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Workers' Compensation and Rehabilitation Act 1981

**Workers' Compensation and Rehabilitation  
Amendment Regulations (No. 3) 1999**

Made by the Governor in Executive Council.

**1. Citation**

These regulations may be cited as the *Workers' Compensation and Rehabilitation Amendment Regulations (No. 3) 1999*.

**2. Commencement**

These regulations come into operation on 1 July 1999.

**3. Regulation 2A amended**

Regulation 2A of the *Workers' Compensation and Rehabilitation Regulations 1982\** is repealed and the following regulation is inserted instead —

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**2A. 1999/2000 “prescribed amount” (section 5)**

- (1) For the purpose of the definition of “prescribed amount” in section 5 (1) of the Act, and because the

relevant minimum award rates (upon which previous prescribed amounts were calculated) are not published, the prescribed amount for the 1999/2000 financial year is obtained by varying the 1998/1999 prescribed amount in the manner set out in subregulation (2).

- (2) The 1999/2000 prescribed amount is **\$109,650.00**; being \$106 382.00 (the 1998/99 prescribed amount) varied upwards by 3.07234%, which is the actual\* percentage change in the Australian Bureau of Statistics Wage Cost Index, ordinary time hourly rates of pay (excluding bonuses) for Western Australia, from the December 1997 quarter to the December 1998 quarter.

*(\* rounded by the Australian Bureau of Statistics to 3.1%)*

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*[\* Reprinted as at 14 February 1995.*

*For amendments to 2 June 1999 see 1998 Index to Legislation of Western Australia, Table 4, p. 354, and Gazette 13 and 16 April 1999.]*

By Command of the Governor,

M. C. WAUCHOPE, Clerk of the Executive Council.

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