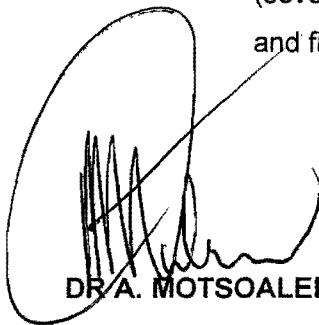

GOVERNMENT NOTICE

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH**No. R. 1249****28 December 2009****COMPENSATION FOR OCCUPATIONAL DISEASES IN MINES AND WORKS ACT,
1973 (ACT 73 OF 1973))****AMENDMENT OF AMOUNTS TO INCREASE BENEFITS**

I, Dr Aaron Motsoaledi, Minister of Health, hereby, after consultation with the advisory committee, in terms section 105A of the Occupational Diseases in Mines and Works Act, 1973 (Act No. 73 of 1973) ("the Act"), amend the following amounts appearing in sections 80(2) and (3) of Act so as to increase benefits, with effect from 1 August 2009, as follows:

- (a) the amount representing the person's earning, specified in section 80(2) of the Act increases from R2000 (two thousand rands) to R3000 (three thousand rands); and
- (b) the amount specified in section 80(3) of the Act increases from R7000 (seven thousand rands) to R34 458 (thirty four thousand four hundred and fifty eight rands).

**DR A. MOTSOALEDI, MP****MINISTER OF HEALTH****DATE: 15/12/2009**
