

## DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

NO. 1930

25 March 2022

**OCCUPATIONAL DISEASES IN MINES AND WORKS ACT, 1973 (ACT 78 of 1973):****AMENDMENT OF AMOUNTS TO INCREASE BENEFITS**

I, Dr MJ Phaahla, Minister of Health, hereby, after consultation with the Advisory Committee, in terms of section 105A of the Occupational Diseases in Mines and Works Act, 1973 (Act No. 78 of 1973) ("the Act"), amend the following amounts appearing in sections 80(2) and 80(3) of the Act so as to increase benefits, with effect from 1 April 2022, as follows:

- a) the amount representing the person's earnings, specified in section 80(2) of the Act increases from R4 405 (Four thousand four hundred and five rand) to R4 555 (Four thousand five hundred and fifty-five rand)
- b) the amount specified in section 80(3) of the Act increases from to R49 122 (Forty-nine thousand one hundred and twenty two rand) to R50 793 (Fifty-thousand seven hundred and ninety three rand)
- c) 1 April 2022, being the date on or after which:
  - (i) an examination to determine the presence, nature and degree of a compensable disease was conducted; or
  - (ii) the first of such examinations, in a series of examinations, commenced; or
  - (iii) a post-mortem examination was partially or wholly conducted on the person who allegedly died of a compensable disease.



**DR MJ PHAAHLA, MP**  
**MINISTER OF HEALTH**

**DATE:** 18/02/2022

## DEPARTEMENT VAN GESONDHEID


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**WET OP BEDRYFSIEKTES IN MYNE EN BEDRYWE, 1973 (WET 78 van 1973)****WYSIGING VAN BEDRAE OM VOORDELE TE VERHOOG**

Ek, Dr MJ Phaahla, Minister van Gesondheid, na raadpleging met die Advieskomitee, verklaar hiermee, kragtens artikel 105A van die Wet op Bedryfsiektes in Myne en Bedrywe (Wet No. 78 van 1973) ("die Wet"), dat die bedrae per artikel 80(2) en 80(3) van die Wet, gewysig word, om voordele te verhoog, effektief 1 April 2022.

- a) Die verdienste, soos verwys na per Artikel 80 (2) van die Wet, word verhoog van R4 405 (Vier duisend vier honderd en vyf rand) na R4 555 (Vier duisend vyf honderd vyf en vyftig rand)
- b) Die bedrag, soos verwys na per Artikel 80 (3) van die Wet, word verhoog van R49 122 (Nege en veertig duisend een honderd twee en twintig rand) na R50 793 (Vyftig duisend sewe honderd drie en negentig rand)
- c) 1 April 2022, synde die datum waarop of waarna:
  - (i) 'n mediese ondersoek ondergaan is om die teenwoordigheid, aard en graad van 'n vergoedbare siekte te bevestig; of
  - (ii) die eerste mediese ondersoek ondergaan is in 'n reeks mediese ondersoeke; of
  - (iii) 'n nadoodse ondersoek in geheel of gedeeltelik uitgevoer is op 'n persoon wat vermoedelik gesterf het aan 'n vergoedbare siekte.

  
**DR MJ PHAAHLA, MP**  
**MINISTER VAN GESONDHEID**  
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