GOVERNMENT NOTICES

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

No. 1131

4 December 2009

OCCUPATIONAL DISEASES IN MINES AND WORKS ACT, 1973: INCREASE OF LEVIES

I, Aaron Motsoaledi, Minister of Health, hereby, in terms of Section 62 of the Occupational Diseases in Mines and Works Act, 1973 (Act no. 78 of 1973), increase the levies which are payable from the controlled mines and works in terms of the said Act immediately with effect from 01 January 2010.

Levies will be increased per risk shift performed from an average amount of R1.75 to R3.06 (75%), as recommended by Actuaries and the Advisory Committee to the Compensation Commissioner (see the enclosed table).

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MINISTER OF HEALTH 9/11/2009

Proposed 2010 Levies (R/risk shift) by mine type		
Mine Type	New Rate (2010)	Current Rate
Andalusite	2.57	1.47
Asbestos	22.21	12.69
Coal	0.82	0.47
Copper	5.02	2.87
Diamond	2.77	1.58
Flourspar	2.49	1.42
Gold	4.08	2.33
Iron	2.57	1.47
Lead	2.94	1.68
Manganese	3.80	2.17
Mica & Felspar	2.17	1.24
Other	5.95	3.40
Phosphate	2.49	1.42
Platinum	1.02	0.58
Quarries	4.17	2.38
Unknown	11.95	6.83
Vanadium	2.17	1.24
Works	4.74	2.71
All Mines	3.0625	1.75