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PLATFORM WORKERS ACT 2024

PLATFORM WORKERS (PLATFORM WORKER RECORDS AND EARNINGS SLIPS) REGULATIONS 2024

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In exercise of the powers conferred by section 96 of the Platform Workers Act 2024, the Minister for Manpower makes the following Regulations:

Citation and commencement

1. These Regulations are the Platform Workers (Platform Worker Records and Earnings Slips) Regulations 2024 and come into operation on 1 January 2025.

Definitions

2. In these Regulations —

"earnings period", in relation to a platform worker, means the period, determined by a platform operator, in respect of which the earnings of the platform worker from his or her provision of a platform service for the platform operator are payable;

- "identity card", for an individual, means an identity card issued to the individual under the National Registration Act 1965;
- "specified record" means a record made and kept under section 13(1) of the Act.

Application of Regulations

3. These Regulations apply to and in relation to every platform worker, and every individual who becomes a platform worker on or after 1 January 2025.

Platform worker records — content

- **4.**—(1) For the purposes of section 13(1) of the Act, the prescribed particulars that must be contained in the specified records made by a platform operator are all the matters specified in the First Schedule.
- (2) Every specified record relating to a platform worker of a platform operator must be made, starting from
 - (a) 1 January 2025; or
 - (b) the first day on which the platform worker provides a platform service for the platform operator, if that day is after 1 January 2025.

Platform worker records — retention period

- 5.—(1) For the purposes of section 13(1) of the Act
 - (a) the record retention period for a specified record relating to a platform worker of a platform operator is, for each entry made to a platform worker record, a period of 2 years after the entry is made; and
 - (b) the record retention period for a specified record relating to a former platform worker of a platform operator is a period of 2 years after the date of the last task performed by the former platform worker for the platform operator.
- (2) In paragraph (1), "former platform worker" has the meaning given by section 13(1)(b) of the Act.

Earnings slip — time of giving

- **6.** For the purposes of section 14(1) of the Act, a platform operator must give to a platform worker an earnings slip within the following time:
 - (a) if the earnings slip is in respect of one task performed by the platform worker for the platform operator not later than 2 months starting on the date the platform worker performed the task;
 - (b) if the earnings slip is in respect of 2 or more tasks performed by the platform worker for the platform operator not later than 2 months starting on the date the platform worker performed the earliest task to which the earnings slip relates.

Earnings slip — content

- 7. For the purposes of section 14(3) of the Act, an earnings slip must
 - (a) include a statement to the effect that it is a document in respect of the earnings of a platform worker; and
 - (b) contain all the information specified in the Second Schedule.

FIRST SCHEDULE

Regulation 4(1)

PARTICULARS TO BE CONTAINED IN SPECIFIED RECORD

- 1. Platform worker's personal particulars consisting of the following:
 - (a) name as specified on the platform worker's identity card or passport;
 - (b) date of birth;
 - (c) identity card number.
- 2. Platform worker's earnings record consisting of the following:
 - (a) first and last days of each earnings period;
 - (b) amount of earnings paid to platform worker during each earnings period, including (if applicable) amount of allowances and other additional payments during each earnings period;

FIRST SCHEDULE — continued

- (c) amount deducted from earnings of platform worker for each earnings period for contributions in accordance with the Central Provident Fund Act 1953 in respect of platform worker;
- (d) if applicable, amount refunded to platform worker in accordance with paragraph 13(3) of the Fourth Schedule to the Central Provident Fund Act 1953;
- (e) if applicable, amount of any other deductions from earnings of platform worker during each earnings period;
- (f) net amount paid to platform worker for each earnings period;
- (g) date of issue of every earnings slip.

SECOND SCHEDULE

Regulation 7(b)

INFORMATION IN EARNINGS SLIP

- 1. Platform operator's name
 - (a) for a platform operator who is an individual, as specified on the identity card or passport of the platform operator; or
 - (b) for a platform operator that is not an individual
 - (i) as specified on any register or official record kept under any written law; or
 - (ii) where sub-paragraph (i) is not applicable, the name in which the platform operator entered into a platform work agreement with the platform worker.
- 2. Platform operator's trade name if different from that in item 1.
- 3. Platform worker's name as specified on the platform worker's identity card or passport.
- 4. Platform worker's earnings record consisting of the following:
 - (a) first and last days of each earnings period;
 - (b) amount of earnings paid to platform worker during each earnings period, including (if applicable) amount of allowances and other additional payments during each earnings period;
 - (c) amount deducted from earnings of platform worker for each earnings period for contributions in accordance with the Central Provident Fund Act 1953 in respect of platform worker;

SECOND SCHEDULE — continued

- (d) if applicable, amount refunded to platform worker in accordance with paragraph 13(3) of the Fourth Schedule to the Central Provident Fund Act 1953;
- (e) if applicable, amount of any other deductions from earnings of platform worker during each earnings period;
- (f) net amount paid to platform worker for each earnings period;
- (g) date of issue of every earnings slip.

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