

Government Notice No. 84 of 2026

THE EMPLOYMENT RELATIONS ACT

**Regulations made by the Minister under section 94 of
the Employment Relations Act**

1. These regulations may be cited as the Private Secondary Schools Employees (Remuneration) (Amendment) Regulations 2026.
2. In these regulations –
“principal regulations” means the Private Secondary Schools Employees (Remuneration) Regulations 2019.
3. Regulation 3 of the principal regulations is amended –
 - (a) by revoking paragraph (3) and replacing it by the following paragraph –
 - (3) The rates specified in the Second Schedule include the additional remuneration payable under the Workers’ Rights (Additional Remuneration) (2025) Regulations 2025 and the Workers’ Rights (Additional Remuneration) (2026) Regulations 2026.
 - (b) in paragraph (3A), in subparagraph (a), by deleting the words “Second Schedule” and replacing them by the words “Second Schedule prevailing as at December 2023”;
 - (c) by adding the following new paragraph –
 - (3H) The monthly basic wage or salary, as from 1 January 2026, shall, in respect of –
 - (a) a Diploma holder specified in paragraph (3E), be not less than 24,245 rupees;

(b) a Degree holder specified in paragraph (3E),
be not less than 26,245 rupees.

4. The Second Schedule to the principal regulations is revoked and replaced by the Second Schedule set out in the Schedule to these regulations.

5. These regulations shall be deemed to have come into operation on 1 January 2026.

Made by the Minister on 4 May 2026.

SCHEDULE

[Regulation 4]

SECOND SCHEDULE

[Regulations 3 and 6]

Category of employee	Year of service	Monthly basic wage (Rs)
Principal		26,245
1. Teachers, other than instructors		
(1) Graduate	1 st year & thereafter	26,245
(2) Non-Graduate grade I Non-Graduate grade II Non-Graduate grade III	1 st year & thereafter	24,245
(3) Non-Graduate grade IV	1 st year & thereafter	17,745
2. Instructors		
(1) Instructor grade I	1 st year & thereafter	24,245
(2) Instructor grade II	1 st year	17,745
	2 nd year	17,745
	3 rd year	17,745
	4 th year	17,745
	5 th year	17,745
	6 th year	17,808
	7 th year	17,929
	8 th year	18,068

Category of employee	Year of service	Monthly basic wage (Rs)
(2) Instructor grade II	9 th year	18,202
	10 th year	18,307
	11 th year	18,421
	12 th year	18,627
	13 th year & thereafter	18,805
3. Other employees		
(1) Clerk Typist Secretary Usher or Librarian Laboratory Attendant Workshop Attendant	1 st year & thereafter	17,745
(2) Caretaker Cleaner Gardener	1 st year & thereafter	17,745