 1973	Feb. 1973	Jan. 1973	Fe 19
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
(*h*) *Other Food*—							
(1) Sugar (Crystal) ..	500 g. ..	29·57	0·60	1·21	1·22	202	
(2) Tea Leaf ..	50 g. ..	12·52	0·39	0·62	0·62	159	
(3) Snacks (Bhajiya)..	Plate of 8 pieces	15·01	0·11	0·29	0·30	264	
(4) Snacks (Jalebi) ..	kg. ..	7·11	1·90	5·75	5·90	303	
(5) Tea Readymade ..	Cup ..	34·55	0·07	0·18	0·18	257	
(6) Cold Drink ..	Bottle of 340 ml.	1·24	0·12	0·52	0·53	433	
Total ..		100·00					
Sub-group Index I-A (h)..						*235*	
I-A. Food Group—							
(*a*) Cereals and cereal products.	....	35·29				209	
(*b*) Pulses and Pulse products.	....	4·79				310	
(*c*) Oils and Fats ..	....	5·78				255	
(*d*) Meat, Fish and Eggs	....	10·62				229	
(*e*) Milk and Milk Products.	....	9·53				190	
(*f*) Condiments and Spices.	....	6·76				234	
(*g*) Vegetables and Fruits	....	8·24				200	
(*h*) Other Food. ..	....	18·99				235	
Total ..		100·00					
Food-group Index I-A. ..						*223*	
I-B. Pan, Supari, Tobacco etc.							
(1) Pan (leaf) ..	100 leaves	18·55	0·52	1·79	1·83	344	
(2) Pan (finished) ..	Each	9·89	0·04	0·11	0·11	275	
(3) Supari ..	500 g.	19·44	3·42	4·98	4·97	146	
(4) Katha ..	"	3·53	4·76	12·73	12·88	267	
(5) Bidi ..	Katta of 25	28·80	0·16	0·30	0·30	188	
(6) Cigarette ..	Pkt. of 10	6·54	0·14	0·42	0·42	300	
(7) Chewing Tobacco ..	kg.	13·25	4.16	6·58	6·60	158	
Total ..		100·00					
Sub-group Index I-B ..						*225*	
II. Fuel and Lighting—							
(1) Firewood ..	40 kg.	11·51	3·39	7·19	7·19	212	
(2) Kerosene Oil ..	litre ..	42·64	0·28	0·61	0.61	218	
(3) Electricity charges	Unit ..	9·81	0·22	0·34	0·34	155	
(4) Charcoal ..	40 kg. ..	28·30	7·36	16·03	16·04	218	
(5) Match box ..	Each ..	7·74	0·05	0·09	0·09	180	

NSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBERS (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	Jan. 1973	Feb. 1973	Jan. 1973	Feb. 1973
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
Housing—							
Residential House ..		100·00				118	118
Total ..		100·00					
Group Index ..						*118*	*118*
Clothing, Bedding and Footwear :							
Dhoti Bleached ..	Pair ..	10·72	9·97	23·92	24·33	215	217
Dhoti unbleached ..	Pair ..	..	8·89	16·95	16·95		
Saree Inchalkaranji ..	Each ..	28·14	11·74	18·76	18·78	158	159
Saree Malegaon ..	Each ..	..	10·72	16·85	16·92		
Shirtings Sharrock ..	M. ..	24·87	1·68	3·49	3·46	210	210
Shirting Mafatlal ..	M. ..	..	1·65	3·51	3·52		
Long Cloth ..	M. ..	5·95	1·60	3·61	3·63	226	227
Trousers Cloth ..	M. ..	2·76	1·80	4·34	4·32	241	240
Mulmul ..	M. ..	8·54	2·23	4·60	4·73	233	237
Markin ..	M. ..	..	1·09	2·83	2·86		
Bush shirt ..	Each ..	3·94	4.20	7·49	7·55	178	180
Full Pant ..	Each ..	3·77	5·45	13·91	13·85	255	254
Vest ..	Each ..	2·18	1·18	2·64	2·67	224	226
Shoes-Gents ..	Pair ..	3·10	16·75	29·65	29·65	177	177
Chappal—ladies ..	Pair ..	6·03	6·57	9·40	9·40	143	143
Total ..		100·00					
Index Number for Group IV. ..						*196*	*196*
Miscellaneous—							
Medical Care—							
(1) Doctor Fees	Per visit	19·78	2·58	4·46	4·46	173	173
(2) Medicine ..	4 Doses	32·46	0·76	1·00	1·00	132	132
(3) E.S.I. Premium ..	..	47·76	0·69	0·70	0·70	101	101
Total ..		100·00					
Sub-group, *Index-V(a)*						*125*	*125*
Education, recreation and amusement—							
(1) School Fee ..	Per Student	22·54	6·75	6·78	6·78	100	100
(2) School Book ..	Each ..	7·64	2·47	3·00	3·00	121	121
(3) Stationery—							
(*i*) Ex. Book ..	Each ..	4·73	0.12	0.20	0·20	188	188
(*ii*) Pencil ..	..	..	0.12	0.25	0·25		
(4) News paper ..	Per copy ..	7·64	0·07	0·17	0·17	243	243
(5) Cinema ..	Adult ..	57·45	0·48	1·35	1·35	281	281
Total ..		100·00					

CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBERS (NEW SERIES) FOR WORKING CLASS FOR BOMBAY CENTRE—concld.

Articles	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Year ended Dec. 1960	Jan. 1973	Feb. 1973	Jan 1973	Feb. 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	2·35	2·35	146	146
(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					
Sub-group Index V(c) ..						*147*	*147*
(d) Personal Care and Effect—							
(1) Hair Oil ..	Bottle .. (114 ml.)	26·92	1·36	2·82	2·83	207	208
(2) Barber Charges ..	Per head	44·23	0·94	1·76	1·76	187	187
(3) Toilet Soap ..	Cake ..	14·91	0.44	0·74	0·74	168	168
(4) Tooth Powder ..	Small Bottle No. 3.	7·21	0·50	0·76	0·77	152	154
(5) Blade ..	Pkt. of 5 ..	0·96	0·27	0·43	0·42	159	156
(6) Umbrella ..	Each ..	5·77	5·55	13·06	13·19	235	238
Total ..		100·00					
Sub-group Index V(d) ..						*190*	*190*
(e) Others—							
(1) Durrie ..	Each ..	2·66	4·93	10·13	10·10	205	205
(2) Trunk ..	.. ..	2·66	5·82	15·76	15·76	271	271
(3) Utensils (Brass) ..	500 g. ..	7·99	2·84	10·77	10·75	379	379
(4) Bucket (Balti) ..	Each ..	2·16	2·96	6·88	6·90	232	233
(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	2·02	158	158
(7) Tailoring charges of Shirt.	Each ..	23·96	1·19	2·59	2·61	202	202
(8) Tailoring charges of Blouse.	..	..	0·89	1·65	1·65		
Total ..		100·00					
Sub-group Index V(e) ..						*206*	*206*
V. *Miscellaneous Group—*							
(a) Medical Care ..	....	28·27	..	..	..	125	125
(b) Education, Recreation and Amusement.	....	11·94	..	..	..	221	221
(c) Transport and Communication.	....	14·81	..	..	..	147	147
(d) Personal Care and Effect.	....	18·89	..	..	..	190	190
(e) Others ..	....	26·09	..	..	..	206	206
Total ..		100·00					

SHOLAPUR*

232—A rise of 3 points.

In February 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 232 being 3 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 Sholapur city.

The index number for the food group increased by 4 points to 261 due to a rise in the average prices of rice, jowar, arhardal, gramdal, groundnut oil, vanaspati, milk and a rise in the vegetables and fruit sub-group.

The index number for the pan, supari, tobacco etc. group increased by 3 points to 183 due to a rise in the average prices of cigarettes and chewing tobacco.

The index number for the clothing, bedding and footwear group increased by5 points to 208 due to a rise in the average prices of saree, long cloth, shirting and trouser cloth.

The index numbers for the fuel and light and the miscellaneous groups and housing remained steady at 182, 178 and 152 respectively.

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	
		Jan. 1973	Feb. 1973
I-A. Food	63·0	257	261
I-B. Pan, Supari, Tobacco, etc.	3·4	180	183
II. Fuel and Light	7·1	182	182
III. Housing	5·2	152	152
IV. Clothing, Bedding and Footwear ..	9·0	203	208
V. Miscellaneous	12·3	178	178
Total ..	100·0		
Consumer Price Index Number ..	....	*229*	*232*

*Details regarding scope and method of compilation of the index may be seen on pages 607 to 612 of December 1965 issue of *Labour Gazette*. For *Errata see* page 897 of January 1966 issue.

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

Articles	Unit of Quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity		
			Year ended Dec. 1960	Jan. 1973	Feb. 1973
1	2	3	4	5	6
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.
I-A. Food—					
(a) *Cereals and Products*—					
(1) Rice	kg. ..	26·98	0·55	1·26	1·28
(2) Wheat	,, ..	13·53	0·41	0·90	0·90
(3) Jowar	,, ..	56·97	0·46	1·46	1·49
(4) Grinding Charges ..	3 kg. ..	2·52	0·05	0·15	0·15
Total ..		100·00			
Sub-group Index I-A (a) ..					
(b) *Pulses and Products*—					
(1) Arhar dal ..	kg. ..	76·17	0·75	2·42	2·44
(2) Gram dal ..	,, ..	18·22	0·56	1·89	1·91
(3) Masur dal ..	,, ..	5·61	0·73	2·25	2·00
Total ..		100·00			
Sub-group Index I-A (b) ..					
(c) *Oils and Fats*—					
(1) Groundnut oil ..	kg. ..	98·91	1·94	5·75	6·60
(2) Vanspati (loose) ..	500 g. ..	1·09	1·86	4·00	4·29
Total ..		100·00			
Sub-group Index I-A (c) ..					
(d) Meat, Fish and Eggs—					
(1) Goat meat ..	kg. ..	72·32	2·45	5·00	5·00
(2) Beef ..	,, ..	23·69	0·66	1·00	1·00
(3) Fish (fresh) Rahu ..	,, ..	1·50	1·46	3·50	3·50
(4) Fish (dry) Zinga ..	,, ..	2·49	2·14	4·00	4·00
Total ..		100·00			
Sub-group Index I-A (d) ..					
(e) *Milk and Milk Products*—					
(1) Milk ..	1 ..	89·79	0·67	1·64	1·74
(2) Ghee ..	kg. ..	10·21	6·19	14·00	14·00
Total ..		100·00			
Sub-group Index I-A(e)					

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	Jan. 1973	Feb. 1973	Jan. 1973	Feb. 1973
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
(f) *Condiments and Spices*—							
(1) Salt ..	kg. ..	4·71	0·09	0·20	0·20	222	222
(2) Turmeric ..	.. ..	3·40	1·11	2·80	3·06	252	276
(3) Chillies (green) ..	300 g. ..	4·98	0·23	0·35	0·30	152	130
(4) Chillies (dry) ..	.. ..	59·43	0·65	1·52	1·33	234	205
(5) Tamarind ..	kg.	7·59	1·20	2·50	2·50	208	208
(6) Onions ..	.. ..	10·73	0·23	0·55	0·40	239	174
(7) Garlic ..	300 g. ..	7·85	0·24	0·37	0·37	154	154
(8) Coconut ..	Each ..	1·31	0·27	0·73	0·73	270	270
Total ..		100·00					
Sub-group Index I-A (f) ..						*223*	*198*
(g) *Vegetables and Fruits*—							
(1) Potatoes ..	kg. ..	12·93	0·46		1·00		217
(2) Brinjals ..	300 g.	15·95	0·11		0·39		355
(3) Tomato ..	.. ..	14·22	0·25		0·38		152
(4) Methi ..	200 g. ..	6·47	0·12		0·18		150
(5) Dodka ..	300 g. ..	11·64	0·13		0 37		285
(6) Ambadi ..	200. g. ..	27.15	0.09		0·18		200
(7) Banana ..	Doz. ..	11·64	0·51		1.00		196
Total ..		100·00					
Index Number Sub-group I (g) :—						*203*	*226*
(h) *Other Food*—							
(1) Sugar (Crystal) ..	kg. ..	47·53	1·16	2·30	2·15	198	185
(2) Gur ..	.. ..	7·97	0·64	1·89	1·91	295	298
(3) Tea (leaf) ..	Pkt. of 50 g.	21·56	0·39	0·58	0·58	149	149
(4) Tea (readymade) ..	Cup ..	20·74	0·07	0·15	0·15	214	214
(5) Snack Saltish (Bhajia)	kg. ..	1·10	1·60	5·00	5·75	312	359
(6) Snack Sweet (Jalebi)	.. ..	1·10	2·17	5·00	5·00	230	230
Total ..		100·00					
Sub-group Index I-A (h) ..						*200*	*195*

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	Jan. 1973	Feb. 1973	Jan. 1973	Feb. 1973
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
I-A Food							
(a) Cereals and Products		48·79				280	285
(b) Pulses and Products.		7·28				325	325
(c) Oils and fats ..		4·99				296	339
(d) Meat, Fish and Eggs.		6·79				192	192
(e) Milk and Products..		7·37				243	256
(f) Condiments and Spices.		8·25				223	198
(g) Vegetables and Fruits.		4·29				203	226
(k) Other Food ..		12·24				200	195
Total ..		100·00					
Group Index I-A ..						*257*	*261*
I-B. Pan, Supari, Tobacco etc.—							
(1) Pan (leaf) ..	100 leaves..	10·22	0·19	0·60	0·60	316	316
(2) Pan finished ..	Each ..	6·07	0·04	0·08	0·08	200	200
(3) Supari ..	300 g. ..	19·49	1·77	1·77	1·61	100	91
(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	0·49	0·60	327	490
(7) Chewing tobacco ..	50 g. .	17·89	0·21	0·36	0·37	171	176
Total ..		100·00					
Group Index I-B ..						*180*	*183*
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	1·44	1·44	169	169
(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	0·33	0·33	220	220
Total ..		100·00					
Group Index II ..						*182*	*182*
III. Housing—							
(1) House rent ..	P.M. ..	100·00				152	152
Total ..		100·00					
Group Index III ..							

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	Jan. 1973	Feb. 1973	Jan. 1973	Feb. 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	19·44	19·44(i)	175	175
(ii) Vishnu Mills ..	,,	..	10·47	17·68	17·68(ii)		
Saree ..	Each ..	29·79	10·05	19·00	21·00	189	209
Shirt ..	,, ..	2·92	3·41	5·24	5·24	154	154
Long cloth ..	M ..	7·48	1·39	2·92	3·04	210	219
Shirting—							
(i) Ahmedabad Mills ..	,, ..	25·70	1·61	2·92	2·81	191	191
(ii) Century Mills ..	,, ..	..	1·49	2·98	3·09		
Markin ..	,, ..	17·41	1·28	3·51	3·43	274	268
Trousers cloth .	,, ..	2·57	1·47	3·31	3·50	225	238
Chappal (Lady's) .	Pair ..	4·67	6·40	9·40	9·40	147	147
Shoes (Gent's) ..	,, ..	0·93	15·98	28·55	28·55	179	179
Total ..		100·00					
Group Index IV ..						*203*	*208*
V. Miscellaneous							
(a) *Medical Care*—							
(1) Doctor's fee ..	Per Visit	29·23	4·33	5·00	5·00	115	115
(2) Medicine ..	Phial of 3 doses	70·77	0·71	0·92	0·92	130	130
Total ..		100·00					
Sub-group Index V (a) ..						*125*	*125*
(b) *Education, Recreation and Amusement*—							
(1) School fee ..	Per Student.	33·15	6·00	5·70	5·70	95	95
(2) School Book ..	Each ..	22·65	2·50	2·96	2·96	118	118
(3) Stationery—							
(i) Exercise Book ..	" ..	5·53	0·12	0·20	0·20	146	146
(ii) Pencil ..	" ..	..	0·12	0·15	0·15		
(4) Cinema ..	Per Adult	38·67	0·31	0·95	0·95	306	306
Total ..		100·00					
Sub-group Index V (b)						*185*	*185*

(i) Quotation for January 1973.
(ii) Quotation for January 1973

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	Jan. 1973	Feb. 1973	Jan. 1973	Feb. 1973
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
(c) Transport and Communication—							
(1) Railway fare (from Sholapur to Poona).	Per Passenger	67·41	5·22	7·20	7·20	138	138
(2) Bus fare	Per Adult	32·59	0·15	0·25	0·25	167	167
Total ..		100·00					
Sub-group Index V(c) ..						*147*	*147*
(d) Personal care and Effects—							
(1) Hair Oil ..	Bottle of 250 g.	39·28	2·00	5·62	5·62	281	281
(2) Barber charges ..	Per adult	49·11	0·62	1·30	1·30	210	210
(3) Toilet Soap ..	Each ..	8·93	0·44	0·75	0·75	170	170
(4) Ornaments (glass) ..	per dozen	2·68	0·75	0·75	0·75	100	100
Total ..		100·00					
Sub-group Index V(d)						*231*	*231*
(e) Others—							
(1) Utensils (Copper)	500 g. ..	6·07	3·25	20·00	20·00	615	615
(2) Laundry Charges	Per Piece.	9·64	0·11	0·22	0·22	200	200
(3) Washing Soap ..	Bar of 12 Pieces.	44·64	1·31	2·10	2·10	160	160
(4) Tailoring Charges—							
(*i*) Shirt ..	Each ..	36·43	0·80	1·44	1·44	170	170
(*ii*) Blouse ..	" ..	..	0·70	1·12	1·12		
(5) Durrie ..	" ..	3·22	3·80	9·52	9·52	251	251
Total ..		100·00					
Sub-group Index V(e)						*198*	*198*
V. Miscellaneous Group—							
(*a*) Medical care ..		25·86				125	125
(*b*) Education, Recreation and Amusement		15·92				185	185
(*c*) Transport and Communication.		12·49				147	147
(*d*) Personal care and Effects.		21·02				231	231
(*e*) Others ..		24·71				198	198
Total ..		100·00					
Group Index V ..						*178*	*178*

NAGPUR*

206—A rise of 2 points.

In February 1973, the Consumer Price Index Number for working class (New Series) for the Nagpur Centre with base : January to December 1960 equal to 100 was 206 being 2 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 3 points to 226 due to a rise in the average prices of arhardal, gramdal, moongdal, gingelli oil, groundnut oil, vanaspati, linseed oil, fish (fresh), gur, bhaji jalebi and the sub-group index number for vegetables and fruits.

The index number for the clothing, bedding and footwear group increased by 1 point to 222 due to a rise in the average prices of dhoti, shirting, trouser cloth, long cloth and markin.

The index number for the miscellaneous group increased by 4 points to 164 due to a rise in the average prices of barber charges and face powder.

The index numbers for the pan, supari, tobacco, etc., and the fuel and light groups and housing remained stationary at 179, 186 and 138 respectively.

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	
		January 1973	February 1973
I-A. Food	57·2	223	226
I-B. Pan, Supari, Tobacco, etc.	3·8	179	179
II. Fuel and Light	5·7	186	186
III. Housing	6·6	138	138
IV. Clothing, Bedding and Footwear ..	10 9	221	222
V. Miscellaneous	15·8	160	164
Total ..	100·0		
Consumer Price Index Number ..		204	206

* Detail... of the index may be seen on

CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBER (NEW SERIES) FOR WORKING CL
FOR NAGPUR CENTRE

Articles	Unit of Quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Numb	
			Basic Price	January 1973	February 1973	January 1973	Fe
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
I-A. Food—							
(a) *Cereals and Cereal Products*—							
(1) Rice ..	Kg. ..	53·60	0·64	1·28	1·29	200	
(2) Wheat (O·S.) ..	.. ..	35·69	0·41	0·91	0·90	222	
(3) Jowar ..	.. ..	8·72	0·41	1·10(i)	1·10(i)	268	
(4) Grinding charges ..	3 Kg. ..	1·99	0·08	0·18	0·16	225	
Total ..		100·00					
Sub-group I-A (a) Index ..						*214*	
(b) *Pulses and Pulse Products*—							
(1) Arhar dal ..	Kg. ..	68·17	0·71	2·24	2·29	315	
(2) Gram dal ..	.. ..	28·12	0·52	1·75	1·80	337	
(3) Moong dal ..	.. ..	3·71	0·55	2·47	2·52	449	
Total ..		100·00					
Sub-group I-A (b) Index ..						*326*	
(c) *Oils and Fats*—							
(1) Gingelli Oil ..	Kg. ..	4·84	2·75	6·94	7·08	252	
(2) Groundnut Oil ..	.. ..	7·91	1·92	5·65	6·42	294	
(3) Vanaspati (loose) ..	500 g. ..	9·67	1·79	3·40	3·44	190	
(4) Linseed Oil ..	Kg. ..	77·58	1·54	4·20	4·46	273	
Total ..		100·00					
Sub-group I-A (c) Index ..						*265*	
(d) *Meat, Fish and Eggs*—							
(1) Goat-meat ..	Kg. ..	90·16	2·68	6·50	6·50	243	
(2) Fish (fresh)—							
(i) Rahu ..	.. ..	5·32	3·22	5·50	5·88	186	
(ii) Mangur ..	.. ..	....	3·22	6·50	6·88		
(3) Eggs	Dozen ..	4·52	2·06	4·25	4·25	206	
Total ..		100·00					
Sub-group I-A (d) Index ..							

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	January 1973	February 1973	January 1973	February 1973
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
(f) *Condiments and Spices*—							
(1) Salt	Kg. ..	5·59	0·13	0·25	0·25	192	192
(2) Turmeric	.. ..	7·69	1·63	4·88	4·88	299	299
(3) Chillies (Dry)	.. ..	49·65	2·88	4·06	4·00	141	139
(4) Onion	.. ..	18·65	0·27	0·72	0·67	267	248
(5) Garlic	.. ..	6·53	1·06	1·25	1·25	118	118
(6) Corriander	.. ..	2·33	1·16	2·50	2·50	216	216
(7) Ginger	.. ..	3·50	2·96	6·88	6·88	232	232
(8) Zeera	.. ..	6·06	3·49	6·25	6·25	179	179
Total ..		100·00					
Sub-group I-A (f) Index ..						*185*	*182*
(g) *Vegetables and Fruits*—							
(1) Potatoes	Kg. ..	41·04	0·39		0.65		167
(2) Brinjals	.. ..	25·65	0·41		0.52		127
(3) Cauli flower ..	½ Kg. ..	2·47	0·33		0.42		127
(4) Cabbages ..	Kg. ..	0·49	0·38		0.58		153
(5) Tomatoes	.. ..	12·33	0·45		0.41		91
(5) Gourd	.. ..	1·97	0·29		0·64		221
(6) Gawarphali ..	.. ..	N.A.	N.A.		NA		NA
(7) Peas	.. ..	0·49	0·40		0·90		225
(8) Palak	.. ..	4.71	0·31		0·50		161
(9) Methi sag ..	.. ..	1·89	0·33		0·75		227
(10) Banana	Doz. ..	5.19	0·39		0·60		154
(11) Orange	..	3·77	1·36		2·00		147
Total ..		100·00					
Sub-group I.A (g) Index ..							*147*
(h) *Other Food*—							
(1) Sugar	Kg. ..	44·71	1·22	2·15	2·15	176	176
(2) Gur	.. ..	2·40	0·72	2·24	2·25	311	312
(3) Tea leaf ..	Pkt. of 25g.	13·26	0·19	0·28	0·28	147	147
(4) Bhajia	Kg. ..	8·46	2·14	4·50	4·88	210	228
(5) Jalebi	.. ..	1·97	1·61	5·00	5·50	311	342
(6) Tea (readymade) ..	Cup ..	29·20	0·06	0·25	0·25	417	417
Total ..		100·00					
Sub-group I-A(h) Index ..						*251*	*254*
I-A. Food—							
(a) Cereals and Cereal Products.		49·53				214	214
(b) Pulses and Pulse Products.		8·83				326	334
(c) Oils and Fats ..		6·05				265	282
(d) Meat, Fish and Eggs		5·00				238	239
(e) Milk and Milk Products.		7·51				201	201
(f) Condiments and Spices.		6·95				185	182
(g) Vegetables and Fruits		6·67				130	147
(h) Other Food		9·46				251	254

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

Articles	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total Expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index
			Basic Price	Jan. 1973	Feb. 1973	Jan. 1973
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
			Rs. P.	Rs. P	Rs. P.	
I-B. Pan, Supari, Tobacco, etc.—						
(1) Pan-leaf ..	100 leaves.	14·85	0·29	0·60	0·60	207
(2) Pan (ready made) ..	Each ..	13·61	0·03	0·07	0·07	233
(3) Supari ..	Kg.	26·60	6·71	10·00	9·25	149
(4) Katha ..	.. ..	5·36	8·57	12·00	12·00	140
(5) Bidi ..	Katta of 25	21·44	0·16	0·25	0·25	156
(6) Cigarettes ..	Pkt. of 10	8·04	0·15	0·45	0·50	30
(7) Chewing and leafy tobacco.	Kg. ..	10·10	5·00	6·00	6·00	120
Total ..		100·00				
Group I-B. Index ..						*175*
II. Fuel and Light—						
(1) Fire-wood ..	40 kg.	69·55	2·38	4·31	4·31	181
(2) Coke ..	.. ..	5·90	2·88	7·75	7·75	269
(3) Kerosene Oil ..	Litre ..	14·13	0·34	0·69	0·69	203
(4) Electricity Charges ..	Unit ..	2·74	0·29	0·36	0·36	124
(5) Coal ..	40 kg. ..	2·61	6·38	12·00	12·75	188
(6) Match box ..	Each (50 sticks)	5·07	0·05	0·07	0·07	140
Total ..		100·00				
Group II Index for Fuel and Light.						*186*
III. Housing—						
Residential House ..		100·00				
Total ..		100·00				138
Group III Index for Housing.						
						138
IV. Clothing, Bedding and Footwear—						
(1) Dhoti—						
(i) Empress Mills ..	Pair ..	9·87	12·10	26·23	26·26	220
(ii) Model Mills ..	.. ..		10·68	23·94	24·03	
(2) Saree ..	Each ..	36·48	8·09	13·31	13·31	165
(3) Shirting—						
(i) Empress Mills ..	M. ..	18·35	1·21	2·70	2·77	259
(ii) Model Mills ..	.. ..		1·05	3·10	3·11	
(4) Trouser's Cloth ..	.. ..	3·34	1·43	3·80	3·81	266
(5) Long cloth ..	.. ..	3·06	1·14	3·51	3·56	308
(6) Markin—						
(i) Empress Mills ..	.. ..	13·06	1·04	4·08	4·08	338
(ii) Model Mills ..	.. ..		1·09	3·10	3·14	
(7) Pyjama ..	Each ..	1·60	4·25	6·75	6·75	159
(8) Ganji ..	.. ..	1·25	1·23	1·75	1·75	142
(9) Shirt ..	.. ..	1·60	3·75	6·50	6·50	173
(10) Bed Sheet ..	Pair ..	2·01	8·50	18·28(i)	18·28(i)	215
(11) Shoes (Gents) ..	.. ..	4·17	16·00	28·55	28·55	178
(12) Chappals (Ladies) ..	.. ..	1·04	6·40	8·58	8·58	134
(13) Chappal (Gents) ..	.. ..	4·17	4·96	10·45		211

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	Jan. 1973	Feb. 1973	Jan. 1973	Feb. 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	0·70	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	2·55	2·55	186	186
(2) Barber charges ..	Per Adult ..	38·30	0·50	1·00	1·25	200	250
(3) Toilet soap ..	Per Cake ..	15·80	0·46	0·76	0·75	165	163
(4) Tooth Powder (Medium size).	Bottle ..	2·74	0·87	1·60	1·60	184	184
(5) Ornaments (glass) ..	Dozen ..	4·25	0·75	0·81	0·81	108	108
(6) Watch	Each ..	12·16	65·00	90·00	90·00	138	138
(7) Face powder (small)	Tin ..	2·74	1·00	2·70	2·75	270	275
Total ..		100·00					
Sub-group V (b) Index ..						*181*	*200*
(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	2·35	2·35	118	118
(3) Toy	,, ..	1·02	0·24	0·26	0·26	108	108
(4) Stationery (Ex.-book)	Each (40 pages).	1·79	0·12	0·20	0·20	167	167
(5) Cinema ..	Per Adult ..	56·01	0·42	0·88	0·88	210	210

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

Articles	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per Unit of Quantity			Index Numb	
			Basic price	Jan. 1973	Feb. 1973	Jan. 1973	Fe 19
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
(d) *Transport and Communication*—							
(1) Railway fare of 80km	Per Passenger ..	45·49	1·61	2·35	2·35	146	
(2) Bus fare ..	Per Adult ..	29·19	0·15	0·25	0·25	167	
(3) Post card ..	Each ..	3·86	0·05	0·10	0·10	200	
(4) Rickshaw charges ..	Per Adult ..	21·46	0·37	0·62	0·62	168	
Total ..		100·00					
Sub-group V (d) Index ..						*159*	
(e) *Others*—							
(1) Cot	Each ..	5·94	5·50	11·00	11·00	200	
(2) Trunk/Box ..	,, ..	2·05	5·01	8·50	8·50	170	
(3) Earthenware ..	,, ..	2·05	0·30	1·50	1·50	500	
(4) Utensil Aluminium	Kg. ..	4·79	8·50	15·00	15·00	176	
(5) Utensil Brass ..	,, ..	11·42	7·71	18·00	18·00	233	
(6) Laundry charges ..	Per piece ..	9·59	0·12	0·25	0·25	208	
(7) Washing Soap ..	Bar ..	33·11	1·30	2·14	2·14	165	
(8) Tailoring Charges { Shirt ..	Each ..	31·05	0·88	1·62	1·62	192	
{ Blouse	,, ..	..	0·75	1·50	1·50		
Total ..		100·00					
Sub-group V (e) Index ..						*195*	
Miscellaneous—							
(a) Medical care ..		28·00				116	
(b) Personal care and effects.		18·30				181	
(c) Education, Recreation and Amusements.		19·55				166	
(d) Transport and Com-		12·26					

AURANGABAD*

232—A fall of 3 points

In February, 1973, the Consumer Price Index Number for Working Class for the Aurangabad Centre with base year January to December 1961 equal to 100 was 232 being 3 points lower than that in the preceding month. The index relates to the standard of life ascertained during the year 1958-59 family Living Survey at Aurangabad Centre.

The index number for the food group decreased by 5 points to 263 due to the decreased in the average prices of jowar, grinding charges, gramdal, masurdal, chillies dry.

The index number for the clothing and footwear group increased by 3 points to 199 due to an increase in the prices of dhoti, saree, long cloth and coloured fabric.

The index numbers for the fuel and light, Housing and miscellaneous groups remained stationary at 168, 194 and 177 respectively.

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	
		Jan. 1973	Feb. 1973
I. Food	60·72	268	263
II. Fuel and Light	7·50	168	168
III. Housing	8·87	194	194
IV. Clothing and Footwear	9·29	196	199
V. Miscellaneous	13·62	177	177
Total ..	100·00		
Consumer Price Index Number ..	....	*235*	*232*

*Details regarding the scope and method of compilation of the index will be found on pages 1130 to 1134 of the March 1966 issue of *Labour Gazette*.

CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBER FOR WORKING CLASS FOR AURANGABAD CITY

Articles	Unit of quantit	Weigh proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Basic Price	Jan. 1973	Feb. 1973	Jan. 1973	Fe 197
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. ..	5·40	0·69	1·21	1·25	175	1
(2) Wheat ..	,, ..	10·12	0·42	0·88	0·88	210	2
(3) Jowar ..	,, ..	30·33	0·38	1·34	1·27	353	3
(4) Grinding charges for cereals.	,, ..	2·35	0·02	0·05	0·04	250	2
Total ..		48·20					
Index Number sub-group I(a)						298	2
(b) *Pulses and Pulse Products*—							
(1) Turdal, without husk.	Kg. ..	3·96	0·70	2·49	2·50	356	3
(2) Gramdal, Katori.	,, ..	2·05	0·60	1·77	1·71	295	2
(3) Moongdal, without husk.	,, ..	1·11	0·71	3·03	3·06	427	4
(4) Masurdal Thick grain.	,, ..	0·74	0·64	2·14	1·96	334	3
Total ..		7·86					
Index Number sub-group I(b)						348	3
(c) *Oils and Fats*—							
(1) Groundnut oil Whitish.	½ Ltr.	2·00*	1·07	....	....	....	....
(2) Karad Oil ..	,, ..	3·49	1·11	2·72	3·00	245	2
(3) Vanaspati Dalda.	½ Kg. (loose)	0·48	1·58	3·30	3·46	209	2
Total ..		5·97					
Index Number sub-group I(c)						242	2
(d) *Mutton, Fish and Eggs*—							
(1) Mutton, Goat meat ..	½ Kg.	4·70	1·26	2·50	2·50	198	1
(2) Fish (dry)—							
(a) Bombil ..	Kg. ..	0·24	2·90	5·00	6·33	192	2
(b) Zinga ..	,, ..	....	2·13	4·08	5·50		
(c) Nathmi ..	,, ..	....	1·93	4·08	5·25		
Total ..		4·94					
Index Number sub-group I(d).						198	2

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	Jan. 1972	Feb. 1973	Jan. 1972	Feb. 1973
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
(e) Milk and Milk Products—							
Milk—							
(Buffalo Milk) ..	200 ml. ..	6·65	0·16	0·30	0·30	188	188
Total ..		6·65					
Index Number sub-group I(e).						*188*	*188*
(f) Condiments and Spices—							
(1) Salt—							
White	Kg. ..	0·35	0·11	0·21	0·21	191	191
(2) Turmeric—							
White	250 gms. ..	0·31	0·34	0·80	0·80	235	235
(3) Chillies (dry)—							
Superior quality ..	½ Kg. ..	4·62	0·90	2·60	2·52	289	280
(4) Tamarind ..	,, ..	0·45	0·49	1·08	1·08	220	220
(5) Mixed spices—							
Bajwar	250 gms. ..	1·80	0·42	1·14	1·15	271	274
(6) Jira—							
Thick Blackish (gray).	,, ..	0·30	0·69	1·47	1·49	213	216
Total ..		7·83					
Index Number sub-group I(f).						*272*	*267*
(g) Vegetables and Vegetable Products—							
(1) Potatoes—							
Medium	½ Kg. ..	1·35	0·30	0·39	0·39	138	130
(2) Onions—							
Red	Kg. ..	1·06	0·25	0·45	0·37	180	148
(3) Brinjals—							
Medium ..	½ Kg. ..	0·48	0·24	0·36	0·46	150	192
(4) Tomatoes—							
(1) Red	,, ..	*0·64	0·28	0·48	0·52	169	204
(2) Green ..	,, ..		0·18	0·30	0·40		
(5) Garlic—							
Medium	50 gms. ..	0·68	0·06	0·05	0·05	83	83
Other Vegetables—							
Varieties available in the month of Dec. 1972—							
(*i*) Pankobi ..	½ Kg. ..	1·80	0·08	0·36	....		
(*ii*) Phulkobi ..	,, ..	....	0·25	0·40	....	180	
Varieties available in the month of Jan. 1972—							
(*i*) pumkin ..	,, ..		0·17	..	0·44		234
(*ii*) Pankobi ..	,, ..		0·21	..	0·44		
		6·01					

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	Jan. 1972	Feb. 1973	Jan. 1972	Feb. 1973
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
(h) Fruits and fruit Products—							
Banana—							
Medium ..	Doz. ..	1·14	0·32	0·88	0·88	275	275
Total ..		1·14					
Index Number sub-group I(h).						*275*	*275*
(I) Sugar, Honey and Related Product—							
(1) Sugar—							
Medium	Kg. ..	3·45	1·17	2·15	2·15	184	184
(2) Gur—							
Superior	.. ..	1·81	0·46	2·07	2·08	450	452
Total ..		5·26					
Index Number sub-group I(I)						*275*	*276*
(J) Beverages—							
(1) Tea leaf—							
Brooke Bond ..	50 gms. ..	1·86	0·41	0·57	0·57	139	139
(2) Prepared Tea—							
Chalu Chaha ..	Cup ..	4·28	0·08	0·18	0·18	225	225
Total ..		6·14					
Index Number sub-group I(J).						*199*	*199*
Food Group—							
(a) Cereals and cereal products.	....	48·20				298	284
(b) Pulses and pulse products.	....	7·86				348	344
(c) Oils and fats ..	....	5·97				242	266
(d) Mutton, fish and eggs.	....	4·94				198	201
(e) Milk and Milk products.	....	6·65				188	188
(f) Condiments and spices.	....	7·83				272	267
(g) Vegetables and vegetable products.	....	6·01				154	172
(h) Fruits and fruit products.	....	1·14				275	275
(I) Sugar, honey and related products.	....	5·26				275	276
(J) Beverages ..	....	6·14				199	199

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Articles	Unit of Quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Basic Price	Jan. 1973	Feb. 1973	Jan. 1973	Feb. 1973
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
II. Fuel and Light—							
(1) Firewood and chips- (*I*) Mixture ..	37 Kgs. ..	81·82	2·87	4·07	4·07	150	150
(*II*) Babhool ..	" ..	..	2·80	4·44	4·44		
(2) Kerosene Ordinary..	1 ..	12·44	0·22	0·65	0·65	295	295
(3) Match Box Wimco.. Horse Brand.	Box of 50 Sticks.	5·74	0·06	0·09	0·09	150	150
Total ..		100·00					
Index Number Group II						*168*	*168*
III. Housing—							
Rent— House rent for selected tenements.	P.M. ..	100·00	4.70			194	194
Total ..		100·00	(Jan. 71)				
Index Number Group III						*194*	*194*
IV. Clothing and Footwear							
(1) Dhoti 8·2 mts. length and 119 to 121 cms. width.	Per sq. metre.	6·04	1·07	2·15	2·07	201	203
(2) Saree 7·3 8·2 mts. lenght and 102 to 152 cms. width.	" ..	31·57	1·28	2·23	2·26	174	177
(3) Cloth for trousers 89 to 97 cms width.	" ..	2·51	2·36	4·82	4·64	204	197
(4) Long cloth 89 to 97 cms. width.	" ..	36·63	1·64	3·44	3·48	210	212
(5) Coloured fabric 67 to 69 cms. width.	" ..	18·17	1·86	3·92	4·02	211	216
Total ..		94·92					
Index Number sub-group IV (a).						*197*	*200*
(*b*) *Footwear*— Shoes—							
(*I*) Bata Co. ..	Per pair ..	5·08	15·08	28·55	28·55	175	175
(*II*) Flex Co. ..	"	..	19·22	30·75	30·75		
Total ..		5·08					

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Articles	Unit of Quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Basic Price	Jan. 1973	Feb. 1973	Jan, 1973	Feb 1973
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
IV. Clothing and Footwear—contd							
(a) Clothing ..	..	94·92	..	..	..	197	200
(b) Footwear ..	..	5·08	..	..	..	175	175
Total ..		100·00					
Index Number Group IV						*196*	*199*
V. Miscellaneous—							
(a) *Pan-supari*—							
(1) Pan leaf— Madras I ..	Bundle of 100 leaves.	3·84	0·50	0·98	0·98	196	196
(2) Pan Finished— With Masala ..	Bida ..	2·19	0·04	0·08	0·08	200	200
(3) Supari— Manglori ..	50 gms.	4·36	0·41	0·53	0·53	129	129
(4) Katha— Kanpur ..	" ..	1·78	0·72	1·25	1·25	174	174
Total ..		12·17					
Index Number Sub-group V (a)						*170*	*170*
(b) *Tobacco and Tobacco Products*—							
(1) Bidi— Totapuri ..	Bundle ..	15·38	0·15	0·28	0·28	187	187
(2) Jarda— Hazivazir ..	Packet of 25 gms.	3·18	0·19	0·20	0·20	105	105
Total ..		18·56					
Index Number Sub-group V (b).						*173*	*173*
(c) *Household Utilities*—							
Utensils Brass— Lota (Poona Market). ..	Each. ..	2·55	7·18	18·00	18·00	251	251
Total ..		2·55					

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Articles	Unit of Quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Basic Price	Jan. 1973	Feb. 1973	Jan. 1973	Feb. 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	0·14	0·14	117	117
(2) Mixture (Daily) ..	Per day.	7·61	0·68	1·00	1·00	147	147
Total ..		12·28					
Index Number Sub-group V (e).						*136*	*136*
(f) *Personal Care*—							
(1) Hair Oil, Tata Co.	Small bottle.	5·82	1·30	2·57	2.57	193	198
(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	156
(ii) Hamam ..	" ..	..	0·48	0·75	0·75		
(4) Blade Six morning	2 pkts. of 5 blades each.	0·33	0·57	0·89	0·89	156	156
Total ..		17·59					
Index Number Sub-group V(f).						*216*	*216*
(g) *Education and Reading*—							
(1) School fees for Std. IX.	Student .	1·90	3·01	5·54	5·54	184	184
(2) School Books, Prathamik Ganit. (Govt. Publication).	Copy	1·33	0·62	0·95	0·95	153	153
Total ..		3·23					

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Articles	Unit of Quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index
			Basic Price	Jan. 1973	Feb. 1973	Jan. 1973
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.	
(h) *Recreation and Amusement*—						
Cinema						
Lowest class .	Full ticket.	6·90	0·44	1·05	1·05	239
Total ..		6·90				
Index Number Sub-group V (h).						*239*
(i) *Transport and Communication*—						
(1) Rail—						
Fare for 50 km.. ..	Full ticket	6·19	1·04	1·45	1·45	139
(2) Bus—						
S. T. fare for 30 miles.	"	5·30	1·50	2·20	2·20	147
(3) Postage—						
(1) Post card ..	Per card	1·10	0·05	0·10	0·10	172
(2) Money Order	Rs. 30 ..	..	0·45	0·65	0·65	
Total ..		12·59				
Index Number Sub-group V (i).						*145*
V. Miscellaneous Group—						
(a) Pansupari ..	....	12·17	..			170
(b) Tobacco and Tobacco Products.	....	18·56	..			173
(c) Household utilities ..	....	2·55	..			251
(d) Washing Soap ..	....	14·13	..			159
(e) Medical care ..	....	12·28	..			136
(f) Personal care ..	....	17·59	..			216
(g) Education and Reading.	....	3·23	..			171
(h) Recreation and Amusement.	....	6·90	..			239
(i) Transport and Communication.	....	12·59	..			145
Total ..		100·00				
Index Number for Miscellaneous Group V.						

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n February 1973, the Consumer Price Index Number for working class the Nanded Centre with base year January to December 1961 equal to) was 240 being 4 points higher than that in the preceding month. The ex relates to the standard of life ascertained during the year 1958-59 family ng survey at the Nanded Centre.

The inde number for the food group increased by 6 points to 274 due to increase in the average prices of jowar, tardal, gramdal, groundnut oil, tton (beef) and the sub-group index for fish (dry) and (fresh).

The index number for the clothing and footwear group increased by 1 point 210 due to an increase in the average prices of dhoti, cloth for trousers and g cloth.

The index numbers for the fuel and light and the miscellaneous groups housing remained stationary at 177, 182 and 141 respectively.

CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBER FOR WORKING CLASS FOR NANDED CITY

(Average prices for the calendar year 1961=100)

Groups	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Group Index Number	
		January 1973	February 1973
I. Food	61·46	268	274
I. Fuel and Light	5·88	177	177
I. Housing	4·62	141	141
V. Clothing and Footwear	12·22	209	210
. Miscellaneous	15·82	182	182
Total ..	100·00		
Consumer Price Index Number ..		*236*	*240*

Details regarding the scope and method of compilation of the index will be found on s 1107 to 1112 of the March 1966 issue of *Labour Gazette*.

ote.—To obtain the equivalent old index number on base August 1943 to July 1944=100 ew index number on base 1961=100 should be multiplied by the linking factor *i.e.* 2·45

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Articles	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Basic Price	Jan. 1973	Feb. 1973	Jan. 1973	Feb. 1973
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
I. Food Group—							
(a) *Cereal and Cereals Product*—							
(1) Rice	Kg. ..	13·02	0·64	1·20	1·20	188	188
(2) Wheat	,, ..	6·81	0·42	0·88	0·88	210	210
(3) Jowar ..	,, ..	30·64	0·34	1·17	1·22	344	359
(4) Grinding charges ..	5 Kgs. ..	2·82	0·13	0·15	0·15	115	115
Total ..		53·29					
Index Number Sub-group I (a).						*277*	*285*
(b) *Pulses and Pulse Products*—							
(1) Turdal— (1) Gawran (medium)	Kg. ..	3·89	0·64	2·23	2·37	348	370
(2) Gramdal Punjab (medium).	,, ..	1·84	0·57	1·73	1·82	304	319
(3) Moongdal— Without husk ..	,, ..	1·55	0·66	2·98	2·98	452	452
(4) Uriddal without husk	,, ..	0·54	0·77	3·06	3·04	397	395
(5) Masurdal— (a) Big	,, ..	0·82	0·61	2·06	1·96	328	321
(b) Medium ..	,, ..	..	0·61	1·94	—		
Total ..		8·64					
Index Number Sub-group I (b).						*358*	*371*
(c) *Oils and Fats*—							
(1) Groundnut. Oil Meethatel (Redish in Colour).	Kg. ..	4·84	2·22	5·58	6·32	251	285
Total ..		4·84					
Index Number Sub-group I(c).						*251*	*285*

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

Articles	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Basic price	Jan. 1973	Feb. 1973	Jan. 1973	Feb. 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. ..	5·62	1·08	2·50	2·50	220	223
(ii) Beef ..	Kg. ..	..	0·96	2·00	2·06		
(2) Fish (dry)—							
(i) Bombil ..	Kg. ..	0·61	2·46	5·00	5·00		
(ii) Zinga ..	,, ..	..	2·02	4·50	4·50		
(3) Fish (fresh)—							
Varieties available in Jan. 1973—							
(i) Rahu ..	Kg. ..	..	1·86	2·50			
(ii) Katerna ..	,, ..	..	1·32	3·00		197	206
Varieties available in Feb. 1973—							
(i) Rahu ..	Kg. ..	..	1·48		2·50		
(ii) Katerna ..	,, ..	..	1·32		3·00		
Total ..		6·23					
Index Number Sub-group I(d).						*218*	*221*
(e) Milk and Milk Products—							
(1) Milk (Buffalo) ..	200 ml. ..	4·54	0·13	0·30	0·30	231	231
(2) Ghee (Buffalo) ..	½ Kg. ..	0·29	3·01	7·33	7·33	244	244
Total ..		4·83					
Index Number Sub-group I (e).						*232*	*232*
(f) Condiments and Spices—							
(1) Salt white ..	Kg. ..	0·28	0·12	0·20	0·20	168	168
(2) Turmeric Khandaki	50 gms. ..	0·24	0·06	0·17	0·17	283	283
(3) Chillies (dry)—							
(i) Gawarani (fine) ..	Kg. ..	4·22	1·30	4·33	4·33	329	329
(ii) Gawarani (med.)	,, ..	..	1·18	3·83	3·83		
(4) Tamarind, Kadiwali	200 gms. ..	0·77	0·25	0·43	0·43	172	172
(5) Mixed spices Bojwar	50 gms. ..	1·61	0·20	0·25	0·25	125	125
Total ..		7·12					
Index Number Sub-group I(f).						*258*	*258*

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Articles	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Basic Price	Jan. 1973	Feb. 1973	Jan. 1973	Feb. 1973
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
(g) Vegetable and Vegetable Products—							
(1) Potatoes—							
(i) Big size ..	½ Kg. ..	0·69	0·30	0·41	0·37	138	121
(ii) Small size ..	,, ..	..	0·26	0·36	0·31		
(2) Onions—							
(i) Red ..	Kg. ..	0·97	0·31	0·53	0·40	194	147
(ii) White ..	,, ..	..	0·31	0·67	0·51		
(3) Brinjals (Kali) ..	250 gms. ..	0·50	0·11	0·16	0·21	145	191
(4) Tomatoes—							
(i) Red ..	250 gms. ..	0·39	0·21	0·24	0·25	99	125
(ii) Green ..	,, ..	..	0·13	0·11	0·17		
(5) Garlic Gawathan ..	50 gms. ..	0·54	0·05	0·06	0·06	120	120
Other vegetables—							
Varieties available in the month of Jan. 1973—							
(i) Cauli Flower ..	250 gms. ..	1·20	0·08	0·28		475	....
(ii) Gawar Phalli ..	,, ..	..	0·04	0·34			
Varietie available in the month of Feb. 1973—							
(i) Cauli flower ..	250 gms. ..	..	0·08		0·40		417
(ii) Walki Phalli ..	,, ..	..	0·06		0·20		
Total ..		4·29					
Index Number Sub-group I(g).						*240*	*218*
(h) Fruits and Fruit Products—							
(1) Banana—							
(i) Big size ..	Dozen ..	0·87	0·35	1·00	1·00	278	278
(ii) Medium ..	,, ..	..	0·29	0·80	0·80		
(iii) Small ..	,, ..	..	0·22	0·60	0·60		
Total ..		0·87					
Index Number Sub-group I (h).						*278*	*278*
(i) Sugar, Honey and Related Products—							
(1) Sugar—							
(i) D grade ..	Kg. ..	3·57	1·17	2·15	2·15	184	184
(2) Gur—							
(i) Gawran 1st quality	200 gms. ..	0·70	0·10	0·38	0·38	380	380
(ii) Gawran 2nd quality							

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Articles	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Numbe	
			Basic price	Jan. 1973	Feb. 1973	Jan. 1973	Feb. 1973
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
) *Beverages*—							
1) Tea leaf—							
(*i*) Brooke Bond ..	Packet of 50 gms.	1·13	0·35	0·55	0·55	157	157
(*ii*) Lipton ..	..	..	0·35	0·55	0·55		
2) Hot drink—							
(*i*) Chalu Chaha ..	Per Cup ..	4·49	0·07	0·15	0·15	232	232
(*ii*) Canteen tea ..	.. ..	..	0·04	0·10	0·10		
Total ..		5·62					
dex Number Sub-roup I(j).						*217*	*217*
Food Group—							
a) Cereals and Cereal Products.		53·29	..			277	285
b) Pulses and Pulse Products.		8·64	..			358	371
c) Oils and Fats ..		4·84	..			251	285
d) Mutton, Fish and Eggs.		6·23	..			218	221
e) Milk and Milk Products.		4·83	..			232	232
f) Condiments and Spices.		7·12	..			258	258
g) Vegetable and Vegetable Products.		4·29	..			240	218
h) Fruits and Fruit Products.		0·87	..			278	278
i) Sugar, Honey and Related Products.		4·27	..			216	216
j) Beverages ..		5·62	..			217	217
Total ..		100·00					
dex Number for Food Group I.						*268*	*274*
. Fuel and Light—							
1) Firewood and Chips (*i*) Dhawda (old) ..	20 Kgs. ..	80·76	1·66	2·82	2·82	165	165
(*ii*) Gaheri ..	.. ..	..	1·57	2·50	2·50		
2) Kerosene— (*i*) Rock oil white in colour.	Per litre ..	13·99	0·26	0·69	0·69	265	265
3) Match Box— (*i*) Wimco, Horse Brand.	Per Box (50 sticks).	5·25	0·06	0·08	0·08	133	133

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Articles	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Nu
			Basic price	Jan. 1973	Feb. 1973	Jan. 1973
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.	
III. Housing Rent—						
(1) Rent of selected Tenements.	p.m. ..	100·00	·47	..	..	141
Total ..		100·00				
Index Number for Group III.						*141*
IV. Clothing and Footwear—						
(a) *Clothing*—						
(1) Dhoti ..	Per Sq. Metre.	11·53	1·08	2·15	2·34	199
(2) Saree ..	..	19·77	1·24	2·06	1·93	166
(3) Cloth for Trousers	..	1·58	2·74	5·14	5·27	188
(4) Long cloth	..	27·48	1·44	3·42	3·45	238
(5) Coloured fabrics..	..	31·21	1·81	4·05	4·05	224
Total ..		91·57				
Index Number for sub-group IV(a).						*212*
(b) *Footwear*—						
(1) Shoes—						
(i) Bata, Janata ..	Per Pair ..	4·89	15·02	28 55	28.55	173
(ii) Carona Master Junior.	.. ..	..	18 34	28 55	28.55	
(2) Chappals—						
(i) Bata All wear Rubber Sole.	Per Pair ..	3 54	4·45	10·45	10·45	
(ii) Panther Bata ..	.. ..	..	6·18	10·45	10·45	187
(iii) Carona Kolhapur	.. ..	..	8·35	14·65	14·65	
(iv) Carona Bahadur	.. ..	..	8·65	14·65	14·65	
Total ..		8·43				
Index Number for Sub-group IV(b).						*179*
IV. Clothing and Footwear—						
(a) Clothing ..		91·57				212
(b) Footwear ..		8·43				179

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Articles	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Basic Price	Jan. 1973	Feb. 1973	Jan. 1973	Feb. 1973
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	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	0·20	0·20	330	330
(ii) Local inferior ..	,, ..	....	0·04	0·15	0·15		
(2) Pan finished without masala.	Per Vida.	6·61	0·04	0·05	0·05	125	125
(3) Supari Manglori ..	50 gms.	4·22	0·41	0·44	0·44	107	107
Total ..		13·66					
Index Number for Sub-group V (a).						*162*	*162*
(b) *Tobacco and Tobacco Products*—							
(1) Bidi Kalilakali ..	Bundle of 25 Bidies.	9·00	0·13	0·21	0·21	162	162
(2) Cigarettes—							
(i) Golkonda ..	Packet of 10 Cigarettes.	6·34	0·10	0·32	0·32	322	322
(ii) Charminar ..	,, ..	..	0·13	0·42	0·42		
(3) Jarda Lal Dadhi Brand.	Packet of 25 grms.	1·63	0·14	0·25	0·25	179	179
Total ..		16·97					
Index Number for Sub-group V(b).						*223*	*223*
(c) *Household Utilities*—							
(1) Utensils Brass— Lota, Poona ..	Kg. ..	1·90	7·80	18·00	18·00	231	231
(2) Utensils Aluminium—Baghuna without chhap.	100 gms.	0·69	0·90	1·13	1·13	126	126
Total ..		2·59					
Index Number for Sub-group V (c).						*203*	*203*
(d) *Washing soap*—							
(1) Laundry ordinary washing and ironing.	Per shirt.	3·74	0·12	0·20	0·20	167	167
(2) Washing soap Shama Washing soap. ..	Per Cake.	6·52	0·25	0·25	0·25	100	100
Total ..		10·26					

CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBER FOR WORKING CLASS FOR NANDED CITY—

Articles	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index
			Basic Price	Jan. 1973	Feb. 1973	Jan. 1973
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.	
(e) *Medical Care*—						
(1) Patent Medicine—						
(i) Anacin ..	2 Tablets	9·36	0·13	0·13	0·13	
(ii) Aspro ..	" ..	....	0·10	0·15	0·15	128
(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
Total ..		14·83				
Index Number for Sub-group V (e).						*126*
(f) *Personal Care*—						
(1) Hair Oil—						
(i) Tata Co. Coconut Oil.	Small bottle.	4·20	1·34	2·55	2·55	190
(2) Barber charges—						
(i) Hair cut with shave ..	Adult ..	7·20	0·41	1·00	1·00	
(ii) Hair cut ..	" ..	....	0·31	0·75	0·75	257
(iii) Shave ..	" ..	....	0·14	0·40	0·40	
(3) Toilet soap—						
(i) Hamam ..	Cake ..	1·93	0·48	0·75	0·75	156
(ii) Lifebuoy ..	" ..	....	0·48	0·75	0·75	
(4) Blades—						
(i) Bharat ..	Packet of 10 blades.	0·07	0·47	0·90	0·90	188
(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*
(g) *Education and Reading*—						
(1) School fees for VIII Standard.	Per student	3·30	2·14	4·90	4·90	229
(2) School Books—						
(i) Marathi Vachan Mala.	Per copy	3·43	0·75	2·00	2·00	
(ii) Subodh Ganit ..	"	....	0·69	0·95	0·95	202
Total ..		6·73				
Index Number for Sub-group V (g).						*215*
(h) *Recreation and Amusement*—						
(1) Cinema—						
Lowest Class ..	Full ticket.	6·62	0·30	0·75	0·75	250

PRICE INDEX NUMBER FOR WORKING CLASS FOR NANDED CITY—concld.

	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quanitity			Index Number	
			Basic Price	Jan. 1973	Feb. 1973	Jan. 1973	Feb. 1973
	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Com-			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
II Class	Adult Ticket.	7·94	1·04	1·45	1·45	139	139
Rus fare	,,	3·14	1·00	1·55	1·55	155	155
..	Single	0·57	0·05	0·10	0·10	172	172
rges for		....	0·45	0·65	0·65		
re for	One Passenger.	3·29	0·22	0·50	0·50	227	227
otal ..		14·94					
r Sub-						*163*	*163*
..		13·66	..	..	..	162	162
Tabacco		16·97	..	..	..	223	223
tilities..		2·59	..	..	..	203	203
..		10·26	..	..	..	124	124
..		14·83	..	..	..	126	126
..		13·40	..	..	..	221	221
d Read-		6·73	..	..	..	215	215
and		6·62	..	..	..	250	250
d Com-		14·94	..	..	..	163	163
otal ..		100·00					
Group V						*182*	*182*

JALGAON CENTRE*

220—A rise of 3 points.

In February, 1973 the Consumer Price Index Number for working class for Jalgaon City with base calander year 1961 equal to 100 was 220 being 3 points higher than that in the preceding month. The index relates to the consumption of a pattern revealed during the year 1958-59 family living survey for Jalgaon City.

The index number for the food group increased by 5 points to 250 due to a rise of in the average price of turdal, gramdal, groundnut oil, vanaspati, fish, turmeric, dry chillies, garlic, other vegetables and banana.

The index number for the fuel and light group has remained stationary at 184.

The index number for housing remained stationary at 137.

The index number for the clothing and footwear group has remained stationary at 194.

The index number for the miscellaneous group increased by 2 points to 173 due to a rise in the average prices of pan leaf, cough syrup, hair oil and blades.

Final Index Number—220

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	
		January 1973	February 1973
I. Food	60·79	245	250
II. Fuel and Light	7·20	184	184
III. Housing	6·11	137	137
IV. Clothing and Footwear	10·29	194	194
V. Miscellaneous	15·61	171	173
Total ..	100·00		

CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBERS FOR WORKING CLASS FOR JALGAON CITY

Articles	Unit of Quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Basic Price	Jan. 1973	Feb. 1973	Jan. 1973	Feb. 1973
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
1. *Food Group*—							
(a) *Cereals and Cereal Products*—							
(1) Rice ..	kg. ..	6·72	0·63	1·28	1·28	203	203
(2) Wheat ..	" ..	10·89	0·46	0·88	0·88	191	191
(3) Jowar ..	" ..	21·16	0·35	1·14	1·12	326	320
(4) Grinding charges—For cereals ..	7 kgs.	1·94	0·12	0·35	0·35	292	292
Total ..		40·71					
Index Number for Sub-group I (a).						*268*	*265*
(b) *Pulses and Pulse Products*—							
(1) Turdal—							
(i) Jalna ..	kg. ..	3·79	0·73	2·27	2·40	311	329
(ii) Gawran (Bharwa)	" ..	..	0·66	....	....	..	..
(2) Gramdal ..	" ..	2·13	0·58	1·69	1·72	291	297
(3) Moongdal—							
(i) With husk ..	kg. ..	1·35	0·70	2·80	....	378	357
(ii) Without husk ..	" ..	..	0·83	2·96	2·96		
(4) Uriddal—							
(i) With husk ..	kg. ..	0·86	0·65	2·80	2·80	396	396
(ii) Without husk ..	" ..	..	0·83	3·00	3·00		
Total ..		8·13					
Index Number for Sub-group I (b).						*326*	*332*
(c) *Oils and Fats*—							
(1) Groundnut oil ..	kg. ..	7·21	2·28	5·60	6·28	246	275
(2) Vanaspati Dalda (loose) ..	½ kg. ..	1·16	1·99	3·28	3·34	165	168
Total ..		8·37					

CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBERS FOR WORKING CLASS FOR JALGAON CITY

Articles	Unit of Quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Basic Price	Jan. 1973	Feb. 1973	Jan. 1973	Feb. 1973
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
1. *Food Group*—							
(a) *Cereals and Cereal Products*—							
(1) Rice ..	kg. ..	6·72	0·63	1·28	1·28	203	203
(2) Wheat ..	" ..	10·89	0·46	0·88	0·88	191	191
(3) Jowar ..	" ..	21·16	0·35	1·14	1·12	326	320
(4) Grinding charges—For cereals ..	7 kgs.	1·94	0·12	0·35	0·35	292	292
Total ..		40·71					
Index Number for Sub-group 1 (a).						*268*	*265*
(b) *Pulses and Pulse Products*—							
(1) Turdal—							
(i) Jalna ..	kg. ..	3·79	0·73	2·27	2·40	311	329
(ii) Gawran (Bharwa)	" ..	..	0·66	....	....	..	..
(2) Gramdal ..	" ..	2·13	0·58	1·69	1·72	291	297
(3) Moongdal—							
(i) With husk ..	kg. ..	1·35	0·70	2·80	....	378	357
(ii) Without husk ..	" ..	..	0·83	2·96	2·96		
(4) Uriddal—							
(i) With husk ..	kg. ..	0·86	0·65	2·80	2·80	396	396
(ii) Without husk ..	" ..	..	0·83	3·00	3·00		
Total ..		8·13					
Index Number for Sub-group 1 (b).						*326*	*332*
(c) *Oils and Fats*—							
(1) Groundnut oil ..	kg. ..	7·21	2·28	5·60	6·28	246	275
(2) Vanaspati Dalda (loose) ..	½ kg. ..	1·16	1·99	3·28	3·34	165	168
Total ..		8·37					

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

Articles	Unit of Quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Basic Price	Jan. 1973	Feb. 1973	Jan. 1973	Feb. 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	2·75	2·75	190	190
(2) Fish (dry)—							
(i) Bombil big ..	kg. ..	0·91	2·72	6·50	7·00		
(ii) Zinga ..	,, ..	..	2·70	5·50	6·00		
(3) Fish fresh—							
Varieties selected for Jan. 1973—							
(i) Shingda ..	kg. ..	..	2·68	3·00			
(ii) Rahu ..	,, ..	..	2·45	4·00			
(iii) Balm ..	,, ..	..	1·56	3·00		182	208
Varieties selected for Feb. 1973—							
(i) Rahi ..	kg. ..	..	1·88		4·00		
(ii) Balm ..	,, ..	..	1·71		3·00		
(iii) Sandkhol ..	,, ..	..	1·76		3·00		
Total ..		5·29					
Index Number for Sub-group I (d).						*188*	*193*
(e) Milk and Milk products—							
(1) Milk (Buffalo) ..	l. ..	8·42	0·77	1·55	1·55	201	201
(2) Ghee (Buffalo) ..	½ kg. ..	1·31	3·71	7·50	7·50	202	202
Total ..		9·73					
Index Number for Sub-group I (e).						*201*	*201*
(f) Condiments and Spices—							
(1) Salt—							
(i) White ..	kg. ..	0·29	0·13	0·22	0·22		
(ii) Black ..	,, ..	..	0·12	0·22	0·22	176	176
(2) Turmeric—							
(i) Sangli (whole)	250 g.	0·30	0·34	0·75	0·77	221	226
(3) Chillies (dry)—							
(i) Asoda ..	kg. ..	4·56	1·65	4·81	4·92	292	298
(4) Coriander ..	250 g. ..	0·24	0·31	0·59	0·58	190	187
(5) Mixed spices—							
(i) Garam Masala (whole). ..	,, ..	1·86	4·95	11·22	11·22	161	161
(ii) Lahoti powder ..	200 gr. ..	..	1·79	1·72	1·72		
(6) Jira ..	250 gr. ..	0·37	0·68	1·52	1·52	224	224
Total ..		7·62					
Index Number for Sub-							

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

Articles	Unit of Quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Basic Price	Jan. 1973	Feb. 1973	Jan. 1973	Feb. 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	2·75	2·75	190	190
(2) Fish (dry)—							
(i) Bombil big ..	kg. ..	0·91	2·72	6·50	7·00		
(ii) Zinga ..	,, ..	..	2·70	5·50	6·00		
(3) Fish fresh—							
Varieties selected for Jan. 1973—							
(i) Shingda ..	kg. ..	..	2·68	3·00			
(ii) Rahu ..	,, ..	..	2·45	4·00			
(iii) Balm ..	,, ..	..	1·56	3·00		182	208
Varieties selected for Feb. 1973—							
(i) Rahi ..	kg. ..	..	1·88		4·00		
(ii) Balm ..	,, ..	..	1·71		3·00		
(iii) Sandkhol ..	,, ..	..	1·76		3·00		
Total ..		5·29					
Index Number for Sub-group I (d).						*188*	*193*
(e) Milk and Milk products—							
(1) Milk (Buffalo) ..	l. ..	8·42	0·77	1·55	1·55	201	201
(2) Ghee (Buffalo) ..	½ kg. ..	1·31	3·71	7·50	7·50	202	202
Total ..		9·73					
Index Number for Sub-group I (e).						*201*	*201*
(f) Condiments and Spices—							
(1) Salt—							
(i) White ..	kg. ..	0·29	0·13	0·22	0·22		
(ii) Black ..	,, ..	..	0·12	0·22	0·22	176	176
(2) Turmeric—							
(i) Sangli (whole)	250 g.	0·30	0·34	0·75	0·77	221	226
(3) Chillies (dry)—							
(i) Asoda ..	kg. ..	4·56	1·65	4·81	4·92	292	298
(4) Coriander ..	250 g. ..	0·24	0·31	0·59	0·58	190	187
(5) Mixed spices—							
(i) Garam Masala (whole). ..	,, ..	1·86	4·95	11·22	11·22	161	161
(ii) Lahoti powder ..	200 gr. ..	..	1·79	1·72	1·72		
(6) Jira ..	250 gr. ..	0·37	0·68	1·52	1·52	224	224
Total ..		7·62					
Index Number for Sub-							

SUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBERS FOR WORKING CLASS FOR JALGAON CITY—contd.

Articles	Unit of Quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Basic Price	Jan. 1973	Feb. 1973	Jan. 1973	Feb. 1973
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
table and Vege-roducts—							
atoes—							
ig	½kg. ..	1·15	0·28	0·36	0.33	125	117
Small ..	,, ..	..	0·24	0·29	0·28		
ions—							
ed	kg. ..	0·86	0·27	0·42	0·43	180	172
White ..	,, ..	..	0·27	0·55	0·50		
rlic	250 g. ..	0·54	0·20	0·50	0·55	250	2·75
er Vegetables ..							
selected for 73—							
njal ..	250 g. ..	2·92	0·11	0·11		172	
bbage ..	,, ..	..	0·06	0·15			
uliflower ..	,, ..	..	0·06	0·10			
selected for 973—							
mato Ripe ..	,, ..	..	0·04		0·17		285
bbage ..	,, ..	..	0·09		0·17		
njal ..	,, ..	..	0·05		0·12		
Total ..		5·47					
Number for Sub-(g).						*171*	*231*
s and Fruit pro-							
nana—							
ig	Dozen ..	1·61	0·29	0·74	0·75	258	260
Small ..	,, ..	..	0·23	0·60	0·60		
Total ..		1·61					
Number for Sub-l (h).						*258*	*260*
r, Honey and products—							
gar	kg. ..	5·60	1·23	2·35	2·35	191	191
r—							
Kopargaon 1st uality.	,, ..	1·63	0·57	2·07	2·00	363	351
Total ..		7·23					

SUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBERS FOR WORKING CLASS FOR JALGAON CITY—contd.

Articles	Unit of Quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Basic Price	Jan. 1973	Feb. 1973	Jan. 1973	Feb. 1973
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
table and Vege-roducts—							
atoes—							
ig	½kg. ..	1·15	0·28	0·36	0.33	125	117
mall ..	.. ..	..	0·24	0·29	0·28		
ions—							
ed	kg. ..	0·86	0·27	0·42	0·43	180	172
White ..	.. ..	..	0·27	0·55	0·50		
rlic	250 g. ..	0·54	0·20	0·50	0·55	250	2·75
er Vegetables ..							
selected for 73—							
njal ..	250 g. ..	2·92	0·11	0·11		172	
bbage ..	.. ..	..	0·06	0·15			
uliflower ..	.. ..	..	0·06	0·10			
selected for 973—							
mato Ripe ..	.. ..	..	0·04		0·17		285
bbage ..	.. ..	..	0·09		0·17		
njal ..	.. ..	..	0·05		0·12		
Total ..		5·47					
umber for Sub-(g).						*171*	*231*
s and Fruit pro-							
nana—							
ig	Dozen ..	1·61	0·29	0·74	0·75	258	260
mall ..	.. ..	..	0·23	0·60	0·60		
Total ..		1·61					
Number for Sub-l (h).						*258*	*260*
r, Honey and products—							
gar	kg. ..	5·60	1·23	2·35	2·35	191	191
r—							
Kopargaon 1st uality.	.. ..	1·63	0·57	2·07	2·00	363	351
Total ..		7·23					

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

Articles	Unit of Quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Basic Price	Jan. 1973	Fab. 1973	Jan. 1973	Fab. 1973
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
(J) Beverages—							
(1) Tea leaf—							
(*i*) Brooke Bond Putli Brand.	Pkt. of 50g.	2·11	0·40	0·60	0·60	148	14
(*ii*) Lipton Laojee Lable.	,, ..	..	0·41	0·60	0·60		
(2) Hot drink—							
Prepared tea ..	Cup of 3½ ozs.	3·73	0·12	0·25	0·25	208	20
Total ..		5·84					
Index Number for Sub-group I(J).						*187*	*18*
I. Food—							
(*a*) Cereals and Cereal Products.	....	40·71	..			268	26
(*b*) Pulses and Pulse Products.	....	8·13	..			326	33
(*c*) Oils and Fats ..	....	8·37	..			234	26
(*d*) Mutton, Fish and Eggs.	....	5·29	..			188	19
(*e*) Milk and Milk Products.	....	9·73	..			201	20
(*f*) Condiments and Spices.	....	7·62	..			246	25
(*g*) Vegetables and Vegetable Products.	....	5·47	..			171	23
(*h*) Fruits and Fruit Products.	....	1·61	..			258	26
(*I*) Sugar, Honey and related Products.	....	7·23	..			230	22
(*J*) Beverages ..	....	5·84	..			187	18
Total ..		100·00					
Index Number for food group.						*245*	*25*
II. Fuel and Light—							
(1) Firewood and chips—							
(*i*) Khair	37 kgs. ..	78·50	3·39	6·50	6·50		
(*ii*) Dhawda ..	,, ..	..	3·15	6·50	6·50	199	19
(*iii*) Adjator Mixed ..	,, ..	..	2·71	5·39	5·40		
(2) Kerosene—							
(*i*) Chakkar Brand ..	1 ..	11·40	0·45	0·65	0·65	144	14
(3) Electricity charge ..	Per unit ..	6·28	0·50	0·36	0·36	72	7
(4) Match Box—							
Horsehead brand Box of 50 sticks.	Box of 50 sticks,	3·82	0·06	0·10	0·10	167	16
Total ..		100·00					

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

Articles	Unit of Quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Basic Price	Jan. 1973	Feb. 1973	Jan. 1973	Feb. 1973
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
(J) Beverages—							
(1) Tea leaf—							
(*i*) Brooke Bond Putli Brand.	Pkt. of 50g.	2·11	0·40	0·60	0·60	148	14
(*ii*) Lipton Laojee Lable.	,, ..	..	0·41	0·60	0·60		
(2) Hot drink—							
Prepared tea ..	Cup of 3½ ozs.	3·73	0·12	0·25	0·25	208	20
Total ..		5·84					
Index Number for Sub-group I(J).						*187*	*18*
I. Food—							
(*a*) Cereals and Cereal Products.	....	40·71	..			268	26
(*b*) Pulses and Pulse Products.	....	8·13	..			326	33
(*c*) Oils and Fats ..	....	8·37	..			234	26
(*d*) Mutton, Fish and Eggs.	....	5·29	..			188	19
(*e*) Milk and Milk Products.	....	9·73	..			201	20
(*f*) Condiments and Spices.	....	7·62	..			246	25
(*g*) Vegetables and Vegetable Products.	....	5·47	..			171	23
(*h*) Fruits and Fruit Products.	....	1·61	..			258	26
(*i*) Sugar, Honey and related Products.	....	7·23	..			230	22
(*J*) Beverages ..	....	5·84	..			187	18
Total ..		100·00					
Index Number for food group.						*245*	*25*
II. Fuel and Light—							
(1) Firewood and chips—							
(*i*) Khair	37 kgs. ..	78·50	3·39	6·50	6·50		
(*ii*) Dhawda ..	,, ..	..	3·15	6·50	6·50	199	19
(*iii*) Adjator Mixed ..	,, ..	..	2·71	5·39	5·40		
(2) Kerosene—							
(*i*) Chakkar Brand ..	1 ..	11·40	0·45	0·65	0·65	144	14
(3) Electricity charge ..	Per unit ..	6·28	0·50	0·36	0·36	72	7
(4) Match Box—							
Horsehead brand Box of 50 sticks.	Box of 50 sticks,	3·82	0·06	0·10	0·10	167	16
Total ..		100·00					

CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBER FOR WORKING CLASS FOR JALGAON CITY—conta.

Articles	Unit of Quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Basic Price	Jan. 1973	Feb. 1973	Jan. 1973	Feb. 1973
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
III. Housing—							
(1) Rent—							
(i) Rent for selected tenements.	p.m. ..	100·00				137	137
Total ..		100·00					
Index Number for III Group.						*137*	*137*
IV. Clothing and Footwear—							
(a) *Clothing*—							
(1) Dhoti	per sq. mt.	17·82	1·23	2·44	2 44	198	198
(2) Saree	.. ..	27·15	1·24	1·87	1·87	151	151
(3) Cloth for trouser ..	.. ..	0·51	2·15	5·00	5·00	233	233
(4) Long cloth ..	.. ..	32·06	1·61	3·80	3·81	236	237
(5) Coloured poplin ..	.. ..	14·36	2·13	4·12	4·12	193	193
Total ..		91·90					
Index Number for Subgroup IV (a).						*197*	*197*
(b) *Footwear*—							
(1) Shoes—							
(i) Bata Co. ..	per pair ..	3·53	17·20	29·65	29·65	162	162
(ii) Carona Co. ..	.. ..	....	18·78	28·55	28·55		
(2) Chappals—							
(i) Bata Co. ..	.. ..	4·57	6·25	10·45	10·45	167	167
Total ..		8·10					
Index Number for Subgroup IV (b).						*165*	*165*
IV. Clothing and Footwear—							
(1) Clothing ..		91·90				197	197
(2) Foot wear ..		8·10				165	165
Total ..		100·00					
Index Number for Group IV.						*194*	*194*
V. Miscellaneous—							
(a) *Pan Supari*—							
(1) Pan leaf—							
(i) Akda pan ..	Bundle of 100	2·01	0·55	0·65	0·80	118	145
(2) Pan finished— With Masala ..	Vida ..	5·39	0·04	0·05	0·05	125	125
(3) Supari (Manglori) ..	250 g.	2·81	2·08	2·45	2·30	118	111
(4) Katha —							
(i) Kanpur ..	50 g. ..	0·85	0·73	1·18	1·18	177	177
(ii) Belgaum ..	.. ..	....	0·36	0·69	0·69		
Total ..		11·06					
Index Number for Group V.							

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

Articles	Unit of Quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Basic Price	Jan. 1973	Feb. 1973	Jan. 1973	Feb. 1973
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
III. Housing—							
(1) Rent—							
(i) Rent for selected tenements.	p.m. ..	100·00				137	137
Total ..		100·00					
Index Number for III Group.						*137*	*137*
IV. Clothing and Footwear—							
(a) *Clothing*—							
(1) Dhoti	per sq. mt.	17·82	1·23	2·44	2·44	198	198
(2) Saree	.. ..	27·15	1·24	1·87	1·87	151	151
(3) Cloth for trouser ..	.. ..	0·51	2·15	5·00	5·00	233	233
(4) Long cloth ..	.. ..	32·06	1·61	3·80	3·81	236	237
(5) Coloured poplin ..	.. ..	14·36	2·13	4·12	4·12	193	193
Total ..		91·90					
Index Number for Sub-group IV (a).						*197*	*197*
(b) *Footwear*—							
(1) Shoes—							
(i) Bata Co. ..	per pair ..	3·53	17·20 }	29·65 }	29·65 }	162	162
(ii) Carona Co. ..	,, ..	....	18·78 }	28·55 }	28·55 }		
(2) Chappals—							
(i) Bata Co. ..	,, ..	4·57	6·25	10·45	10·45	167	167
Total ..		8·10					
Index Number for Sub-group IV (b).						*165*	*165*
IV. Clothing and Footwear—							
(1) Clothing ..		91·90				197	197
(2) Foot wear ..		8·10				165	165
Total ..		100·00					
Index Number for Group IV.						*194*	*194*
V. Miscellaneous—							
(a) *Pan Supari*—							
(1) Pan leaf—							
(i) Akda pan ..	Bundle of 100	2·01	0·55	0·65	0·80	118	145
(2) Pan finished—							
With Masala ..	Vida ..	5·39	0·04	0·05	0·05	125	125
(3) Supari (Manglori) ..	250 g.	2·81	2·08	2·45	2·30	118	111
(4) Katha —							
(i) Kanpur ..	50 g. ..	0·85	0·73 }	1·18 }	1·18 }	177	177
(ii) Belgaum ..	,, ..	....	0·36 }	0·69 }	0·69 }		
Total ..		11·06					
Index ...							

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

Articles	Unit of Quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Basic price	Jan. 1973	Feb. 1973	Jan. 1973	Feb. 1973
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
(b) Tobacco and Tobacco Products—							
(1) Bidies—							
(i) Camel brand ..	Bundle of 25.	5·80	0·19	0·35	0·35		
(ii) Shiledar ..	.. ..	....	0·19	0·30	0·30	171	171
(2) Jarda—							
(i) Gangaram Brand.	Pkt. of 50g.	3·54	0·24	0·55	0·55		
(ii) Chandrakant brand	.. ..	....	0·23	0·55	0·55	234	234
Total ..		9·34					
Index Number for Sub-group V (b).						*195*	*195*
(c) Household utilities—							
(1) Utensils—							
(i) Lota (Poona) ..	½ kg ..	5·28	3·55	9·00	9·00		
(ii) Lota (Nasik) ..	.. ..	....	3·45	9·00	9·00	257	257
Total ..		5·28					
Index Number for Sub-group V (c).						*257*	*257*
(d) Washing Soap—							
(1) Laundry—							
(i) Ordinary washing and ironings 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	2·10		
(ii) B. Dhantak Co. ..	Cake ..	....	0·40	0·70	0·70	162	162
Total ..		9·98					
Index Number for Sub-group V (d).						*172*	*172*
(e) Medical Care—							
(1 Dr. Vaze's Cough syrup.	Small bottle.	3·80	1·50	1·65	2·00	110	133
(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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Articles	Unit of Quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Basic price	Jan. 1973	Feb. 1973	Jan. 1973	Feb. 1973
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
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(b) Tobacco and Tobacco Products—							
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(ii) Shiledar ..	.. ..	....	0·19	0·30	0·30	171	171
(2) Jarda—							
(i) Gangaram Brand.	Pkt. of 50g.	3·54	0·24	0·55	0·55		
(ii) Chandrakant brand	.. ..	....	0·23	0·55	0·55	234	234
Total ..		9·34					
Index Number for Sub-group V (b).						*195*	*195*
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(ii) Lota (Nasik) ..	.. ..	....	3·45	9·00	9·00	257	257
Total ..		5·28					
Index Number for Sub-group V (c).						*257*	*257*
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Total ..		15·78					
Index Number for Sub-							

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Articles	Unit of quantity	Weight Proportional to total Expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Basic price	Jan. 1973	Feb. 1973	Jan. 1973	Feb. 1973
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
(f) Personal care—							
(1) Hair oil—							
Tata Co. ..	Small bottle	4·89	1·32	2·70	2·71	205	205
(2) Barber charges—							
(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		
(3) Toilet Soap—							
(i) Life Buoy ..	Cake ..	3·02	0·48	0·75	0·75	155	155
(ii) Hamam cake ..	,, ..	..	0·49	0·75	0·75		
(4) Blades—							
(i) Bharat Blade ..	Pkt. of 10 blades.	0·11	0·44	0·80	0·82	179	181
(ii) Six Morning ..	2 Pkts. of 5 blades each	..	0·57	1·00	1·00		
Total ..		15·34					
Index Number or Subgroup V (f).						*200*	*201*
(g) Education and Reading.—							
(1) Books—							
(Bal Bharati Chauthe Pustak.)	Copy ..	5·42	0·75	2·00	2·00	267	267
(2) School fees—							
For VIII Std. ..	Per student p.m.	3·46	5·00	5·00	5·00	100	100
Total ..		8·88					
Index Number for Subgroup V (g).						*202*	*202*
(h) Recreation and Amusement—							
(1) Cinema (Lowest class)	Adult ..	6·69	0·32	0·78	0·78	244	244
Total ..		6·69					
Index Number for Subgroup V (h)						*244*	*244*
(i) Transport and Communication.—							
(1) Rail—							
Railway fare 50 km...	Per Passenger	12·48	0·98	1·45	1·45	148	148
(2) Bus fare—							
S.T. Bus 32 km (Full ticket)	,, ..	4·09	1·00	1·55	1·55	155	155
(3) Postage—							
(i) Single card ..	per card	1·08	0·05	0·10	0·10	172	172
(ii) M. O. charges. Rs. 30		..	0·45	0·65	0·65		
Total ..		17·65					
Index Number for Subgroup V (i).						*151*	*151*

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

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			Basic price	Jan. 1973	Feb. 1973	Jan. 1973	Feb. 1973
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Total ..		15·34					
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(1) Books—							
(Bal Bharati Chauthe Pustak.)	Copy ..	5·42	0·75	2·00	2·00	267	267
(2) School fees—							
For VIII Std. ..	Per student p.m.	3·46	5·00	5·00	5·00	100	100
Total ..		8·88					
Index Number for Subgroup V (g).						*202*	*202*
(h) Recreation and Amusement—							
(1) Cinema (Lowest class)	Adult ..	6·69	0·32	0·78	0·78	244	244
Total ..		6·69					
Index Number for Subgroup V (h)						*244*	*244*
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(1) Rail—							
Railway fare 50 km...	Per Passenger	12·48	0·98	1·45	1·45	148	148
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S.T. Bus 32 km (Full ticket)	,, ..	4·09	1·00	1·55	1·55	155	155
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Total ..		17·65					
Index Number for Subgroup V (i).						*151*	*151*

CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBER FOR WORKING CLASS FOR JALGAON CITY—concld.

Articles	Unit of Quanity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quanity			Index Number	
			Basic price	Jan. 1973	Feb. 1973	Jan. 1973	Feb. 1973
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
V. Miscellaneous—							
(a) Pan-Supari ..	....	11·06	....	....	....	126	129
(b) Tobacco and Tobacco Products.	....	9·34	....	....	....	195	195
(c) Household Utilities..	....	5·28	....	....	....	257	257
(d) Washing Soap ..	....	9·98	....	....	....	172	172
(e) Medical Care ..	....	15·78	....	....	....	108	113
(f) Personal Care ..	....	15·34	....	....	....	200	201
(g) Education and Reading.	....	8·88	....	....	....	202	202
(h) Recreation and Amusement.	....	6·69	....	....	....	244	244
(i) Transport and Communications.	....	17·65	....	....	....	151	151
Total ..		100·00					
Index Number for Group V.						*171*	*173*

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			Basic price	Jan. 1973	Feb. 1973	Jan. 1973	Feb. 1973
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
V. Miscellaneous—							
(a) Pan-Supari ..	....	11·06	....	....	....	126	129
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(c) Household Utilities..	....	5·28	....	....	....	257	257
(d) Washing Soap ..	....	9·98	....	....	....	172	172
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(f) Personal Care ..	....	15·34	....	....	....	200	201
(g) Education and Reading.	....	8·88	....	....	....	202	202
(h) Recreation and Amusement.	....	6·69	....	....	....	244	244
(i) Transport and Communications.	....	17·65	....	....	....	151	151
Total ..		100·00					
Index Number for Group V.						*171*	*173*

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Final Index Number 201

CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBERS FOR WORKING CLASS FOR POONA CITY

(Average prices for the calendar year 1961 = 100)

Groups	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Group Index Numbers	
		January 1973	February 1973
Food	55·85	224	225
Fuel and Light	6·89	191	191
Housing	6·65	124	124
Clothing and Footwear	10·31	186	188
Miscellaneous	20·30	170	170
Total ..	100·00		
		200	201

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			Basic price	Jan. 1973	Feb. 1973	Jan. 1973	Feb. 1973
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
I. Food Group—							
(a) *Cereals and Cereal Products*—							
(1) Rice ..	kg. ..	13·81	0·76	1·23	1·29	162	17
(2) Wheat ..	" .	11·28	0·53	0·90	0·90	170	17
(3) Jowar .	" .	8·39	0·45	1·24	1·24	276	27
(4) Bajri .	" .	3·08	0·51	1·33	1·36	261	26
(5) Grinding Charges—							
For Cereals ..	4 kg. ..	1·42	0·14	0·32	0·32	229	22
Total ..		37·98					
Index Number for Sub-group I (a).						*200*	*20*
(b) *Pulses and Pulse Products*—							
Turdal— ..							
Laxmi Chhap or Surti (Fine) ..	kg. ..	3·80	0·80	2·59	2·56	324	32
Gramdal ..	,, ..	1·81	0·60	1·84	1·76	307	29
Mungdal—							
Without Husk (Medium) ..	,,	0·68	0·82	3·07	3·20	374	39

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			Basic Price	Jan. 1973	Feb. 1973	Jan. 1973	Feb. 1973
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
(c) *Oils and Fats*—							
Groundnut oil ..	kg. ..	1·94 } 5·88	2·32	5·83	6·47	251	279
Karadai oil ..	½ kg. ..	3·94 }	1·20	....	....	....	....
Vanaspati (Dalda) (Loose) ..	,, ..	1·22	1·66	3·09	3·09	186	186
Total ..		7·10					
Index number for Sub-group I (c).						240	263
(d) *Mutton, Fish and Eggs*—							
Muttons—							
Goat Meat ..	½ kg. ..	3·68	1·51	3·00	3·00	198	198
Sheep Meat ..	,, ..	....	1·52	3·00	3·00		
Fish (Dry)—							
Bombil (Big) ..	kg. ..	1·01	2·60	5·50	5·68	277	255
Bombil (Small) ..	,, ..	....	2·46	5·48	5·68		
Zinga	,, ..	....	2·57	4·83	4·96		
Fresh Fish—							
Varieties selected in the month of Jan. 1973—							
(*i*) Butter fish ..	kg. ..	....	1·13	4·17			
(*ii*) Khawala ..	,, ..	....	1·17	4·80			
(*iii*) Rawas ..	,, ..	....	1·92	5·05			
Varieties selected in the month of Fob. 1973—							
(*i*) Butter fish ..	kg. ..	....	1·61		4·05		
(*ii*) Khawala ..	,, ..	....	1·31		5·00	206	205
(*iii*) Rawas ..	,, ..	....	2·25		5·75		
Eggs (Hen's) ..	Each ..	0·57	0·17	0·35	0·35		
Total ..		5·26					
Index Numoer for Sub-group I (d)						214	210
(e) *Milk and Milk Products*—							
Milk buffalo ..	200 ml. ..	10·66	0·15	0·32	0·32	213	213
Ghee Amul (tinned) ..	kg. ..	0·93	7·88	15·98	16·14	203	205
Total ..		11·59					
Index Number for Sub-group I (e)						212	213

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

Articles	Unit of Quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Basic Price	Jan. 1973	Feb. 1973	Jan. 1973	Feb. 1973
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
(c) *Oils and Fats*—							
Groundnut oil ..	kg. ..	1·94 } 5·88	2·32	5·83	6·47	251	279
Karadai oil ..	½ kg. ..	3·94 }	1·20	....	....	....	....
Vanaspati (Dalda) (Loose) ..	,, ..	1·22	1·66	3·09	3·09	186	186
Total ..		7·10					
Index number for Sub-group I (c).						240	263
(d) *Mutton, Fish and Eggs*—							
Muttons—							
Goat Meat ..	½ kg. ..	3·68	1·51	3·00	3·00	198	198
Sheep Meat ..	,, ..	....	1·52	3·00	3·00		
Fish (Dry)—							
Bombil (Big) ..	kg. ..	1·01	2·60	5·50	5·68	277	255
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Varieties selected in the month of Fob. 1973—							
(*i*) Butter fish ..	kg. ..	....	1·61		4·05		
(*ii*) Khawala ..	,, ..	....	1·31		5·00	206	205
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Eggs (Hen's) ..	Each ..	0·57	0·17	0·35	0·35		
Total ..		5·26					
Index Numoer for Sub-group I (d)						214	210
(e) *Milk and Milk Products*—							
Milk buffalo ..	200 ml. ..	10·66	0·15	0·32	0·32	213	213
Ghee Amul (tinned) ..	kg. ..	0·93	7·88	15·98	16·14	203	205
Total ..		11·59					
Index Number for Sub-						212	213

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

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			Basic price	Jan. 1973	Feb. 1973	Jan. 1973	Feb. 1973
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
(f) *Condiments and Spices*—							
Salt White (Medium) ..	Kg. ..	0·16	0·11	0·23	0·23	209	209
Chillies (Dry) Gawaran Medium.	250 g. ..	2·04	0·47	1·39	1·30	296	277
Termeric, Sangli and Akhi (Medium).	,, ..	0·15	0·33	0·90	0·92	273	279
Tamarind-Old Chinch No. I.	Kg. ..	0·24	1·08	2·48	2·48	230	230
Mixed Spices—							
Garam Masal ..	50 g. ..	3·27	0·84	2·49	2·48	296	295
Total ..		5·86					
Index Number for Sub-group I (f).						290	283
(g) *Vegetables and Vegetable Products*—							
Potatoes—							
Big size ..	½ Kg. ..	1·87	0·29	0·47	0·44	161	150
Small Size ..	,, ..	....	0·23	0·37	0·34		
Onions—							
Big Size	Kg. ..	0·92	0·31	0·86	0·56	278	274
Small Size ..	,, ..	....	0·24	0·67	0·40		
Brinjals—Big Size ..	,, ..	0·56	0·49	0·92	1·08	188	220
Tomatoes Medium Red No. 2.	,, ..	0·77	0·79	1·44	1·44	182	182
Other vegetables ..							
Varieties selected for Jan. 1973—							
(*i*) Cabbage ..	Kg. ..	4·42	0·55	1·00	....	238	
(*ii*) Cauli Flower ..	,, ..	....	0·49	1·17			
(*iii*) Gawar ..	,, ..	....	0·51	1·50			
Varieties selected for Feb. 1973—							
(*i*) Cabbage ..	Kg. ..	....	0·51		0·90		246
(*ii*) Cauli Flower ..	,, ..	....	0·56		1·21		
(*iii*) Gawar ..	,, ..	....	0·43		1·49		
Total ..		8·54					
Index Number for Sub-group I (g).						217	210
(h) *Fruits and Fruit Products*—							
Banana—							
Big Size	Doz. ..	1·23	0·49	0·96	0·91	201	192
Small Size ..	,, ..	....	0·39	0·80	0·77		
Total ..		1·23					

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

Articles	Unit of Quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Basic price	Jan. 1973	Feb. 1973	Jan. 1973	Feb. 1973
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
(f) *Condiments and Spices*—							
Salt White (Medium) ..	Kg. ..	0·16	0·11	0·23	0·23	209	209
Chillies (Dry) Gawaran Medium.	250 g. ..	2·04	0·47	1·39	1·30	296	277
Termeric, Sangli and Akhi (Medium).	,, ..	0·15	0·33	0·90	0·92	273	279
Tamarind-Old Chinch No. I.	Kg. ..	0·24	1·08	2·48	2·48	230	230
Mixed Spices—							
Garam Masal ..	50 g. ..	3·27	0·84	2·49	2·48	296	295
Total ..		5·86					
Index Number for Sub-group I (f).						290	283
(g) *Vegetables and Vegetable Products*—							
Potatoes—							
Big size ..	½ Kg. ..	1·87	0·29	0·47	0·44	161	150
Small Size ..	,, ..	....	0·23	0·37	0·34		
Onions—							
Big Size	Kg. ..	0·92	0·31	0·86	0·56	278	274
Small Size ..	,, ..	....	0·24	0·67	0·40		
Brinjals—Big Size ..	,, ..	0·56	0·49	0·92	1·08	188	220
Tomatoes Medium Red No. 2.	,, ..	0·77	0·79	1·44	1·44	182	182
Other vegetables ..							
Varieties selected for Jan. 1973—							
(*i*) Cabbage ..	Kg. ..	4·42	0·55	1·00	....	238	
(*ii*) Cauli Flower ..	,, ..	....	0·49	1·17			
(*iii*) Gawar ..	,, ..	....	0·51	1·50			
Varieties selected for Feb. 1973—							
(*i*) Cabbage ..	Kg. ..	....	0·51		0·90		246
(*ii*) Cauli Flower ..	,, ..	....	0·56		1·21		
(*iii*) Gawar ..	,, ..	....	0·43		1·49		
Total ..		8·54					
Index Number for Sub-group I (g).						217	210
(h) *Fruits and Fruit Products*—							
Banana—							
Big Size	Doz. ..	1·23	0·49	0·96	0·91	201	192
Small Size ..	,, ..	....	0·39	0·80	0·77		
Total ..		1·23					

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

Articles	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Basic price	Jan. 1973	Feb. 1973	Jan. 1973	Feb. 1973
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
(i) *Sugar, Honey and Related Products*—							
Sugar ..	Kg. ..	6·29	1·18	2·64	2·63	224	223
Gur ..	.. ..	1·20	0·58	2·14	2·14	369	369
Total ..		7·49					
Index Number Sub-group I(i)						*247*	*246*
(j) *Beverages*—							
Tea leaf—							
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		
Hot drinks—							
Prepared Tea ..	Cup of 3½ gs.	5·23	0·06	0·15	0·15	250	250
Total ..		8·66					
Index Number Sub-group I(j).						*213*	*213*
Food Sub-groups—							
(a) Cereals and Cereal products.	....	37·98	..	..	..	200	203
(b) Pulses and pulse products.	....	6·29	..	..	..	324	320
(c) Oils and Fats ..	....	7·10	..	..	..	240	263
(d) Mutton, Fish and Eggs.	....	5·26	..	..	..	214	210
(e) Milk and Milk Products.	....	11·59	..	..	..	212	213
(f) Condiments and spices.	....	5·86	..	..	..	290	283
(g) Vegetables and Vegetable Products.	....	8·54	..	..	..	217	210
(h) Fruits and Fruits products.	....	1·23	..	..	..	201	192
(i) Sugar, Honey and Related Products.	....	7·49	..	..	..	247	246
(j) Beverages ..	....	8·66				213	213
Total		100·00					

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

Articles	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Basic price	Jan. 1973	Feb. 1973	Jan. 1973	Feb. 1973
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
(i) *Sugar, Honey and Related Products*—							
Sugar ..	Kg. ..	6·29	1·18	2·64	2·63	224	223
Gur ..	.. ..	1·20	0·58	2·14	2·14	369	369
Total ..		7·49					
Index Number Sub-group I(i)						*247*	*246*
(j) *Beverages*—							
Tea leaf—							
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		
Hot drinks—							
Prepared Tea ..	Cup of 3½ gs.	5·23	0·06	0·15	0·15	250	250
Total ..		8·66					
Index Number Sub-group I(j).						*213*	*213*
Food Sub-groups—							
(a) Cereals and Cereal products.	....	37·98	..	..	..	200	203
(b) Pulses and pulse products.	....	6·29	..	..	..	324	320
(c) Oils and Fats ..	....	7·10	..	..	..	240	263
(d) Mutton, Fish and Eggs.	....	5·26	..	..	..	214	210
(e) Milk and Milk Products.	....	11·59	..	..	..	212	213
(f) Condiments and spices.	....	5·86	..	..	..	290	283
(g) Vegetables and Vegetable Products.	....	8·54	..	..	..	217	210
(h) Fruits and Fruits products.	....	1·23	..	..	..	201	192
(i) Sugar, Honey and Related Products.	....	7·49	..	..	..	247	246
(j) Beverages ..	....	8·66				213	213
Total		100·00					

CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBERS FOR WORKING CLASS FOR POONA CITY—cont

Articles	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Nu
			Basic Price	Jan. 1973	Feb. 1973	Jan. 1973
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.	
II. Fuel and Light—						
(1) Firewood and chips (Rawal/medium)	37 kg. ..	30·63	3·08	6·07	6·07	197
(2) Kerosene, Chavi Brand.	5 litres	24·03	1·54	3·15	3·15	205
(3) Electricity charges ..	Per unit ..	6·45	0·19	0·28	0·28	147
(4) Charcoal—						
(i) Big Size ..	37 kg.	35·36	7·47	13·60	13·60	184
(ii) Patti or Rawal ..	" ..	..	5·63	10·44	10·53	
(5) Match box (Tekkса, 50 sticks).	Box ..	3·53	0·05	0·10	0·10	200
Total ..		100·00				
Index Number Group (II)						*191*
III. Housing—						
(2) Rent for selected tenements.	Per month.	100·00				124
Total .		100·00				
Index Number Group (III)						*124*
IV. Clothing and Footwear—						
(a) *Clothing*—						
(1) Dhoti ..	Per sq. metre.	3·57	1·28	2·42	2·42	189
(2) Saree ..	" ..	29·86	1·28	2·02	2·10	158
(3) Cloth for trousers ..	" ..	5·25	2·62	5·04	5·14	192
(4) Long cloth ..	" ..	11·76	1·64	3·65	3·62	223
(5) Coloured Poplin ..	" ..	40·44	2·25	4·41	4·42	196
Total ..		90·88				
Index Number Sub-Group (IV) (a).						*186*
(b) *Footwear*—						
(1) Shoes						
(i) Bata Co.	Per Pair ..	4·27	17·14	29·65	29·65	174
(ii) Flex Co. ..	" ..		19·30	33·95	33·95	
(2) Chappals—						
(i) Bata Co. ..	" ..	4·85	6·18	10·00	10·00	183
(ii) Flex Co. ..	" ..		8·40	17·10	17·10	
Total ..		9·12				

CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBERS FOR WORKING CLASS FOR POONA CITY—cont

Articles	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Nu	
			Basic Price	Jan. 1973	Feb. 1973	Jan. 1973	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
II. Fuel and Light—							
(1) Firewood and chips (Rawal/medium)	37 kg. ..	30·63	3·08	6·07	6·07	197	
(2) Kerosene, Chavi Brand.	5 litres	24·03	1·54	3·15	3·15	205	
(3) Electricity charges ..	Per unit ..	6·45	0·19	0·28	0·28	147	
(4) Charcoal—							
(i) Big Size ..	37 kg.	35·36	7·47	13·60	13·60	184	
(ii) Patti or Rawal ..	" ..	..	5·63	10·44	10·53		
(5) Match box (Tekkса, 50 sticks).	Box ..	3·53	0·05	0·10	0·10	200	
Total ..		100·00					
Index Number Group (II)						*191*	
III. Housing—							
(2) Rent for selected tenements.	Per month.	100·00				124	
Total .		100·00					
Index Number Group (III)						*124*	
IV. Clothing and Footwear—							
(a) *Clothing*—							
(1) Dhoti ..	Per sq. metre.	3·57	1·28	2·42	2·42	189	
(2) Saree ..	" ..	29·86	1·28	2·02	2·10	158	
(3) Cloth for trousers ..	" ..	5·25	2·62	5·04	5·14	192	
(4) Long cloth ..	" ..	11·76	1·64	3·65	3·62	223	
(5) Coloured Poplin ..	" ..	40·44	2·25	4·41	4·42	196	
Total ..		90·88					
Index Number Sub-Group (IV) (a).						*186*	
(b) *Footwear*—							
(1) Shoes							
(i) Bata Co.	Per Pair ..	4·27	17·14	29·65	29·65	174	
(ii) Flex Co. ..	" ..		19·30	33·95	33·95		
(2) Chappals—							
(i) Bata Co. ..	" ..	4·85	6·18	10·00	10·00	183	
(ii) Flex Co. ..	" ..		8·40	17·10	17·10		
Total ..		9·12					

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

Articles	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Basic Price	Jan., 1973	Feb. 1973	Jan. 1973	Feb. 1973
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
IV. Clothing and Foot-wear—contd.							
(1) Clothing ..		90·88				186	189
(2) Foot-wear ..		9·12				179	179
Total ..		100·00					
Index Number Group (IV).						*186*	*188*
V. Miscellaneous—							
(a) *Pan-Supari*—							
(1) Pan-leaf—							
(i) Gawran. Kachhi	100 ..	1·08	0·33	1·02	1·00	309	303
(2) Pan Finished—							
(i) Poona Masala	Each vida ..	1·82	0·04	0·10	0·10	250	250
(3) Supari—							
(i) Manglori ..	50 gs. .	1·57	0·45	0·57	0·56	127	124
Total ..		4·47					
Index Number Sub-group V(a).						*221*	*219*
(b) *Tobacco and Tobacco Products*—							
(1) Bidies—							
(i) Charbhai ..	Bundle of 25 bidies.	2·56	0·15	0·30	0·30	200	200
(ii) Pawar ..	,, ..		0·15	0·30	0·30		
(2) Cigarettes—							
(i) Charminar ...	Pkt. of 10 Cigarettes	1·94	0·15	0·47	0·50	282	292
(ii) Pila Hathi ..	,, ..		0·20	0·50	0·50		
(3) Chewing Tobacco—							
(i) Akoli Jarda No. 1	50 gs. ..	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					
Index Number Sub-group V(b).						*210*	*213*
(c) *House-hold Utilities Utensils Brass*—							
(1) Lota ..	kg. ..	4·76	7·14	15·83	16·00	222	224

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

Articles	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Basic Price	Jan.. 1973	Feb. 1973	Jan. 1973	Feb. 1973
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
IV. Clothing and Foot-wear—contd.							
(1) Clothing ..		90·88				186	189
(2) Foot-wear ..		9·12				179	179
Total ..		100·00					
Index Number Group (IV).						*186*	*188*
V. Miscellaneous—							
(a) *Pan-Supari*—							
(1) Pan-leaf—							
(i) Gawran. Kachhi	100 ..	1·08	0·33	1·02	1·00	309	303
(2) Pan Finished—							
(i) Poona Masala	Each vida ..	1·82	0·04	0·10	0·10	250	250
(3) Supari—							
(i) Manglori ..	50 gs. .	1·57	0·45	0·57	0·56	127	124
Total ..		4·47					
Index Number Sub-group V(a).						*221*	*219*
(b) *Tobacco and Tobacco Products*—							
(1) Bidies—							
(i) Charbhai ..	Bundle of 25 bidies.	2·56	0·15	0·30	0·30	200	200
(ii) Pawar ..	,, ..		0·15	0·30	0·30		
(2) Cigarettes—							
(i) Charminar ...	Pkt. of 10 Cigarettes	1·94	0·15	0·47	0·50	282	292
(ii) Pila Hathi ..	,, ..		0·20	0·50	0·50		
(3) Chewing Tobacco—							
(i) Akoli Jarda No. 1	50 gs. ..	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					
Index Number Sub-group V(b).						*210*	*213*
(c) *House-hold Utilities Utensils Brass*—							
(1) Lota ..	kg. ..	4·76	7·14	15·83	16·00	222	224

CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBERS FOR WORKING CLASS FOR POONA CITY—c

Articles	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index N
			Basic Price	Jan. 1973	Feb. 1973	Jan. 1973
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.	
(d) *Washing Soap*—						
(1) Laundry charges (Ordinary. Washing and Ironing).	Per Piece ..	4·23	0·13	0·25	0·25	192
(2) Washing Soap BB Chhap.	Cake ..	7·37	0·40	0·72	0·72	180
Total ..		11 60				
Index Number Sub-Group V(d)						*184*
(e) *Medical Care*—						
(1) Patent Medicine—						
(i) Glycodine Terfl/ Vasaka.	Bottle of 70 ml.	17·37	1·89	2·64	2·64	124
(ii) Anacin ..	2 Tablets ..	..	0·12	0·13	0·13	
(2) Mixture, Daily Mixture.	Per Day ..	1·35	0·57	0·73	0·78	128
Total ..		18·72				
Index Number Sub-group V(e).						*124*
(f) *Personal Care*—						
(1) Hair oil Tata etc. ..	Small Bottle	3·37	1·34	2·74	2·69	204
(2) Barber charges—						
(a) Haircut with shave	Per Adult	6·52	0·75	1·42	1·42	
(b) Haircut ..	Per Adult	..	0·65	1·08	1·08	173
(c) Shave ..	Per Adult	..	0·20	0·33	0·33	
(3) Toilet Soap—						
(a) Lifebuoy ..	Cake ..	2·29	0·49	0·75	0·75	156
(b) Lux ..	Cake	..	0·49	0·78	0·78	
(4) Tooth Powder—						
(a) Bytco (Family size)	Bottle ..	1·98	1·87	3·25	3·25	184
(b) Bytco (Small size)	Bottle .	..	0·46	0·89	0·89	
(5) Blades—						
(a) Bharat ..	Packet of 10	0·04	0·43	0·90	0·90	180
(b) 6° Morning ..	2 Packet of 5 each.	..	0·60	0·90	0·90	
Total ..		14·20				
Index Number Sub-group V (f).						*179*
(g) *Education and Reading*—						
(1) School Fees for Std. VIII.	Per month	8·86	4·85	5·17	5·17	107
(2) School Books—Std. VIII—						
(i) Sahitya sarita ..	Per Copy	2·55	2·42	3·00	3·00	
(ii) Ankagenit ..	Per Copy		1·75	2·50	2·50	124
(iii) Apala Bholok ..	Per Copy		1·88	1·95	1·95	
(3) News Papers—						
(i) Sakal Daily .	Per Copy	2·50	0·07	0·15	0·15	229
(ii) Maratha Daily ..	Per Copy		0·07	0·17	0·17	

CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBERS FOR WORKING CLASS FOR POONA CITY—c

Articles	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index N
			Basic Price	Jan. 1973	Feb. 1973	Jan. 1973
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.	
(d) *Washing Soap*—						
(1) Laundry charges (Ordinary. Washing and Ironing).	Per Piece ..	4·23	0·13	0·25	0·25	192
(2) Washing Soap BB Chhap.	Cake ..	7·37	0·40	0·72	0·72	180
Total ..		11 60				
Index Number Sub-Group V(d)						*184*
(e) *Medical Care*—						
(1) Patent Medicine—						
(i) Glycodine Terfl/ Vasaka.	Bottle of 70 ml.	17·37	1·89	2·64	2·64	124
(ii) Anacin ..	2 Tablets ..	..	0·12	0·13	0·13	
(2) Mixture, Daily Mixture.	Per Day ..	1·35	0·57	0·73	0·78	128
Total ..		18·72				
Index Number Sub-group V(e).						*124*
(f) *Personal Care*—						
(1) Hair oil Tata etc. ..	Small Bottle	3·37	1·34	2·74	2·69	204
(2) Barber charges—						
(a) Haircut with shave	Per Adult	6·52	0·75	1·42	1·42	
(b) Haircut ..	Per Adult	..	0·65	1·08	1·08	173
(c) Shave ..	Per Adult	..	0·20	0·33	0·33	
(3) Toilet Soap—						
(a) Lifebuoy ..	Cake ..	2·29	0·49	0·75	0·75	156
(b) Lux ..	Cake	..	0·49	0·78	0·78	
(4) Tooth Powder—						
(a) Bytco (Family size)	Bottle ..	1·98	1·87	3·25	3·25	184
(b) Bytco (Small size)	Bottle .	..	0·46	0·89	0·89	
(5) Blades—						
(a) Bharat ..	Packet of 10	0·04	0·43	0·90	0·90	180
(b) 6° Morning ..	2 Packet of 5 each.	..	0·60	0·90	0·90	
Total ..		14·20				
Index Number Sub-group V (f).						*179*
(g) *Education and Reading*—						
(1) School Fees for Std. VIII.	Per month	8·86	4·85	5·17	5·17	107
(2) School Books—Std. VIII—						
(i) Sahitya sarita ..	Per Copy	2·55	2·42	3·00	3·00	
(ii) Ankagenit ..	Per Copy		1·75	2·50	2·50	124
(iii) Apala Bholok ..	Per Copy		1·88	1·95	1·95	
(3) News Papers—						
(i) Sakal Daily .	Per Copy	2·50	0·07	0·15	0·15	229
(ii) Maratha Daily ..	Per Copy		0·07	0·17	0·17	

CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBER FOR WORKING CLASS FOR POONA CITY—*concld.*

Articles	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Basic Price	Jan. 1973	Feb. 1973	Jan. 1973	Feb. 1973
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
(h) *Recreation and Amusement*—							
Cinema—							
Lowest Class ..	Ticket ..	6·74	0·52	1·25	1·25	240	240
Total ..		6·74					
Index Number Sub-group V(h).						*240*	*240*
(l) *Transport and Communication*—							
(1) Railway—							
(i) Railway Fare for 50 k.m.	Per Passenger	6·46	0·98	1·45	1·45	148	148
(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	172	172
(ii) M. O. Charges ..	Rs. 25 ..	....	0·45	0·65	0·65		
Total ..		19·18					
Index Number Sub-group V(l)						*165*	*165*
V. Miscellaneous—							
(a) Pan, Supari ..	....	4·47	....	....	....	221	219
(b) Tobacco and Tobacco Products.	....	6·42	....	....	....	210	213
(c) House-hold Utilities	....	4·76	....	....	....	222	224
(d) Washing Soap ..	....	11·60	....	....	....	184	184
(e) Medical Care ..	....	18·72	....	....	....	124	125
(f) Personal Care ..	....	14·20	....	....	....	179	179
(g) Education and Reading.	....	13·91	....	....	....	132	132
(h) Recreation and Amusement.	....	6·74	....	....	....	240	240
(l) Transport and Communication.	....	19·18	....	....	....	165	165
Total ..		100·00					

CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBER FOR WORKING CLASS FOR POONA CITY—*concld.*

Articles	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Index Number	
			Basic Price	Jan. 1973	Feb. 1973	Jan. 1973	Feb. 1973
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.		
(h) *Recreation and Amusement*—							
Cinema—							
Lowest Class ..	Ticket ..	6·74	0·52	1·25	1·25	240	240
Total ..		6·74					
Index Number Sub-group V(h).						*240*	*240*
(l) *Transport and Communication*—							
(1) Railway—							
(i) Railway Fare for 50 k.m.	Per Passenger	6·46	0·98	1·45	1·45	148	148
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(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	172	172
(ii) M. O. Charges ..	Rs. 25 ..	....	0·45	0·65	0·65		
Total ..		19·18					
Index Number Sub-group V(l)						*165*	*165*
V. Miscellaneous—							
(a) Pan, Supari ..	....	4·47	....	....	....	221	219
(b) Tobacco and Tobacco Products.	....	6·42	....	....	....	210	213
(c) House-hold Utilities	....	4·76	....	....	....	222	224
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Pan, Supari, Tobacco, etc. ..	223	225	180	183	17
Fuel and Light	208	208	182	182	18
Housing	118	118	152	152	13
Clothing, bedding, footwear ..	196	196	203	208	22
Miscellaneous	173	173	178	178	16
Consumer Price Index Number ..	205	208	229	232	20

Groups	Jalgaon		Nanded		A
	Jan. 1973	Feb. 1973	Jan. 1973	Feb. 1973	Ja 19
Food	245	250	268	274	26
Fuel and light	184	184	177	177	16
Clothing	194	194	209	210	19
House Rent	137	137	141	141	19
Miscellaneous	171	173	182	182	17
Consumer Price Index Number ..	217	220	236	240	23

Groups	Poona		Madras		
	Jan. 1973	Feb. 1973	Jan. 1973	Feb. 1973	Jan 197
Food	224	225	I.N.R.	I.NR..	I.N.
Pan, Supari, Tobacco, Intoxicants ..	..	..			
Feul and Light	191	191			
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May ,, ..	829	803	1,004	1,047	1,028		
June ,, ..	850	812	1,047	1,058	1,049		
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February ,, ..	880		1,214	1,164	1,075		

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April ,, ...	365	276	369	352
May ,, ...	367	276	365	355
June ,, ...	376	280	380	359
July ,, ...	380	284	392	367
August ,, ...	373	287	401	373
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		No.	
I. *Industrial Courts*—			
(*a*) Industrial Court, Maharashtra, Bombay.	31	10	References.
		..	Submissions.
		18	Appeals.
		2	Revision applications.
		..	Review application.
		..	Criminal appeals.
		1	Miscellaneous applicatio
		..	Appeals under Cha (reg. S. Os.).
Total	..	31	
(*b*) Industrial Court, Maharashtra (Nagpur Bench).	16	6	References.
		..	Submissions.
		9	Appeals.
		..	Revision application.
		1	Review application.
		..	Criminal appeals.
		..	Miscellaneous applicatio
		..	Appeals under Ch (reg. S. Os.).
Total	..	16	
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1	2	3

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		No.	
III. (*a*) Industrial Tribunals, Bombay.	72	..	References.
		37	Adjudications.
		31	Applications.
		4	Complaints.
	Total ..	72	
(*b*) Industrial Tribunals, Nagpur.	100	..	References.
		2	Adjudications.
		98	Applications.
		..	Complaint.
	Total ..	100	

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Name of the Court	Total No. of applications etc. received during the month	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
(1) Labour Courts, Bombay.	366	No.	No.	No.
		40 Under sections 10, 10A, 12(5), 33A and 33B.	6 Illegal strikes and lockouts.	.. Under Section 13-A.
		.. Under section 33 (2)(*b*).	5 Illegal changes	
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	Total .. 72	
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		Industrial Disputes Act, 1947	Bombay Industrial Relations Act, 1946	
1	2	3	4	
		No.	No.	
(2) Labour Courts, Poona.	72	19 Under sections 10, 10A, 12(5), 33A and 33B. .. Under section 33 (2)(b). 38 Under section 33 C(2). .. Under section 36-A. .. Miscellaneous application.	.. Illegal strike and lockout. 1 Illegal change. .. Criminal Complai .. Submissions. .. References. 9 Miscellaneous applications. 5 Remanded appeals	
Total ..		57	15	
(3) Labour Court, Kolhapur.	36	3 Under sections 10, 10A, 12(5), 33A and 33B. .. Under section 33 (2)(b). 24 Under section 33 C(2). .. Under section 36-A. 1 Miscellaneous application.	.. Illegal strikes and lockouts. 4 Illegal change. .. Criminal complaint. .. Submissions. .. References. 4 Miscellaneous applications.	
Total ..		28	8	
(4) Labour Courts, Nagpur.	126	17 Under sections 10, 10A, 12(5), 33A and 33B. 7 Under section 33 (2)(b). 73 Under section 33 C(2). .. Under section 36 A. 3 Miscellaneous applications.	.. Illegal strikes and lockouts. 10 Illegal changes. .. Criminal complaints. .. .. Submissions. .. References. 16 Miscellaneous applications.	

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(3) Bombay Industrial Relations (Extension and Amendment) Act, 1964.	2	....	2
Total	176	346	522

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Act	Pending at the beginning of the month	No. of cases received during the month	Settled amicably	Ended in failure	Withdrawn or not pursued by parties	Closed	Total handled (3 to 6)	Pending at the end of the month
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B.I.R. Act, 1946	13	1	..	5	1	..	5	..	..	25

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

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B.I.R. Act, 1946	17	2	1	1	..	..	3	..	1	25

Act	Amravati	Nagpur	Wardha	Chanda	Akola	Buldhana	Total
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Textile ..	7	16	23	9,412	56,196
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PROGRESS OF IMPORTANT INDUSTRIAL DISPUTES IN MAHARASHTRA STATE DURING THE MONTH OF DECEMBER 1972

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17	Rashtriya Kamgar Union Soot Girni, Pusad, C/o. Shri M. A. Baigs House, Madina Masjid Chawls, Pusad.	NGP/536 11th January 1973.	Shri F.M.Kale	Shri A. T. Ingole
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24	Santra Mandi Chota Vyapari Sangh, Narkhed, Santra Mandi, Narkhed, post Narkhed, Tal-Katol, district Nagpur.	NGP/543 23rd January 1973.	Shri K. N. Bagade	Shri G. M. Lal Mohammad
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10	Number of dependants. benefit. ..	....	....	208	....
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5. I.T.I. Trainees	462	181	12
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(*a*) Registered			
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	Army	Navy	Air force
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House-rent	....	....	....	....	..	....	....	....
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Serial No.	Industry	Name of the Concern and Locality	Matter in dispute	Date when work stopage		Maximum No. of workers affected		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
1	Flour Mill ..	*Bagad ganj (District Nagpur)*— Ram Krishana Flour and Besan Mills Pvt. Ltd. (Pvt.)	*Personnel*— Demand for provision of Dresses etc.	4th December 1972.	4th December 1972.	35	..	35	35	Unsuccessful.
2	Oil ..	*Bombay*— Contractor of The Jai Hind Oil Mills Co. (Pvt.)	*Wages*— Demand for increase in wages.	9th December 1972.	11th December 1972.	39	..	117	117	Unsuccesful.
3	Cotton Textile ..	*Aurangabad*— Aurangabad Mills Ltd. (Pub.).	*Personnel*— Demand for reinstatement of dismissed workers.	30th November 1972.	2nd December 1972	322	..	754	1,076	Unsuccesful.
4	Cotton Textile ..	*Bombay*— The Edward Textile and New Kaiser-I Hind Spinning and Weaving Mills (Pub.).	*Wages*— Demand for restoration of full D. F. A.	12th December 1972	12th December 1972	2,659	..	2,659	2,659	Unsuccessful.
5	Cotton Textile ..	*Bombay*— The India United Mills Ltd., No. 1, (Pub).	*Wages*— Demand for increase in wages.	13th December 1972	13th December 1972	53	350	403	403	Unsuccessful.
6	Cotton Textile ..	*Bombay*— The Kohinoor Mills Co. Ltd., No. 1 and 2, (Pvt.).	*Personnel*— Protest against removal of supervisor.	10th December 1972.	10th December 1972.	320	..	320	320	Unsuccessful.
7	Other textile..	*Bombay*— Messrs. Dhansukh Prints (Pvt.).	*Personnel*— Protest against charge-sheet given to one worker.	9th November 1972.	1st December 1972	50	..	50	1,000	Unsuccessful.
8	Other Textile	*Nagpur*— Messrs New Era processors, (Pvt).	*Personnel*— Demand for reinstatement of a discharged workers.	17th December 1972.	29th December 1972	45	..	394	394	Unsuccessful.

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				Began	Ended	Directly	Indirectly	During the month	Till the close of the month	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
1	Flour Mill ..	*Bagad ganj (District Nagpur)*— Ram Krishana Flour and Besan Mills Pvt. Ltd. (Pvt.)	*Personnel*— Demand for provision of Dresses etc.	4th December 1972.	4th December 1972.	35	..	35	35	Unsuccessful.
2	Oil ..	*Bombay*— Contractor of The Jai Hind Oil Mills Co. (Pvt.)	*Wages*— Demand for increase in wages.	9th December 1972.	11th December 1972.	39	..	117	117	Unsuccesful.
3	Cotton Textile ..	*Aurangabad*— Aurangabad Mills Ltd. (Pub.).	*Personnel*— Demand for reinstatement of dismissed workers.	30th November 1972.	2nd December 1972	322	..	754	1,076	Unsuccesful.
4	Cotton Textile ..	*Bombay*— The Edward Textile and New Kaiser-I Hind Spinning and Weaving Mills (Pub.).	*Wages*— Demand for restoration of full D. F. A.	12th December 1972	12th December 1972	2,659	..	2,659	2,659	Unsuccessful.
5	Cotton Textile ..	*Bombay*— The India United Mills Ltd., No. 1, (Pub).	*Wages*— Demand for increase in wages.	13th December 1972	13th December 1972	53	350	403	403	Unsuccessful.
6	Cotton Textile ..	*Bombay*— The Kohinoor Mills Co. Ltd., No. 1 and 2, (Pvt.).	*Personnel*— Protest against removal of supervisor.	10th December 1972.	10th December 1972.	320	..	320	320	Unsuccessful.
7	Other textile..	*Bombay*— Messrs. Dhansukh Prints (Pvt.).	*Personnel*— Protest against charge-sheet given to one worker.	9th November 1972.	1st December 1972	50	..	50	1,000	Unsuccessful.
8	Other Textile	*Nagpur*— Messrs New Era processors, (Pvt).	*Personnel*— Demand for reinstatement of a discharged workers.	17th December 1972.	29th December 1972	45	..	394	394	Unsuccessful.

9	Other Textile	*Bombay*— Ashok Industries and 10 sister concerns, (Pvt)	*Wages*— Demand for increase in D.A. etc.	12th September 1972	30th December, 1972	374	..	9,724	35,530	Unsuccessful.
10	Woollen ..	*Thana*— Modella Textile Industries Pvt. Ltd. and its sister concern (Pvt).	*Retrenchment*— Demand for withdrawal of retrenchment notices, etc.	23rd December 1972	26th December 1972	1,181	..	3,169	3,169	Unsuccessful.
11	Rope and Tape Mfg.	*Bombay*— Todi and Co. (Mfg.) (Pvt).	*Personnal*— Demand for reinstatement of a suspended worker.	3rd December 1972 (1-00p.m.)	4th December 1972 (3-30 p.m.)	525	..	603	603	Unsuccessful,
12	Do. ..	*Bombay*— Todi and Co. (Pvt.)	*Personnel*— Protest against for issuing notices to 5 workers for alleged misconduct.	22nd December 1972	....	384	..	3,072	3,072	Contd.
13	Tailoring ..	*Bombay*— A. Sequiera Tailoring Shops; (Pvt.)	*Bonus*— Demand for 8·33% bonus.	25th October 1972	....	60	..	1,560	3,480	Contd.
14	Do. ..	*Bombay*— Keshavrao Tailors, (Pvt.)	*Bonus*— Demand for 8·33 % bonus.	3rd November 1972	....	22	..	572	1,100	Contd.
15	Do. ..	*Bombay*— Kank Tailors, (Pvt.)	*Bonus*— Demand for 8·33 % bonus.	1st November 1972	....	35	..	910	1,820	Contd.
16	Do. ..	*Bombay*— SiddharthTailors,(Pvt.)	*Bonus*— Demand for 8·33 % bonus.	3rd November 1972	....	25	..	650	1,250	Contd.
17	Readymade Garments	*Bombay*— William Industries (Pvt.)	*Wages.*— Demand for increase in D.A., etc.	12th December 1972	....	162	..	2,754	2,754	Contd.
18	Paper ..	*Bombay*— Baker and Co. and its sister concern, (Pvt.)	*Personnel*— Demand for reinstatement of suspended workers.	28th December 1972	....	81	11	276	276	Contd.
19	Paper ..	*Bombay*— Raj Packaging (pvt.)	*Personnel*— Demand for reinstatement of terminated workers.	3rd December 1972.	21st December 1972.	15	..	240	240	Unsuccessful.
20	Printing ..	*Bombay*— Parksons Printers, (Pvt.)	*Bonus*— Demand for bonus.	3rd November 1972.	5th December 1972.	140	..	700	4,060	Successful.

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Industry	Name of the Concern and Locality	Matter in dispute	Date when work stoppage began	Date when work stoppage ended	Maximum No. of workers affected: Directly	Maximum No. of workers affected: Indirectly	Man days lost: During the month	Man days lost: Till the close of the month	Result
2	3	4	5	6	7		9	10	11
Rubber ..	*Bombay*— Oil Seals Mfg. Co. pvt. Ltd., & its sister Concern, (Pvt).	*Wages*— Demand for increase in wages.	23rd October 1972	.....	455	..	11,880	27,073	Contd.
Do.	*Dombivli (Dist. Thana*— M/s. Premier Rubber and Cable Industries (Pvt.)	*Personnel*— Demand for reinstatement of a terminated employees.	11th November 1972	17th December 1972.	387	..	4,535	11,020	Successful.
Chemicals ..	*Bombay*— Kosangas Co. and its sister concern (Pvt.	*Wages*— Demand for increase in Wages, D. A. etc.	21st December 1972.	22nd December 1972.	266	..	424	424	Indefinite.
Pharmaceutical	*Ambernath (Dist. Thana.* Chemiequip Pvt. Ltd. (Pvt).	*Bonus*— Demand for bonus in one instalment.	22nd December 1972.	3rd December 1972. (10.30 A.M.	104	..	150	150	Successful.
Do. ..	*Majiwada Dist. Thana*— Duphar Interfran Ltd., (Pvt).	*Retrenchment*— Protest against retrenchment.	12th December 1972.	15th December 1972.	350	..	1,400	1,400	Unsuccessful.
Do. ..	*Bombay and Thana*— Duphar Interfran Ltd., (Pvt.).	*Retrenchment*— Protest against proposed retrenchment of Workers. etc.	19th December 1972.	....	450	..	3,375	3,375	Contd.
Do. ..	*Bombay*— Glaxo Laboratories (India) Ltd., (Pvt).	*Personnel*— Demand for reinstatement of one worker.	18th December 1972.	18th December 1972.	1,240	..	1,240	1,240	Unsuccessful.
Do. ..	*Bombay*— Johnsons & Johnson Ltd., (Pvt).	*Wages*— Demand for lumpsum payment towards loss of incentive consequent upon alleged change etc.	6th December 1972.	....	314	30	6,594	6,594	Contd.
Do.	*Bombay*— Pharmaceutica l Capsules Laboratories (Pvt.)	*Wages*— Demand for increase in wages and D.A.	14th November 1972.	....	275	..	7,150	11,275	Contd.
Pharmaceutical	*Poona*— Rashtriya Shikshan Ayurvedic	*Wages*— Demand for wage scales D. A. etc.	9th December 1972	17th December 1972	162	..	939	939	Successful

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Do.	*Domoivli (Dist. Thana*— M/s. Premier Rubber and Cable Industries (Pvt.)	*Personnel*— Demand for reinstatement of a terminated employees.	11th November 1972	17th December 1972.	387	..	4,535	11,020	Successful.
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Do. ..	*Bombay and Thana*— Duphar Interfran Ltd., (Pvt.).	*Retrenchment*— Protest against proposed retrenchment of Workers. etc.	19th December 1972.	....	450	..	3,375	3,375	Contd.
Do. ..	*Bombay*— Glaxo Laboratories (India) Ltd., (Pvt).	*Personnel*— Demand for reinstatement of one worker.	18th December 1972.	18th December 1972.	1,240	..	1,240	1,240	Unsuccessful.
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Do.	*Bombay*— Pharmaceutica l Capsules Laboratories (Pvt.)	*Wages*— Demand for increase in wages and D.A.	14th November 1972.	....	275	..	7,150	11,275	Contd.
Pharmaceutical	*Poona*— Rashtriya Shikshan Ayurvedic	*Wages*— Demand for wage scales D. A. etc.	9th December 1972	17th December 1972	162	..	939	939	Successful

	Rashtriya Shikshan Mandal Ayurvedu Rasashula (Pvt.)	Demand for wage scales D. A. etc.	ber 1972	1972					
Do.	*Wadgaon-sheri (Poona)* Industrial Oxygan Pvt. Ltd., and its sister concern, (Pvt.)	*Retrenchment*— Demand for reinstatement of retrenched Workers.	6th December 1972	8th December 1972	49	..	105	105	Unsuccessful.
Structural Clay Products.	*Aurangabad*— Ajantha Ties and Cement Industries, Pvt. Ltd. (Pvt.)	*Bonus*— Demand for payment of Bonus.	7th November 1972	9th December 1972	16	4	160	580	Unsuccessful.
Engineering	*Bombay*— Met-cab Industries (Pvt).	*Wages*— Demand for increase in D.A.	11th December 1972	22nd December 1972	46	..	506	506	Successful.
Engineering	*Thana and Bombay*— Bombay Metal and Alloys Mfg. Co. Pvt. Ltd., and its sister concern, (Pvt.)	*Wages*— Demand for higher D.A. and Bonus	10th June 1972	....	380	229	14,924	96,360	Contd.
Do.	*Pimpri (Dist. Poona)* A.K.K.P. Engineering corporation (Pvt.)	*Wages*— Demand for increase in Wages etc.	24th November 1972	6th December 1972	33	..	165	346	Successful.
Do. ..	*Poona*— Production Engineering Corporation (Pvt.)	*Personnel*— Demand for withdrawal of charge sheet served to the worker.	4th December 1972	5th December 1972	45	..	90	90	Successful.
Do. ..	*Sholapur*— Sholapur Engineering Industries Co. Co-operative Society Ltd., (Pvt.)	*Personnel*— Demand for reinstatement of dismissed workers.	10th December 1972	14th December 1972	42	..	168	168	Successful.
Do.	*Bombay*— Mukund Engneering, Works (Pvt.)	*Others*— Protes against the removing of machine.	23rd November 1972	....	40	..	1,040	1,320	Cotnd.
Do.	*Bhor (District Poona)* Jolly Torsteel Pvt. Ltd. (Pvt.)	*Retrenchment*— Demand for reinstatement of retrenched Workers	17th November 1972	....	95	..	2,470	3,610	Continued.
Do.	*Bombay*— Eastern Smelting and Rolling Mills (Pvt.)	*Bonus*— Demand for, bonus, etc.	23rd August 1972	....	87	9	1,846	8,391	Continued.

	Rashtriya Shikshan Mandal Ayurvedu Rasashula (Pvt.)	Demand for wage scales D. A. etc.	ber 1972	1972					
Do.	*Wadgaon-sheri (Poona)* Industrial Oxygan Pvt. Ltd., and its sister concern, (Pvt.)	*Retrenchment*— Demand for reinstatement of retrenched Workers.	6th December 1972	8th December 1972	49	..	105	105	Unsuccessful.
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Engineering	*Thana and Bombay*— Bombay Metal and Alloys Mfg. Co. Pvt. Ltd., and its sister concern, (Pvt.)	*Wages*— Demand for higher D.A. and Bonus	10th June 1972	....	380	229	14,924	96,360	Contd.
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Do. ..	*Poona*— Production Engineering Corporation (Pvt.)	*Personnel*— Demand for withdrawal of charge sheet served to the worker.	4th December 1972	5th December 1972	45	..	90	90	Successful.
Do. ..	*Sholapur*— Sholapur Engineering Industries Co. Co-operative Society Ltd., (Pvt.)	*Personnel*— Demand for reinstatement of dismissed workers.	10th December 1972	14th December 1972	42	..	168	168	Successful.
Do.	*Bombay*— Mukund Engneering, Works (Pvt.)	*Others*— Protes against the removing of machine.	23rd November 1972	....	40	..	1,040	1,320	Cotnd.
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Do.	*Bombay*— Eastern Smelting and Rolling Mills (Pvt.)	*Bonus*— Demand for, bonus, etc.	23rd August 1972	....	87	9	1,846	8,391	Continued.

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			Began	Ended	Directly	In-directly	During the month	Till the close of the month	
2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
Engineering ..	*Bombay*— Kamlesh Engineering Works and its sister concern (Pvt.)	*Personnel*— Demand for reinstatement of suspended workers.	1st December 1972.	....	46	..	1,196	1,196	Continued
Do.	*Nasik*— Indian Valve Pvt. Ltd., (Pvt.)	*Pelsonnel*— Demand for reinstatement of terminated employes.	31st December 1972.	....	39	..	39	39	Continued.
Do.	*Khed-Shivapul (District Poona)*— K. O. S. Prabodhan Udyog. (Pvt.)	*Pelsonnel*— Demand for reinstatement of terminated workmen.	22nd November 1972.	24th December 1972.	75	..	1,575	2,175	Successful.
Do.	*Bombay*— Lallubhai & Co. (Pvt.)	*Bonus*— Demand for 20 percent bonus increase in salary etc.	18th December 1972.	18th December 1972	50	..	50	50	Unsuccessful.
Do.	*Bombay*— Mirex Heat Transfer (Pvt) Ltd., (Pvt.)	*Pelsonnel*— Protest against suspension of two workers.	16th December 1972.	....	44	..	572	572	Continued.
Machinery	*Bombay*— Bardai Pvt. Ltd., (Pvt.)	*Retlenchment*— Demand for reinstatement of retrenched workers.	15th July 1972	....	56	..	1,456	8,120	Continued
Do.	*Bombay*— Shukhanvala and Sons, (Pvt.)	*Wages*— Demand for increase in pay scales, etc	31st December 1972.	....	34	..	34	34	Continued.
Do.	*Bombay*—	*Wages*—	7th December	12th Decem-	346	..	1,514	1,514	Successful.

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Engineering ..	*Bombay*— Kamlesh Engineering Works and its sister concern (Pvt.)	*Personnel*— Demand for reinstatement of suspended workers.	1st December 1972.	....	46	..	1,196	1,196	Continued
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Do.	*Khed-Shivapul (District Poona)*— K. O. S. Prabodhan Udyog. (Pvt.)	*Pelsonnel*— Demand for reinstatement of terminated workmen.	22nd November 1972.	24th December 1972.	75	..	1,575	2,175	Successful.
Do.	*Bombay*— Lallubhai & Co. (Pvt.)	*Bonus*— Demand for 20 percent bonus increase in salary etc.	18th December 1972.	18th December 1972	50	..	50	50	Unsuccessful.
Do.	*Bombay*— Mirex Heat Transfer (Pvt) Ltd., (Pvt.)	*Pelsonnel*— Protest against suspension of two workers.	16th December 1972.	....	44	..	572	572	Continued.
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Mechinery ..	*Pimpri (District Poona)* Traub India Pvt. Ltd., (Pvt.)	*Pelsonnel*— Demand for reinsatement of a terminated worker.	13th November 1972.	12th December 1972.	241	..	2,651	5,913	Indofinite.
Electrical ..	*Poona* — Jinku Radiators Pvt. Ltd., (Pvt.).	*Wages*— Demand for wage scale, Dearness Allowance, etc.	11th December 1972.	....	59	..	852	852	Contd.
ectrical ..	*Bombay*— Moon Winding Works (Pvt.).	*Personnel*— Demand for reinstatement of a terminated Workers.	18th October 1972.	....	28	..	718	1,782	Contd.
lectrical ..	*Bombay*— Flexeord Cables Pvt. Ltd., (Pvt.).	*Bonus*— .. Demand for bonus. ..	9th December 1972.	22nd December 1972.	81	..	708	708	Successful.
lectrical ..	*Bombay*— Electro-Meter and Control Gear Industries and its sister concern (Pvt.).	*Retrenchment*— Demand for reinstatement of retrenched workers, etc.	2nd December 1972.	5th December 1972.	40	..	100	100	Unsuccessful.
Electrical ..	*Poona*— Philips India Ltd. (Pvt)	*Wages*— Protest against considering the demands regarding increase in in wages, etc.	18th December 1972.	18th December 1972.	2,369	..	2,369	2,369	Unsuccessful.
Electrical ..	*Bhosari Dist. Poona*— Madhav Capacitors Pvt. Ltd. (Pvt.)	*Personnel*— Demand for reinstatement of a suspended workers.	20th December 1972. worker.	....	44	..	360	360	Contd.
Automobile ..	*Poona*— Arun and Co. (Pvt.).	*Retrenchment*— Protest againstretrenchtment of workers.	5th December 1972.	6th December 1972	20	..	40	40	Partially successful.
Automobile ..	*Thana*— Perfect Engineering Co. (Pvt.).	*Bonus*— Demand for bonus. ..	15th October 1972.	1st December 1972	50	..	50	2,100	Indefinie.
Automobile ..	*Poona*— Messrs Bajaj Auto-Limited (Pvt.)	*Others*— Protest against alleged use of some bad words by a supervisor to a workmen.	9th December 1972.	9th December 1972	99	..	99	99	Unsuccessful.
Automobile ..	*Bombay*— Pearl Engineering Works.	*Wages*— Demand for increase in wages.	11th December 1972.	13th December 1972. 12 (Noon)	18	..	27	27	Successful.

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Automobile ..	*Thana*— Perfect Engineering Co. (Pvt.).	*Bonus*— Demand for bonus. ..	15th October 1972.	1st December 1972	50	..	50	2,100	Indefinie.
Automobile ..	*Poona*— Messrs Bajaj Auto-Limited (Pvt.)	*Others*— Protest against alleged use of some bad words by a supervisor to a workmen.	9th December 1972.	9th December 1972	99	..	99	99	Unsuccessful.
Automobile ..	*Bombay*— Pearl Engineering Works.	*Wages*— Demand for increase in wages.	11th December 1972.	13th December 1972. 12 (Noon)	18	..	27	27	Successful.

INDUSTRIAL DISPUTES INPROGRESS IN MAHARASHTRA STATE IN THE STATE SPHERE FOR THE MONTH OF DECEMBER, 1972

Serial No.	Industry	Name of the Concern and Locality	Matter in dispute	Date when work stoppages		Maximum No. of workers affected		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
60	Automobile ..	*Bombay*— Rubby Coach Builders Pvt. Ltd., (Pvt.).	*Personnel*— Protest against the security Officer for asking one workman to show identity card at the gate.	2nd December 1972.	13th December 1972.	651	..	6,184	6,184	Unsuccessful.
61	Automobile ..	*Bombay*— Techno-Mechanic Company, (Pvt.).	*Personnel*— Demand for reinstatement of a dismissed Co. Workman.	21st December 1972.	....	79	..	711	711	Contd.
62	Electrical ..	*Bombay*— Ansons Electro Mechnical Works, (Pvt).	*Bonus*— Demand for Bonus	27th November 1972.	4th December 1972.	41	..	123	287	Successful.
63	Commerce	*Bombay*— Gala Bros. and Co. and its sister concern, (Pvt).	*Wages*— Demand for increase in Wages, etc.	12th December 1972.	27th December 1972.	30	..	420	420	Successful.
64	Hotel Canteen	*Bombay*— Reserve Bank Canteen, (Pvt).	*Personnel* — Protest against lay-off given to the workers.	24th November 1972.	6th December 1972	18	..	90	198	Unsuccessful.
65	Do. ..	*Bombay*— CAESARS Palace. , (Pvt.)	*Wages*— Demand for revision of wages, D.A. etc.	9th December; 1972.	....	76	..	1,444	1,444	Contd.
66	Do. ..	*Bombay*— Indian Lime Corpor-ation (Pvt).	*Wages*— Demand for increase in wages.	29th November 1972.	11th December 1972.	42	..	378	442	Successful.
67	Cotton Textile	*ICHALKARANJI (Dist-Kolhapur)*— M/s Dattatraya Dynandeo Badave, (Pvt.) *Ichalkaranji (Kolhapur)*	*Wages*— Protest agains cut in Minimum Wages.	16th December 1972.	16th December 1972.	36	..	36	36	Successful.
68	Do.		*Wages*—	3rd December	5th December	18	..	54	54	Unsuccessful.

INDUSTRIAL DISPUTES INPROGRESS IN MAHARASHTRA STATE IN THE STATE SPHERE FOR THE MONTH OF DECEMBER, 1972

Serial No.	Industry	Name of the Concern and Locality	Matter in dispute	Date when work stoppages		Maximum No. of workers affected		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
60	Automobile ..	*Bombay*— Rubby Coach Builders Pvt. Ltd., (Pvt.).	*Personnel*— Protest against the security Officer for asking one workman to show identity card at the gate.	2nd December 1972.	13th December 1972.	651	..	6,184	6,184	Unsuccessful.
61	Automobile ..	*Bombay*— Techno-Mechanic Company, (Pvt.).	*Personnel*— Demand for reinstatement of a dismissed Co. Workman.	21st December 1972.	....	79	..	711	711	Contd.
62	Electrical ..	*Bombay*— Ansons Electro Mechnical Works, (Pvt).	*Bonus*— Demand for Bonus	27th November 1972.	4th December 1972.	41	..	123	287	Successful.
63	Commerce	*Bombay*— Gala Bros. and Co. and its sister concern, (Pvt).	*Wages*— Demand for increase in Wages, etc.	12th December 1972.	27th December 1972.	30	..	420	420	Successful.
64	Hotel Canteen	*Bombay*— Reserve Bank Canteen, (Pvt).	*Personnel* — Protest against lay-off given to the workers.	24th November 1972.	6th December 1972	18	..	90	198	Unsuccessful.
65	Do. ..	*Bombay*— CAESARS Palace. , (Pvt.)	*Wages*— Demand for revision of wages, D.A. etc.	9th December; 1972.	....	76	..	1,444	1,444	Contd.
66	Do. ..	*Bombay*— Indian Lime Corpor-ation (Pvt).	*Wages*— Demand for increase in wages.	29th November 1972.	11th December 1972.	42	..	378	442	Successful.
67	Cotton Textile	*ICHALKARANJI (Dist-Kolhapur)*— M/s Dattatraya Dynandeo Badave, (Pvt.) *Ichalkaranji (Kolhapur)*	*Wages*— Protest agains cut in Minimum Wages.	16th December 1972.	16th December 1972.	36	..	36	36	Successful.
68	Do.		*Wages*—	3rd December	5th December	18	..	54	54	Unsuccessful.

		Wages.	ber 1972.	ber 1972.	18	..	54	54	Unsuccessful.

69	Powerloom..	*Dombivli (Dist. Thana)* Padma Textile (K. D. Agarwal Powerloom, Shed))(Pvt.)	*Retrenchment*— Demand for reinstatement of retrenched Workers.	30th December 1972.	....	60	..	60	60	Contd.
70	Silk ..	*Bombay*— Anant Silk Industries (Pvt.)	*Personnel*— Demand for reinstatement of a discharged worker.	1st July 1972 (3-30p.m.)	....	27	3	780	4,695	Contd.
71	Powerloom ..	*Madhavanagar (Dsit. Sangli)* Powerloom Industry (Pvt.)	*Wages*— Demand for wages as Per Minimum Wages Act.	7th December 1972.	....	94	..	1,774	1,774	Contd.
72	Silk	*Thana*— Synth Fabrics Pvt. Ltd. (Pvt.)	*Bonus*— Demand for bouns for the year 1971-72.	25th December 1972.	29th December 1972.	250	..	1,250	1,250	Indefinite
73	Wood ..	*Poona*— New Timber Market (Pvt).	*Personnel*— Protest against not giving work to 5 workers.	2ndDecember 1972.	12th December 1972.	300	..	2,700	2,700	Idenfinite
74	Paints ..	*Bombay*— Plastic Dies Co. & its sister concern (Pvt).	*Retrenchment*— Demand for reinstatement of retrenched workers.	9th October 1972.	18th December 1972.	39	..	585	2,379	Unsuccessful.
75	Glass ..	*Hadposar (Poona)*— J.N.Parekh&Co. (Pvt).	*Personnel*— Demand for cancellation ofsuspension order against 3 workers.	18th December 1972.	19th December 1972.	19	..	38	38	successful.
76	Engieneering	*Bhosari Dist. Poona*— Patheja forgings & Auto Parts Mfg. (P) Ltd., (Pvt).	*Wages*— Demand for arrears of wages etc.	12th December 1972.	....	72	..	1,188	1,188	Contd.
77	Do. ..	*Thana*— L. D. Wire Ropes Pvt. Ltd., (Pvt).	*Wages*— Protest againstnon payment of wages & salaries.	2nd December 1972.	15th December 1972.	199	..	2,388	2,388	Idenfinite.
78	Do. ..	*Pimpri (Dist Poona*— Precision Steel Fastners & its sister concern (Pvt).	*Wages*— Demand for increase in Wages etc.	8th December 1972.	8th December 1972.	59	..	59	59	Indefinite.

		Wages.	ber 1972.	ber 1972.	18	..	54	54	Unsuccessful.

69	Powerloom..	*Dombivli (Dist. Thana)* Padma Textile (K. D. Agarwal Powerloom, Shed))(Pvt.)	*Retrenchment*— Demand for reinstatement of retrenched Workers.	30th December 1972.	....	60	..	60	60	Contd.
70	Silk ..	*Bombay*— Anant Silk Industries (Pvt.)	*Personnel*— Demand for reinstatement of a discharged worker.	1st July 1972 (3-30p.m.)	....	27	3	780	4,695	Contd.
71	Powerloom ..	*Madhavanagar (Dsit. Sangli)* Powerloom Industry (Pvt.)	*Wages*— Demand for wages as Per Minimum Wages Act.	7th December 1972.	....	94	..	1,774	1,774	Contd.
72	Silk	*Thana*— Synth Fabrics Pvt. Ltd. (Pvt.)	*Bonus*— Demand for bouns for the year 1971-72.	25th December 1972.	29th December 1972.	250	..	1,250	1,250	Indefinite
73	Wood ..	*Poona*— New Timber Market (Pvt).	*Personnel*— Protest against not giving work to 5 workers.	2ndDecember 1972.	12th December 1972.	300	..	2,700	2,700	Idenfinite
74	Paints ..	*Bombay*— Plastic Dies Co. & its sister concern (Pvt).	*Retrenchment*— Demand for reinstatement of retrenched workers.	9th October 1972.	18th December 1972.	39	..	585	2,379	Unsuccessful.
75	Glass ..	*Hadposar (Poona)*— J.N.Parekh&Co. (Pvt).	*Personnel*— Demand for cancellation ofsuspension order against 3 workers.	18th December 1972.	19th December 1972.	19	..	38	38	successful.
76	Engieneering	*Bhosari Dist. Poona*— Patheja forgings & Auto Parts Mfg. (P) Ltd., (Pvt).	*Wages*— Demand for arrears of wages etc.	12th December 1972.	....	72	..	1,188	1,188	Contd.
77	Do. ..	*Thana*— L. D. Wire Ropes Pvt. Ltd., (Pvt).	*Wages*— Protest againstnon payment of wages & salaries.	2nd December 1972.	15th December 1972.	199	..	2,388	2,388	Idenfinite.
78	Do. ..	*Pimpri (Dist Poona*— Precision Steel Fastners & its sister concern (Pvt).	*Wages*— Demand for increase in Wages etc.	8th December 1972.	8th December 1972.	59	..	59	59	Indefinite.

DUSTRIAL DISPUTES IN PROGRESS IN MAHARASHTRA STATE IN THE STATE SPHERE FOR THE MONTH OF DECEMBER 1972—contd

Industry	Name of the Concern and Locality	Matter in disputes	Date when work-stoppages		Maximum No. of workers affected		No. of mandays los		Result
			Began	Ended	Directly	Indirectly	During the month	Till the close of the month	
2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
Engineering ..	*Hadapsar (Dist Poona* — Tarkar products (Pvt).	*Wages*— Protest against delay in settling the demands regarding wage scales D. A. etc.	30th December 1972.	....	20	....	10	10	Contd.
Machinery ..	*Bombay*— Chemco Engineering Corpn., (Pvt).	*Personnel*— Protest against dismissal of one worker.	22nd December 1972.	....	13	....	104	104	Contd.
Automobiles	*Dhokali (Thana)*— Delta Production Co. (Pvt).	*Retrenchment*— Demand for reinstatement of retrenched worker etc.	6th December 1972.	7th December 1972.	54	..	108	108	Partially Successful.
Cotton Textile	*Ichalkarnaji (Kolhapur)* M/s. Dattatraya Dnyandeo Badave (Pvt)	*Retrenchment*— Demand for reinstatement of a retrenched worker.	25th December 1972.	....	36	....	216	216	Contd.
Other Textile	*Bombay*— Adishakti Industries & its sister concern, (Pvt)	*Wages*— Demand for increase in wages.	8th December 1972	8th December 1972	524	....	524	524	Unsuccessful
Do.	*Bombay*— Adishakti Industries, (Pvt.)	*Personnel*— Protest against termination of a temporary workman.	12th December 1972	31st December 1972	524	....	8,908	8,908	Unsuccessful
Do.	*Bombay*— Vijay Textile and Seven other concern (Pvt.)	*Wages*— Demand for increase in wages.	13th November 1972	Continued	880	....	17,960	28,718	Continued
Do.	*Bombay*— J.K.Prints and its sister concern (Pvt.)	*Wages*— Demand for increase in D.A	18th November 1972	15th December 1972.	222	....	2,886	5,392	Successful
Engineering	*Poona*— Hindustan Metal Press-	*Wages*— Demand for increase in Wages etc.	19th December 1972	....	25	46	781	781	Continued

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Industry	Name of the Concern and Locality	Matter in disputes	Date when work-stoppages		Maximum No. of workers affected		No. of mandays los		Result
			Began	Ended	Directly	Indirectly	During the month	Till the close of the month	
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Engineering ..	*Hadapsar (Dist Poona* — Tarkar products (Pvt).	*Wages*— Protest against delay in settling the demands regarding wage scales D. A. etc.	30th December 1972.	....	20	....	10	10	Contd.
Machinery ..	*Bombay*— Chemco Engineering Corpn., (Pvt).	*Personnel*— Protest against dismissal of one worker.	22nd December 1972.	....	13	....	104	104	Contd.
Automobiles	*Dhokali (Thana)*— Delta Production Co. (Pvt).	*Retrenchment*— Demand for reinstatement of retrenched worker etc.	6th December 1972.	7th December 1972.	54	..	108	108	Partially Successful.
Cotton Textile	*Ichalkarnaji (Kolhapur)* M/s. Dattatraya Dnyandeo Badave (Pvt)	*Retrenchment*— Demand for reinstatement of a retrenched worker.	25th December 1972.	....	36	....	216	216	Contd.
Other Textile	*Bombay*— Adishakti Industries & its sister concern, (Pvt)	*Wages*— Demand for increase in wages.	8th December 1972	8th December 1972	524	....	524	524	Unsuccessful
Do.	*Bombay*— Adishakti Industries, (Pvt.)	*Personnel*— Protest against termination of a temporary workman.	12th December 1972	31st December 1972	524	....	8,908	8,908	Unsuccessful
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Engineering	*Poona*— Hindustan Metal Press-	*Wages*— Demand for increase in Wages etc.	19th December 1972	....	25	46	781	781	Continued

		concern (Pvt.)	D.A		ber 1972.	222	....	2,886	5,392	Successful
87	Engineering	*Poona*— Hindustan Metal Pressing Works, (Pvt.)	*Wages*— Demand for increase in Wages etc.	19th December 1972	....	25	46	781	781	Continued
88	Textile Processing.	*Bombay*— Jalan Dyeing & Bleaching Mills (Pvt.)	*Wages*— Demand for payment of arrears.	29th December 1972.	29th December 1972.	350	..	350	350	Successful
89	Motor vehicle	*Bombay*— Swastik Petrochem and Auto Industries and three other companies (Pvt.)	*Personnel*— Demand for reinstatement of terminated workers.	10th December 1972.	....	21	..	399	399	Continuous.
90	Motor vehicle	*Thana*— Simac Group (India) Pvt. Ltd. (Pvt.).	*Personnel*— Protest against lay off and retrenchment.	28th November 1972.	....	97	..	2347	2563	Contd
91	Hotel ..	*Bombay*— Hotel Palace Ajanta (Pub.).	*Wages*— Demand for Dearness Allowances.	23rd December 1972.	....	95	..	760	760	Contd.
92	Cattle food ..	*Bombay*— The Maharashtra Agso-Industries Development Corporation Ltd. (Pvt.).	*Wages*— Demand for increement in Salary.	26th December 1972.	27th December 1972.	51	..	102	102	Unsuccessful.
93	Engineering ..	*Bombay*— Walambia Engineering Works (Pvt.).	*Wages*— Demand for increase in wages.	18th December 1972.	21st December 1972.	21	..	63	63	Unsuccessful
94	Textile ..	*Sholapur*— Vyankatesh Pogul & Others (Pvt.).	*Personnel*— Demand for reinstatement of discharged workers.	16th November 1972.	2nd December 1972.	125	..	250	1,813	Unsuccessful.

		concern (Pvt.)	D.A	ber 1972	ber 1972.	222	....	2,886	5,392	Successful
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89	Motor vehicle	*Bombay*— Swastik Petrochem and Auto Industries and three other companies (Pvt.)	*Personnel*— Demand for reinstatement of terminated workers.	10th December 1972.	....	21	..	399	399	Continuous.
90	Motor vehicle	*Thana*— Simac Group (India) Pvt. Ltd. (Pvt.).	*Personnel*— Protest against lay off and retrenchment.	28th November 1972.	....	97	..	2347	2563	Contd
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STATEMENT OF AGRICULTURAL WAGES IN URBAN AREAS DURING JANUARY, 1973.

Division	BOMBAY									POONA					
District	Thana		Kolaba		Ratnagiri	Nasik		Dhulia	Jal-gaon	Ahmednagar		Poona	Sangli	Shola-pur	Kolha-pur
Village	Kalyan	Palghar	Alibag	Mahad	Ratnagiri	Nasik	Malegaon	Nan-durbar	Jalgaon	Shev-gaon	Shriram-pur	Poona	Miraj	Shola-pur	Ichal-karanji
Normal Working Hours.		(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.	Rs. P.	I.N.R.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.	I.N.R.	I.N.R.	I.N.R.	I.N.R.	I.N.R.
Skilled Labour—															
(*a*) Carpenters ..		8·00				10·00	6·00		5·00	6·00					
(*b*) Blacksmiths ..		8·00				10·00	6·00		4·00	6·00					
(*c*) Mochies (Cobblers).		3·00				7·00	6·00		3·00	6·00					
ield Labour—															
a) Men ..		2·75				3·00	2·50		4·00	3·00					
b) Women ..		2·50				2·50	2·00		3·00	2·00					
c) Children ..		1·50				....	1·00		3·00	1·50					
ther Agricultural abour—															
a) Men ..		2·75				3·00	....		3·00	3·00					
b) Women ..		2·50				2·00	.. .		2·00	2·00					
c) Children ..		1·50				....	....		2·00	1·50					
erdsmen—															
a) Men ..		....				....	2·50		3·00	4·00					
b) Women ..															

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Division	BOMBAY									POONA					
District	Thana		Kolaba		Ratnagiri	Nasik		Dhulia	Jal-gaon	Ahmednagar		Poona	Sangli	Shola-pur	Kolha-pur
Village	Kalyan	Palghar	Alibag	Mahad	Ratnagiri	Nasik	Malegaon	Nan-durbar	Jalgaon	Shev-gaon	Shriram-pur	Poona	Miraj	Shola-pur	Ichal-karanji
Normal Working Hours.		(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.	Rs. P.	I.N.R.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.	I.N.R.	I.N.R.	I.N.R.	I.N.R.	I.N.R.
Skilled Labour—															
(*a*) Carpenters ..		8·00				10·00	6·00		5·00	6·00					
(*b*) Blacksmiths ..		8·00				10·00	6·00		4·00	6·00					
(*c*) Mochies (Cobblers).		3·00				7·00	6·00		3·00	6·00					
ield Labour—															
a) Men ..		2·75				3·00	2·50		4·00	3·00					
b) Women ..		2·50				2·50	2·00		3·00	2·00					
c) Children ..		1·50				....	1·00		3·00	1·50					
ther Agricultural abour—															
a) Men ..		2·75				3·00	....		3·00	3·00					
b) Women ..		2·50				2·00	.. .		2·00	2·00					
c) Children ..		1·50				....	....		2·00	1·50					
erdsmen—															
a) Men ..		....				....	2·50		3·00	4·00					
b) Women ..															

Division	Aurangabad					Nagpur								
District	Aurangabad	Parbhani	Bhir	Nanded	Osmanabad	Buldhana	Akola	Amravati	Yeotmal	Wardha	Nagpur	Bhandara	Chandrapur	
Village	Aurangabad	Hingoli	Mominabad	Nanded	Bembli	Shegaon	Mangrulpir	Amravati	Digras	Wardha	Narkhed	Gondia	Warora	Desaigunj
Normal Working Hours.		(8)				(8)		(8)		(8)	(7)	(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.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.	I.N.R.	I.N.R.
Skilled Labour—														
(*a*) Carpenters ..		5·00				5·00		6·50		9·00	8·00	5·00		7·00
(*b*) Blacksmiths ..		7·00				5·00		6·50		8·00	6·00	5·00		5·00
(*c*) Mochies(Cobblers).		3·50				5·00		6·50		7·00	5·00	3·00		4·00
Field Labour—											(10)			
(*a*) Men ..		2·50				2·25		2·74		4·00	3·00	1·75		3·00
(*b*) Women ..		1·25				1·25		1·75		2·00	1·50	1·25		2·00
(*c*) Children ..		1·50				....		1·25		1·50	....	0·75		1·00
Other Agricultural Labour—											(8)			
(*a*) Men ..		7·00				2·25		2·50		3·50	3·00	2·00		....
(*b*) Women ..		1·50				1·25		1·50		2·00	2·00	1·25		....
(*c*) Children ..		1·50				....		1·80		1·50	2·00	0·75		....
Herdsmen—											(10)			
(*a*) Men ..		3·00				....		2·75		....	2·50	1·50		3·00
(*b*) Women ..		....				....		1·25		....	1·50	....		1·50
(*c*) Children ..		....				....		1·00		....	1·00	....		1·00

I.N.R.—Information not received.

Division	Aurangabad					Nagpur								
District	Aurangabad	Parbhani	Bhir	Nanded	Osmanabad	Buldhana	Akola	Amravati	Yeotmal	Wardha	Nagpur	Bhandara	Chandrapur	
Village	Aurangabad	Hingoli	Mominabad	Nanded	Bembli	Shegaon	Mangrulpir	Amravati	Digras	Wardha	Narkhed	Gondia	Warora	Desaigunj
Normal Working Hours.		(8)				(8)		(8)		(8)	(7)	(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.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.	I.N.R.	I.N.R.
Skilled Labour—														
(*a*) Carpenters ..		5·00				5·00		6·50		9·00	8·00	5·00		7·00
(*b*) Blacksmiths ..		7·00				5·00		6·50		8·00	6·00	5·00		5·00
(*c*) Mochies(Cobblers).		3·50				5·00		6·50		7·00	5·00	3·00		4·00
Field Labour—											(10)			
(*a*) Men ..		2·50				2·25		2·74		4·00	3·00	1·75		3·00
(*b*) Women ..		1·25				1·25		1·75		2·00	1·50	1·25		2·00
(*c*) Children ..		1·50				....		1·25		1·50	....	0·75		1·00
Other Agricultural Labour—											(8)			
(*a*) Men ..		7·00				2·25		2·50		3·50	3·00	2·00		....
(*b*) Women ..		1·50				1·25		1·50		2·00	2·00	1·25		....
(*c*) Children ..		1·50				....		1·80		1·50	2·00	0·75		....
Herdsmen—											(10)			
(*a*) Men ..		3·00				....		2·75		....	2·50	1·50		3·00
(*b*) Women ..		....				....		1·25		....	1·50	....		1·50
(*c*) Children ..		....				....		1·00		....	1·00	....		1·00

I.N.R.—Information not received.

STATEMENT OF AGRICULTURAL WAGES IN RURAL AREAS DURING JANUARY, 1973—contd.

Division	BOMBAY												POONA					
District	Thana		Kolaba	Ratnagiri	Nasik		Dhulia			Jalgaon			Ahmednagar			Poona	Satara	
Village	Tanashi	Dolkhamb	Mangaon	Masure	Lasalgaon	Pimpalgaon	Talode	Pimpalner	Kapadne	Wagholi	Rotwad	Chinnawal	Rashin	Deolali	Kalaskhurd	Junnar	Kelghar	Budh
Normal Working Hours							(8)		(8)			(8)	(8)		(8)			
Type of Labour	I.N.R.	I.N.R.	I.N.R.	I.N.R.	I.N.R.	I.N.R.	Rs. P.	I.N.R.	Rs. P.	I.N.R.	I.N.R.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.	I.N.R.	Rs. P.	I.N.R.	I.N.R.	I.N.R.
Skilled Labour—																		
(*a*) Carpenters ..							6·00		6·00			6·00	8·00		4·50			
(*b*) Blacksmiths ..							6·00		5·00			6.00	6·00		4·00			
(*c*) Mochies (Cobblers). ..							6·00		5·00			6·00	5·00		3·00			
Field Labour—																		
(*a*) Men ..							2·50		3·00			3.00	2·50		3·50			
(*b*) Women ..							2·00		2·50			1·50	2·00		2·00			
(*c*) Children ..							1·50		2·00			1.00	1·50		1·50			
Other Agricultural Labour—																		
(*a*) Men ..							2·50		3·00			3·00	2·50		3·50			
(*b*) Women ..							2·00		2·50			2.00	2·00		2·00			
(*c*) Children ..							1·50		2·00			1.00	1·50		1·50			
Herdsmen—																		
(*a*) Men ..							2·50		....			....	....		4·50			
(*b*) Women ..							2·00		....			....	....		3·00			
(*c*) Children ..							1·50		....			....	....		2·50			

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Division	BOMBAY												POONA					
District	Thana		Kolaba	Ratnagiri	Nasik		Dhulia			Jalgaon			Ahmednagar			Poona	Satara	
Village	Tanashi	Dolkhamb	Mangaon	Masure	Lasalgaon	Pimpalgaon	Talode	Pimpalner	Kapadne	Wagholi	Rotwad	Chinnawal	Rashin	Deolali	Kalaskhurd	Junnar	Kelghar	Budh
Normal Working Hours							(8)		(8)			(8)	(8)		(8)			
Type of Labour	I.N.R.	I.N.R.	I.N.R.	I.N.R.	I.N.R.	I.N.R.	Rs. P.	I.N.R.	Rs. P.	I.N.R.	I.N.R.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.	I.N.R.	Rs. P.	I.N.R.	I.N.R.	I.N.R.
Skilled Labour—																		
(*a*) Carpenters ..							6·00		6·00			6·00	8·00		4·50			
(*b*) Blacksmiths ..							6·00		5·00			6.00	6·00		4·00			
(*c*) Mochies (Cobblers). ..							6·00		5·00			6·00	5·00		3·00			
Field Labour—																		
(*a*) Men ..							2·50		3·00			3.00	2·50		3·50			
(*b*) Women ..							2·00		2·50			1·50	2·00		2·00			
(*c*) Children ..							1·50		2·00			1.00	1·50		1·50			
Other Agricultural Labour—																		
(*a*) Men ..							2·50		3·00			3·00	2·50		3·50			
(*b*) Women ..							2·00		2·50			2.00	2·00		2·00			
(*c*) Children ..							1·50		2·00			1.00	1·50		1·50			
Herdsmen—																		
(*a*) Men ..							2·50		....			....	....		4·50			
(*b*) Women ..							2·00		....			....	....		3·00			
(*c*) Children ..							1·50		....			....	....		2·50			

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DIVISION	POONA					AURANGABAD				NAGPUR								
District	Sangli		Sholapur	Kolhapur		Aurangabad	Parbhani	Bhir	Nanded	Osmanabad	Buldhana	Akola	Yeotmal	Wardha	Nagpur	Bhandara	Amravati	Chandrapur	
Village	Jath	Atpadi Charan	Hajapur	Gargoti	Kadoli	Phulmarin	Pingali	Amalner	Loha	Latur	Mera Bk.	Akoli	Babulgaon	Seloo	Fetri	Sakoli	Khalapur	Mul	Brahmapuri
Normal Working Hours.		(8)	(8)								(8)			(8)	(8)	(8)	(8)	(8)	(8)
Type of Labour	I.N.R.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.	I.N.R.	I.N.R.	I.N.R.	I.N.R.	I.N.R.	I.N.R.	I.N.R.	Rs. P.	I.N.R.	I.N.R.	I.N.R.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.	I.N.R.	I.N.R.
Skilled Labour—																			
(a) Carpenters.		6·00	5·00								....			6·00	6·00	5·00	6·00	7·00	5·00
(b) Blacksmiths.		5·00	5·00								....			5·00	6·00	4·00	6·00	7·00	....
(c) Mochies (Cobblers.)		....	1·00								....			3·00	6·00	4·00	6·00	3·25	....
Field Labour—															(10)				
(a) Men ..		2·50	2·50								2·00			3·00	3·00	2·50	2·50	2·50	3·00
(b) Women ..		2·00	2·00								1·00			1·00	2·00	1·50	1.50	2·00	2·00
(c) Children ..		....	1·00								1·00			1·00	1·25	1·50	1·00	....	1·50
Other Agricultural Labour—															(8)				
(a) Men ..		....	2·50								2·00			3·00	2·50	2·50	2·00	2·50	2·50
(b) Women ..		....	2·00								1·00			1·00	1·50	1·50	1·00	1·50	2·50
(c) Children ..		....	1·00								1·00			1·00	1·00	1·00	0·75	....	1·00
Herdsmen—															(10)				
(a) Men ..		2·50	2·50								....			2·50	3·00	2·00	2·00	2·50	....
(b) Women ..		2·00	2·00								....			....	1·50	1·50	1·00	1·50	....
(c) Children ..		....	1·00								....				1·25	1·00	0·75	1·50	....

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Village	Jath	Atpadi Charan	Hajapur	Gargoti	Kadoli	Phulmarin	Pingali	Amalner	Loha	Latur	Mera Bk.	Akoli	Babulgaon	Seloo	Fetri	Sakoli	Khalapur	Mul	Brahmapuri
Normal Working Hours.		(8)	(8)								(8)			(8)	(8)	(8)	(8)	(8)	(8)
Type of Labour	I.N.R.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.	I.N.R.	I.N.R.	I.N.R.	I.N.R.	I.N.R.	I.N.R.	I.N.R.	Rs. P.	I.N.R.	I.N.R.	I.N.R.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.	I.N.R.	I.N.R.
Skilled Labour—																			
(a) Carpenters.		6·00	5·00								....			6·00	6·00	5·00	6·00	7·00	5·00
(b) Blacksmiths.		5·00	5·00								....			5·00	6·00	4·00	6·00	7·00	....
(c) Mochies (Cobblers.)		....	1·00								....			3·00	6·00	4·00	6·00	3·25	....
Field Labour—															(10)				
(a) Men ..		2·50	2·50								2·00			3·00	3·00	2·50	2·50	2·50	3·00
(b) Women ..		2·00	2·00								1·00			1·00	2·00	1·50	1.50	2·00	2·00
(c) Children ..		....	1·00								1·00			1·00	1·25	1·50	1·00	....	1·50
Other Agricultural Labour—															(8)				
(a) Men ..		....	2·50								2·00			3·00	2·50	2·50	2·00	2·50	2·50
(b) Women ..		....	2·00								1·00			1·00	1·50	1·50	1·00	1·50	2·50
(c) Children ..		....	1·00								1·00			1·00	1·00	1·00	0·75	....	1·00
Herdsmen—															(10)				
(a) Men ..		2·50	2·50								....			2·50	3·00	2·00	2·00	2·50	....
(b) Women ..		2·00	2·00								....			....	1·50	1·50	1·00	1·50	....
(c) Children ..		....	1·00								....				1·25	1·00	0·75	1·50	....

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Articles	Unit of Quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Inde
			Basic Price	Dec. 1972	Jan. 1973	Dec. 1972
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.	
(h) *Fruits and fruit Products*—						
Banana—						
Medium ..	Doz. ..	1·14	0·32	0·88	0·88	27
Total ..		1·14				
Index Number sub-group I(h).						27
(I) *Sugar, Honey and Related Product*—						
(1) Sugar—						
Medium	Kg. ..	3·45	1·17	2·15	2·15	184
(2) Gur—						
Superior	,, ..	1·81	0·46	2·18	2·07	474
Total ..		5·26				
Index Number sub-group I(I)						284
(J) *Beverages*—						
(1) Tea leaf—						
Brooke Bond ..	50 gms. ..	1·86	0·41	0·57	0·57	139
(2) Prepared Tea—						
Chalu Chaha ..	Cup ..	4·28	0·08	0·18	0·18	225
Total .		6·14				
Index Number sub-group I(J).						19
Food Group—						
(a) Cereals and cereal products.	....	48·20				283
(b) Pulses and pulse products.	....	7·86				352
(c) Oils and fats ..	....	5·97				24
(d) Mutton, fish and eggs.	....	4·94				198
(e) Milk and Milk products.	....	6·65				188
(f) Condiments and spices.	....	7·83				272
(g) Vegetables and vegetable products.	....	6·01				188
(h) Fruits and fruit products.	....	1·14				273
(I) Sugar, honey and related products.	....	5·26				284
(J) Beverages ..	....	6·14				

CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBERS FOR WORKING CLASS FOR POONA CITY

Articles	Unit of Quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Price per unit of quantity			Inde
			Basic price	Dec. 1972	Jan. 1973	Dec. 1972
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
			Rs. P.	Rs. P.	Rs. P.	
(ङ) *Condiments and Spices*—						
Salt White (Medium) ..	Kg. ..	0·16	0·11	0·23	0·23	20
Chillies (Dry) Gawaran Medium.	250 g. ..	2·04	0·47	1·38	1·39	29
Termeric, Sangli and Akhi (Medium).	,, ..	0·15	0·33	0·90	0·90	27
Tamarind-Old Chinch No. I.	Kg. ..	0·24	1·08	2·47	2·48	22
Mixed Spices—						
Garam Masal ..	50 g. ..	3·27	0·84	2·48	2·49	29
Total ..		5·86				
Index Number for Sub-group I (ङ).						28
(g) *Vegetables and Vegetable Products*—						
Potatoes—						
Big size ..	½ Kg. ..	1·87	0·29	0·56	0·47	
Small Size ..	,, ..	....	0·23	0·48	0·37	20
Onions—						
Big Size	Kg. ..	0·92	0·31	1·05	0·86	
Small Size ..	,, ..	....	0·24	0·96	0·67	36
Brinjals—Big Size ..	,, ..	0·56	0·49	1·13	0·92	23
Tomatoes Medium Red No. 2.	,, ..	0·77	0·79	1·50	1·44	19
Other vegetables ..						
Varieties selected for Dec. 1972—						
(*i*) Cabbage ..	Kg. ..	4·42	0·47	1·02		
(*ii*) Cauli Flower ..	,, ..	....	0·68	1·09	....	20
(*iii*) Gawar ..	,, ..	....	0·51	1·26		
Varieties selected for Jan. 1973—						
(*i*) Cabbage ..	Kg. ..	....	0·55		1·00	
(*ii*) Dauli Flower ..	,, ..	....	0·49		1·17	
(*iii*) Gawar ..	,, ..	....	0·51		1·50	
Total ..		8·54				
Index Number for Sub-group I (g).						22
(h) *Fruits and Fruit Products*—						
Banana—						
Big Size	Doz	1·23	0·49	0·98	0·96	
Small Size ..			0·39			20

Name of the Court	Total No. of applications etc., received during the month	Break-up of the applications receive		
		Industrial Disputes Act, 1947	Bombay Industrial Relations Act, 1946	
1	2	3	4	
		No.	No.	N
(2) Labour Courts, Poona.	72	19 Under sections 10, 10A, 12(5), 33A and 33B. .. Under section 33 (2)(b). 38 Under section 33 C(2). .. Under section 36-A. .. Miscellaneous application.	.. Illegal strike and lockout. 1 Illegal change. .. Criminal Complai .. Submissions. .. References. 9 Miscellaneous applications. 5 Remanded appeals	
	Total ..	57	15	
(3) Labour Court, Kolhapur.	36	3 Under sections 10, 10A, 12(5), 33A and 33B. .. Under section 33 (2)(b). 24 Under section 33 C(2). .. Under section 36-A. 1 Miscellaneous application.	.. Illegal strikes and lockouts. 4 Illegal change. .. Criminal complaint. .. Submissions. .. References. 4 Miscellaneous applications.	
	Total ..	28	8	
(4) Labour Courts, Nagpur.	126	17 Under sections 10, 10A, 12(5), 33A and 33B. 7 Under section 33 (2)(b). 73 Under section 33 C(2). .. Under section 36 A. 3 Miscellaneous applications.	.. Illegal strikes and lockouts. 10 Illegal changes. .. Criminal complaints. .. .. Submissions. .. References. 16 Miscellaneous applications.	

Category	No. of Registration affected during the month	No. of placements affected during the month	No. on Live Register at the end of the month
1	2	3	4
1. Blind	8	3	149
2. Deaf and Dumb	4	..	26
3. Orthopaedically Handicapped ..	55	8	1,189
4. Respiratory Disorder	....	....	....
Total ..	67	11	1,364

VII. **Staff Training :**

Out of 30 Exchanges, staff training classes were held at 21 Exchanges.

VIII. **Inspection :**

Nil

IX. Conference and Meetings :

Meeting of the Special Committee to examine the fairness of submission were held at Dhulia and Sangli.

XI. Publicity and Public Relation :

District Employment Officer, Ratnagiri delivered a talk to students of B.Ed. College, Ratnagiri on working of Employment Exchange.

District Employment Officer , Bhandara delivered a talk on "Interviews" to the students of the local J. M. Patel College.

XII. Any other item of Interest.

Work done by University Information and Guidance Bureau during the month of January 1973.

Name of University	Regn.	Vacancies notified	Placements obtained	No. on Live Register
(1) U.E.I. & G.B. Bombay ..	24	21	21	4,041
(2) U.E.I. & G.B. Poona ..	17	2	8	469
(3) U.E.I. & G.B. Nagpur ..	64	45	10	1,061
			1	203