All Addl. General Managers,
Deputy General Managers,
Asst. General Managers, Project Directors,
Managers/ Chief Engineers/ Chief Accountants,
Chief Quantity Surveyor,
Secretary to the Board Management, Chemists/ Sociologists,
Other Heads of Divisions including OICs,

## Revision of NWSDB Rates 2021.

The rates of NWSDB 2021 rate book was subjected to a revision after 3 months period of initial publication due to the current volatile market situation. Therefore, mainly considering the freight rate increase in the global shipping industry and the FOB increases due to the material price increase, relevant rates of the 2021 rate book was revised. Further, overall impact from the steel price increase and other influences in local market and small deviation of the exchange rate increase of USD also have considered for the rate revision. New base exchange rate of USD is LKR 203.00 and Euro is LKR 233.00.

Moreover, as per the board circular issued by NWSDB General Manager dated on 15th of November 2021, "Opening of Letter of Credit for the Foreign Component of Supplies", relevant to the Letter of Credit (LC) openings for the NWSDB projects has considered for the rate revisions of supply items as well.

Accordingly, the rates in NWSDB 2021 rate book shall be revised as given in the following table until another review or issuance of 2022 rate book.

DI supply revised tables, Day Work and Basic rates of labour are attached here with.

Rate Book Section	Sub Section	Increase Percentage			
			Supply Items		
		Other	LC Processed by NWSDB	LC Processed by Contractor	
Reinforcement		25%			
Building Works (Excluding Reinforcements)		8%			
Water Retaining Structures (Excluding Reinforcements)	Provision of concrete - Ready mixed	7%			
	Provision of concrete - Machine mixed	14%			
	Dowels	14%			
	Other	4%			
Piling (Excluding Reinforcements)		4%			
Roads		4%			
Mechanical, Electrical, Automation and Associated	Pumps & Air Blowers		4%	6%	
Items	MOV		3%	6%	

Rate Book Section	Sub Section	Increase Percentage			
			Supply Items		
	Sub Section	Other	LC Processed by NWSDB	LC Processed by Contractor	
Mechanical, Electrical,	Electromagnetic Flow Meter		3%	6%	
Automation and Associated Items (Contd.)	Elevators		3%	7%	
	Solar System		5%	8%	
	Electrical Panel Boards		6%	8%	
	Cables (Excluding Contractor's mark-up)		8%	11%	
	Generators		4%	7%	
Stainless Steel Works	SS 316		4%	6%	
	SS 304		23%	25%	
PVC Pipes Fittings and	PVC Pipes	25%			
Accessories	PVC Fittings & Specials	30%	•		
GI Pipes and Fittings		12%			
Installation of PVC, DI, HDPE, GI and Hume Pipes, Fittings and Accessories		2%			
Ferro Cement		10%			
Hume Pipes		6%			
Fire Protection & Detection System		6%			
Pipe Work (Common)	Chambers	20%			
	Thrust Blocks	8%			

Description	LC open by the NWSDB			LC open by the Contractor or Supplier		
	FOB Cost	CIF Cost	Supply Cost	FOB Cost	CIF Cost	Supply Cost
HDPE All Pipes, Fittings & Accessories	4.3%	6%	6%	4.3%	6%	10%
DI Supply Graphs	3%	5%	6%	3%	5%	11%

**General Manager** 

CC:

- 1. Chairman
- 2. Vice Chairman
- 3. DGM (Audit)

## Attachments,

- 1. DI Pipes, Fittings & Accessories
- 2. Day Work Labour Rates
- 3. Basic Labour Rates
- 4. Valves & Associated Items

Soft copy available in NWSDB Website > Restricted Links > Annual Rate Books.