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L.D.—O. 25/2019

AN ACT TO AMEND THE NATIONAL MINIMUM WAGE OF WORKERS  
ACT, NO. 3 OF 2016

BE it enacted by the Parliament of the Democratic Socialist  
Republic of Sri Lanka as follows:—

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| <p><b>1.</b> This Act may be cited as the National Minimum Wage of Workers (Amendment) Act, No. 16 of 2021.</p> <p><b>2.</b> Section 3 of the National Minimum Wage of Workers Act, No. 3 of 2016 is hereby amended in subsection (1) thereof by the substitution for the words, “shall be ten thousand rupees and the national minimum daily wage of a worker shall be four hundred rupees” of the words, “shall be twelve thousand five hundred rupees and the national minimum daily wage of a worker shall be five hundred rupees.”.</p> <p><b>3.</b> In the event of any inconsistency between the Sinhala and Tamil texts of this Act, the Sinhala text shall prevail.</p> | <p>Short title</p> <p>Amendment of<br/>section 3 of Act,<br/>No. 3 of 2016</p> <p>Sinhala text to<br/>prevail in case<br/>of inconsistency</p> |
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