



शिक्षता प्रशिक्षण बोर्ड, (दक्षिणी क्षेत्र)

BOARD OF APPRENTICESHIP TRAINING (SOUTHERN REGION)

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To,

All Establishments & other Stakeholders of NATS.

Sub: Revision of Central Govt. share of stipend payable to apprentices under direct benefit transfer.

Dear Sir/Madam,

This notice refer to the Govt. of India's announcement vide GSR 610(E) published on 13.09.2025 enhancing the rate of monthly stipend payable to the apprentices by the establishment.

In this regard, in accordance with the directive vide Letter No.16-13/2026-TS. VII from Ministry of Education, Govt. of India, it is hereby informed that the rate of stipend under NATS has been revised with effect from 01.04.2026.

Revised rate of stipends are as under:

Category	Existing Stipend (per month) w.e.f 01.04.2021	Revised Stipend (per month) as per gazette notification
Technician (vocational) apprentice or Vocational Certificate holder or Sandwich Course (Students from Diploma Institutions)	Rs.7,000	Rs.9,600
Technician apprentices or diploma holder in any stream or sandwich course (Students from Degree Institutions)	Rs.8,000	Rs.10,900
Graduate apprentices or Degree apprentices or Degree in any stream	Rs.9,000	Rs.12,300

These rates are the minimum stipend amounts payable to apprentices under NATS. Out of the total stipend, 50% of the amount will be borne by the Government as per existing guidelines.

All the establishments and other stakeholders are accordingly advised to take cognizance of this notice & act accordingly.


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