# 83. STATE TRADING CORPORATION

- 83.1 The State Trading Corporation (STC) operates under the *aegis* of the Ministry of Labour, Human Resource Development and Training, and Commerce and Consumer Protection. Its main objectives are, among others, to import and supply strategic products; enhance the logistics to secure continuity of supply of strategic products; ensure end-to-end customer excellence whilst safeguarding the environment; drive the development of a petroleum hub; and optimise the use of technology to improve processes and quality of service.
- 83.2 Being the trading arm of the Government, the STC is responsible for importing other basic and strategic commodities (apart from Ration rice and wheat flour), such as petroleum products, liquefied petroleum gas, Basmati Rice and whole wheat flour. Besides its core activities, the STC is often called upon by Government to intervene in case of abnormal high pricing of a commodity or when market forces cannot respond effectively. It operates on a non-profit making basis.
- A General Manager, being at the apex, is responsible for the execution of the policy of the Corporation and for the control and management of its day-to-day business. He is supported by a complement of staff belonging to the professional, technical, administrative, general services and manual grades.
- 83.4 For this review, the representations of Unions relate to: the provision of appropriate training in Stores Management; filling of vacancies; review of conditions of service; payment of risk allowance to certain grades; and grant of duty free facilities for the purchase of a car. These requests were lengthily discussed during meeting and staff side were informed of those requests which should be dealt with administratively by Management.
- During consultation, Management did not canvass on any requests made in its submissions but rather expatiated that the STC should cease to be under the purview of the Bureau. From Management's submissions, the Bureau noted that requests pertain to restructure the Supply Cadre; review and align salary scales of some grades to what obtains in State-Owned enterprises; create levels; restyle certain positions; and grant duty free facilities to some grades.
- 83.6 The Bureau apprised Management that its demand to cease to be under its purview is not in line with the principle of the Public Sector Business Transformation Strategy and they should seek approval of the Cabinet. However, certain general issues were deliberated and Management was informed that a holistic approach would be adopted.
- 83.7 In the given circumstances, we consider the existing structure to be fit for purpose and are providing for the revised salaries of the existing grades.

# 83. STATE TRADING CORPORATION SALARY SCHEDULE

STC 1 : Rs 13745 x 230 - 13975 x 250 - 15225 x 260 - 17825 x 275 - 18925 x 300 - 19525 x 325 - 21475 x 375 - 22225

Handy Worker

STC 2 : Rs 14475 x 250 - 15225 x 260 - 17825 x 275 - 18925 x 300 - 19525 x 325 - 21475 x 375 - 22225 x 400 - 23425

Surveillant

formerly Security Guard

STC 3 : Rs 14725 x 250 - 15225 x 260 - 17825 x 275 - 18925 x 300 - 19525 x 325 - 21475 x 375 - 22225 x 400 - 23425 x 525 - 23950

Office Attendant

STC 4 : Rs 15485 x 260 - 17825 x 275 - 18925 x 300 - 19525 x 325 - 21475 x 375 - 22225 x 400 - 23425 x 525 - 23950

**Granary Operative** 

STC 5 : Rs 15485 x 260 - 17825 x 275 - 18925 x 300 - 19525 x 325 - 21475 x 375 - 22225 x 400 - 23425 x 525 - 26050 x 675 - 27400

Driver

STC 6 : Rs 15745 x 260 - 17825 x 275 - 18925 x 300 - 19525 x 325 - 21475 x 375 - 22225 x 400 - 23425 x 525 - 26050 x 675 - 27400 x 825 - 28225

Tradesman

STC 7 : Rs 16785 x 260 – 17825 x 275 – 18925 x 300 – 19525 x 325 – 21475 x 375 – 22225 x 400 – 23425 x 525 – 26050 x 675 – 27400 x 825 – 28225

Senior/Head Office Attendant

STC 8 : Rs 15225 x 260 - 17825 x 275 - 18925 x 300 - 19525 x 325 - 21475 x 375 - 22225 x 400 - 23425 x 525 - 26050 x 675 - 27400 x 825 - 29875

Receptionist/Telephone Operator

STC 9 : Rs 15745 x 260 - 17825 x 275 - 18925 x 300 - 19525 x 325 - 21475 x 375 -

22225 x 400 - 23425 x 525 - 26050 x 675 - 27400 x 825 - 29875

Forklift Driver

STC 10 : Rs 16525 x 260 - 17825 x 275 - 18925 x 300 - 19525 x 325 - 21475 x 375 - 22225 x 400 - 23425 x 525 - 26050 x 675 - 27400 x 825 - 34000

**Word Processing Operator** 

STC 11 : Rs 16785 x 260 – 17825 x 275 – 18925 x 300 – 19525 x 325 – 21475 x 375 – 22225 x 400 – 23425 x 525 – 26050 x 675 – 27400 x 825 – 34825

Clerical Officer/Higher Clerical Officer

STC 12 : Rs 20825 x 325 – 21475 x 375 – 22225 x 400 – 23425 x 525 – 26050 x 675 –

27400 x 825 - 34825

Chief Tradesman

Chief Tradesman (Fitter)

STC 13 : Rs 19225 x 300 – 19525 x 325 – 21475 x 375 – 22225 x 400 – 23425 x 525 –

26050 x 675 - 27400 x 825 - 35650 x 900 - 36550

Senior Word Processing Operator

STC 14 : Rs 16785 x 260 – 17825 x 275 – 18925 x 300 – 19525 x 325 – 21475 x 375 –

22225 x 400 - 23425 x 525 - 26050 x 675 - 27400 x 825 - 35650 x 900 -

37450

Supplies and Sales Officer

STC 15 : Rs 18925 x 300 - 19525 x 325 - 21475 x 375 - 22225 x 400 - 23425 x 525 -

26050 x 675 - 27400 x 825 - 35650 x 900 - 37450

Management Support Officer

STC 16 : Rs 19850 x 325 - 21475 x 375 - 22225 x 400 - 23425 x 525 - 26050 x 675 -

27400 x 825 - 35650 x 900 - 37450

**Executive Officer (Personal)** 

STC 17 : Rs 23425 x 525 – 26050 x 675 – 27400 x 825 – 35650 x 900 – 37450

Workshop Supervisor

STC 18 : Rs 19525 x 325 - 21475 x 375 - 22225 x 400 - 23425 x 525 - 26050 x 675 -

27400 x 825 - 35650 x 900 - 37450 x 950 - 42200 x 1300 - 43500

Clearing and Forwarding Officer

STC 19 : Rs 21475 x 375 - 22225 x 400 - 23425 x 525 - 26050 x 675 - 27400 x 825 -

35650 x 900 - 37450 x 950 - 42200 x 1300 - 43500

Confidential Secretary

STC 20 : Rs 24475 x 525 - 26050 x 675 - 27400 x 825 - 35650 x 900 - 37450 x 950 - 42200 x 1300 - 43500

Higher Executive Officer Higher Supplies and Sales Officer Procurement and Supply Officer

STC 21 : Rs 21850 x 375 - 22225 x 400 - 23425 x 525 - 26050 x 675 - 27400 x 825 - 35650 x 900 - 37450 x 950 - 42200 x 1300 - 46100 x 1575 - 47675

ICT Technician formerly IT Technician

STC 22 : Rs 30700 x 825 – 35650 x 900 – 37450 x 950 – 42200 x 1300 – 46100 x 1575 – 49250

Senior Supplies and Sales Officer

STC 23 : Rs 21850 x 375 - 22225 x 400 - 23425 x 525 - 26050 x 675 - 27400 x 825 - 35650 x 900 - 37450 x 950 - 42200 x 1300 - 46100 x 1575 - 49250 x 1650 - 50900

Safety and Health Officer/Senior Safety and Health Officer

STC 24 : Rs 23950 x 525 - 26050 x 675 - 27400 x 825 - 35650 x 900 - 37450 x 950 - 41250 QB 42200 x 1300 - 46100 x 1575 - 49250 x 1650 - 50900

**Accounting Technician** 

STC 25 : Rs 29875 x 825 – 35650 x 900 – 37450 x 950 – 42200 x 1300 – 46100 x 1575 – 49250 x 1650 – 52550

Office Superintendent

STC 26 : Rs 30700 x 825 - 35650 x 900 - 37450 x 950 - 42200 x 1300 - 46100 x 1575 - 49250 x 1650 - 54200 x 1700 - 57600

Senior Technical and Facilities Officer

STC 27 : Rs 35650 x 900 - 37450 x 950 - 42200 x 1300 - 46100 x 1575 - 49250 x 1650 - 54200 x 1700 - 57600

Principal Supplies and Sales Officer Senior Accounting Technician

STC 28 : Rs 21850 x 375 - 22225 x 400 - 23425 x 525 - 26050 x 675 - 27400 x 825 - 35650 x 900 - 37450 x 950 - 42200 x 1300 - 44800 QB 46100 x 1575 - 49250 x 1650 - 54200 x 1700 - 62700

Administrative Assistant

STC 29 : Rs 27400 x 825 – 35650 x 900 – 37450 x 950 – 42200 x 1300 – 46100 x 1575

- 49250 x 1650 - 54200 x 1700 - 62700

Communication Officer

STC 30 : Rs 28225 x 825 - 35650 x 900 - 37450 x 950 - 42200 x 1300 - 46100 x 1575

- 49250 x 1650 - 54200 x 1700 - 62700

Systems Administrator

Systems Analyst

STC 31 : Rs 30700 x 825 - 35650 x 900 - 37450 x 950 - 42200 x 1300 - 46100 x 1575

- 49250 x 1650 - 54200 x 1700 - 62700

**Human Resource Management Officer** 

**Internal Auditor** 

STC 32 : Rs 38400 x 950 - 42200 x 1300 - 46100 x 1575 - 49250 x 1650 - 54200 x

1700 - 62700

Chief Supplies and Sales Officer

STC 33 : Rs 30700 x 825 - 35650 x 900 - 37450 x 950 - 42200 x 1300 - 46100 x 1575

- 49250 x 1650 - 54200 x 1700 - 64400 x 1800 - 69800

Business Development Officer (Marketing)

Business Development Officer (Research and Development)

Commercial Analyst

Risk and Treasury Officer

STC 34 : Rs 40300 x 950 - 42200 x 1300 - 46100 x 1575 - 49250 x 1650 - 54200 x

1700 - 64400 x 1800 - 69800

Assistant Financial Manager

Human Resource Manager

Procurement Manager

Secretary

STC 35 : Rs 40300 x 950 - 42200 x 1300 - 46100 x 1575 - 49250 x 1650 - 54200 x

1700 – 64400 x 1800 – 69800 x 2000 – 75800 x 2150 – 77950

**Assistant Commercial Manager** 

Assistant Risk and Treasury Manager

**Audit Manager** 

IT Manager

STC 36 : Rs 68000 x 1800 - 69800 x 2000 - 75800 x 2150 - 82250 x 3000 - 88250 x 3125 - 94500

**Business Development Manager** 

Commercial Manager Financial Manager

Risk and Treasury Manager

STC 37 : Rs 119500

General Manager

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