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## MINISTRY OF LAW AND JUSTICE
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*New Delhi, the* 29*th March*, 2018/*Chaitra* 8, 1940 (*Saka*)

The following Act of Parliament received the assent of the President on the 28th March, 2018, and is hereby published for general information:—

# THE PAYMENT OF GRATUITY (AMENDMENT) ACT, 2018

NO. 12 OF 2018

[28*th March*, 2018.]

An Act further to amend the Payment of Gratuity Act, 1972.

BE it enacted by Parliament in the Sixty-ninth Year of the Republic of India as follows:—

Short title and commencement.

**1.** (*1*) This Act may be called the Payment of Gratuity (Amendment) Act, 2018.

(*2*) It shall come into force on such date as the Central Government may, by notification in the Official Gazette, appoint.

39 of 1972.

Amendment of section 2.

**2.** In the Payment of Gratuity Act, 1972 (hereinafter referred to as the principal Act), in section 2, for clause (*k*), the following clause shall be substituted, namely:—

'(*k*) "notification" means a notification published in the Official Gazette and the expression "notified" shall be construed accordingly;'.

Amendment of section 2A.

**3.** In section 2A of the principal Act, in sub-section (*2*), in the *Explanation*, in clause (*iv*), for the words "twelve weeks", the words "such period as may be notified by the Central Government from time to time" shall be substituted.

Amendment of section 4.

**4.** In section 4 of the principal Act, in sub-section (*3*), for the words "ten lakh rupees", the words "such amount as may be notified by the Central Government from time to time" shall be substituted.

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DR. G. NARAYANA RAJU,
*Secretary to the Govt. of India.*

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