

## Workers' Compensation and Injury Management Regulations 1982

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## Part 1 — Preliminary

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## 1. Citation

These regulations may be cited as the *Workers' Compensation* and Injury Management Regulations 1982<sup>1</sup>.

[*Regulation 1 amended in Gazette 8 Mar 1991 p. 1071; 21 Jan 2005 p. 275.*]

## 2. Commencement

These regulations shall come into operation on the date of the coming into operation of the *Workers' Compensation and Injury Management Act 1981*<sup>1,2</sup>.

## 2AA. Notes not part of regulations

Notes in these regulations are provided to assist understanding and do not form part of the regulations.

[Regulation 2AA inserted in Gazette 27 Jul 2012 p. 3665.]

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## Part 2 — General

[Heading inserted in Gazette 26 Feb 1991 p. 933.]

#### 2A. Indexation of child's allowance and redemption amount

- (1) If the minimum award rates that would be relevant to calculating the amount of
  - (a) the child's allowance, as defined in section 5(1) of the Act; or
  - (b) the redemption amount, as defined in the Act Schedule 5 clause 1,

for a particular financial year are not published, the amount to be calculated for that financial year (the *relevant year*) is to be obtained by varying the amount for the preceding financial year as described in subregulation (2).

(2) To vary an amount as described in this subregulation, it is varied by the percentage by which the amount that the Australian Statistician published as the Labour Price Index (formerly known as the Wage Cost Index), ordinary time hourly rates of pay (excluding bonuses) for Western Australia varied between the second-last December quarter before the relevant year commenced and the last December quarter before the relevant year commenced.

[Regulation 2A inserted in Gazette 17 Nov 2000 p. 6309-10; amended in Gazette 28 Oct 2005 p. 4861; 19 Mar 2010 p. 1038.]

# 3. Certain registered bodies specified for definition of *company* (Act s. 5(1))

- (1) For the purposes of the definition of *company* in section 5(1) of the Act, the following registered bodies are specified
  - (a) a registered Australian body that was formed or incorporated in the State;

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- (b) a registered Australian body that was not formed or incorporated in the State and that does not have its head office or principal place of business in the State.
- (2) In this regulation —
   registered Australian body has the meaning given by the Corporations Act 2001 of the Commonwealth.
   [Regulation 3 inserted in Gazette 28 Sep 2001 p. 5357.]

## 4A. Certain mines, mining operations prescribed for definition of *mine* or *mining operation* in Act

- (1) The classes of mine that are prescribed for the purposes of the definition of *mine* or *mining operation* in section 5(1) of the Act are those mines that are a mine as defined in the *Mines Safety and Inspection Act 1994* section 4(1).
- (2) The classes of mining operation that are prescribed for the purposes of the definition of *mine* or *mining operation* in section 5(1) of the Act are those mining operations that are mining operations as defined in the *Mines Safety and Inspection Act 1994* section 4(1).

[Regulation 4A inserted in Gazette 19 Mar 2010 p. 1038-9.]

### 4. Form of election

- (1) The form of election referred to in section 24B of the Act shall be in Form 1 or, in the case of a worker suffering from noise induced hearing loss, Form 2C in Appendix I.
- (2) The form of election referred to in section 31H of the Act must be in the form of Form 1A in Appendix I or, in the case of a worker suffering from noise induced hearing loss, in the form of Form 2CA in Appendix I.

[Regulation 4 amended in Gazette 26 Feb 1991 p. 934; 25 Aug 1995 p. 3885; 28 Oct 2005 p. 4862.]

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### 5. Determination form for medical panel

Pursuant to section 38(2) of the Act, the form of the determination of the medical panel shall, as far as practicable in each case, be as set out in Form 2 in Appendix I.

[6. Deleted in Gazette 15 Oct 1999 p. 4900.]

#### 6AA. Form of claim for compensation

- (1) Form 2B or, in the case of a worker suffering from noise induced hearing loss, Form 2C or Form 2CA, as the case requires, in Appendix I is prescribed for the purposes of a claim made by a worker in accordance with section 178(1)(b) of the Act.
- [(2) deleted]
- (3) Form 2D in Appendix I is prescribed for the purposes of a claim for compensation made by dependants in the case of the death of a worker in accordance with section 178(1)(b) of the Act.

[Regulation 6AA inserted in Gazette 28 Jun 1991 p. 3291; amended in Gazette 18 Feb 1994 p. 660; 25 Aug 1995 p. 3885; 13 Apr 1999 p. 1531-2; 15 Oct 1999 p. 4900; 28 Oct 2005 p. 4862; 10 Sep 2010 p. 4352.]

#### 6AB. Relevant document (Act s. 180(1)(j))

A certificate of currency in respect of the employer's insurance policy referred to in section 160(7) of the Act is prescribed under section 180(1)(j) of the Act as a relevant document.

[Regulation 6AB inserted in Gazette 28 Oct 2005 p. 4863.]

#### 6A. Form of medical certificate

- Form 3 in Appendix I is the prescribed form under sections 57A(1)(b)(i) and 57B(1)(b)(i) of the Act.
- (2) In addition to the details prescribed in Form 3 as being necessary to make a valid claim for compensation under

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sections 57A and 57B, the "Consent authority" is prescribed under section 292(1)(a) as expedient for the purposes of the Act, and is to be completed accordingly.

[Regulation 6A inserted in Gazette 8 Mar 1991 p. 1071; amended in Gazette 13 Apr 1999 p. 1532; 28 Oct 2005 p. 4863; 18 Nov 2011 p. 4820.]

## 6B. Form for insurer accepting liability

Form 3A in Appendix I is the prescribed form under section 57A(3)(a) of the Act.

[Regulation 6B inserted in Gazette 8 Mar 1991 p. 1071.]

## 6C. Form for insurer disputing liability

Form 3B in Appendix I is the prescribed form under section 57A(3)(b) of the Act.

[Regulation 6C inserted in Gazette 8 Mar 1991 p. 1071.]

## 6D. Form for insurer undecided on liability

Form 3C in Appendix I is the prescribed form under section 57A(3)(c) of the Act.

[Regulation 6D inserted in Gazette 8 Mar 1991 p. 1071.]

#### 6E. Form for employer disputing liability

Form 3D in Appendix I is the prescribed form under section 57B(2)(b) of the Act.

[Regulation 6E inserted in Gazette 8 Mar 1991 p. 1071.]

#### 6F. Form for employer undecided on liability

Form 3E in Appendix I is the prescribed form under section 57B(2)(c) of the Act.

[Regulation 6F inserted in Gazette 8 Mar 1991 p. 1071.]

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### 7. Discontinuance or reduction of weekly payments

- (1) The medical certificate required by section 61 of the Act, before discontinuance of weekly payments, shall be in the form of Form 4 in Appendix I, or in the form of Form 3 in Appendix I if that form has been marked to indicate that it is to be regarded as both a first and final medical certificate.
- (2) Notice to the worker referred to in section 61 of the Act shall be in the form of Form 5 in Appendix I.
- (3) The period commencing on the making of an application for conciliation of a dispute about the intention of an employer to discontinue or reduce weekly payments to a worker and ending when a certificate under section 182H or 182O is issued in respect of the dispute is to be disregarded for the following purposes —
  - (a) calculating the period of notice of the intention of the employer under section 61(1);
  - (b) calculating the time within which the worker may apply for an order of an arbitrator under section 61(3).

[Regulation 7 amended in Gazette 29 Oct 1993 p. 5930; 13 Apr 1999 p. 1532; 18 Nov 2011 p. 4820.]

## 8. Frequency and time of medical examinations (Act s. 66)

- (1) A worker who receives a First Medical Certificate (Form 3) under the Act which nominates a medical review of the worker within a period of 14 days from the date the certificate is issued cannot be required, under section 64 or 65 of the Act, to submit himself for examination by a medical practitioner provided by the employer before a period of one month has elapsed from the date the certificate is issued.
- (2) A worker who receives a First Medical Certificate (Form 3) under the Act which does not nominate a medical review of the worker within a period of 14 days from the date the certificate is issued may be required, under section 64 or 65 of the Act, to

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submit himself for examination by a medical practitioner provided by the employer at any time from the date the certificate is issued.

- (3) A worker who fails to attend a medical review, nominated on a First Medical Certificate in accordance with subregulation (1), may be required, under section 64 or 65 of the Act, to submit himself for examination by a medical practitioner provided by the employer at any time from the date of that non-attendance.
- (4) An employer shall not require a worker to attend an examination under section 64 or 65 of the Act —
  - (a) more frequently than once every 2 weeks; or
  - (b) at any time other than during reasonable hours.
- (5) A worker must not, under section 64 or 65 of the Act, be required to attend medical examinations by more than 3 medical practitioners who are specialists in the same field of medicine.
- (6) Nothing in subregulation (5) limits the number of times a worker may be required to attend a medical examination by a medical practitioner.

[Regulation 8 inserted in Gazette 13 Apr 1999 p. 1532-3; amended in Gazette 28 Oct 2005 p. 4863-4.]

[8A. Deleted in Gazette 15 Oct 1999 p. 4890.]

### 9. Compound discount table

The compound discount table required to be prescribed by section 68(3) of the Act is set out in Appendix II.

[Regulation 9 amended in Gazette 2 Sep 1988 p. 3464; 15 Oct 1999 p. 4890.]

#### 9A. Discount formula

When calculating a lump sum redemption under section 68 of the Act the following formula shall be applied for use in

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conjunction with a compound discount table as set out in Appendix II.

DISCOUNT FORMULA UNDER SECTION 68(4) Discounted sum = P x 52 x A

Where —

- $S = \begin{tabular}{ll} prescribed amount less the sum of weekly payments made \end{tabular}$
- P = the weekly payment

$$\frac{S}{T} = \frac{S}{P}T = \frac{S}{P}$$

Y = the whole number equal to or next below  $\frac{T}{52} \frac{T}{52}$ 

- W = T (52 x Y)
- A = the present value of \$1.00 per annum payable weekly for Y years and W weeks obtained from the compound discount tables set out in Appendix II.

[Regulation 9A inserted in Gazette 25 Jul 1986 p. 2484; amended in Gazette 2 Sep 1988 p. 3464.]

#### 10. Worker not residing in State

- (1) For the purposes of section 69 of the Act, a worker shall prove his identity and the continuance of the incapacity in respect of which a weekly payment is payable, by delivering to the employer or the employer's insurer, at intervals of 3 months, a declaration by the worker and by a medical practitioner in the form of or to the effect of Form 6 in Appendix I.
- (2) Where an employer, or an employer's insurer, disputes the identity or entitlement, or both, of a worker, the employer or insurer
  - (a) may apply under section 182E of the Act for resolution of the dispute by conciliation; and

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(b) if the dispute is not resolved by conciliation, may apply under section 182ZT for determination of the dispute by arbitration.

[Regulation 10 amended in Gazette 2 Sep 1988 p. 3464; 24 Dec 1993 p. 6844; 18 Feb 1994 p. 661; 17 Nov 2000 p. 6310; 28 Oct 2005 p. 4864; 18 Nov 2011 p. 4820-1.]

- [10A. Deleted in Gazette 18 Nov 2011 p. 4821.]
- [10B. Deleted in Gazette 28 Oct 2005 p. 4864.]

## 11. Payments after death outside State

- (1) In the event of the death of a worker who dies outside the State and who was receiving or was entitled to receive weekly payments at the date of his death, his representatives shall, for the purpose of obtaining payment of the arrears (if any) due to the worker, forward to the Director a certificate of the death of the worker, and documents showing that they are entitled to such arrears, verified by declaration before a person having authority to administer an oath, with a request for payment of such arrears, specifying the place where and the manner in which the amount is to be remitted to them.
- (2) For the purposes of this regulation the expression *representatives* means
  - (a) if the worker leaves a will, the executors of the will; or
  - (b) where the worker dies intestate, the persons who are according to law entitled to his personal estate, and payment of the arrears may be made to the persons without the production of letters of administration.
- (3) On receipt of the certificate of death and the documents mentioned in this regulation, the Director shall examine them, and may, if not satisfied that they are in order, return them to the representatives for correction.

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(4) When the Director is satisfied that the certificate and documents are in order, or when they are returned to him in order, he shall send to the employer a notice requesting him to forward the amount due, and the employer shall thereupon forward the amount to the Director, who shall remit that amount, to the representatives of the worker at the address and in the manner requested by them, such remittance being in all cases at the risk of the representatives.

[Regulation 11 amended in Gazette 18 Feb 1994 p. 661.]

#### 12. Agreements

- (1) A memorandum of an agreement referred to in section 76 of the Act is sent to the Director in accordance with that section by sending it to the Director as soon as practicable after the agreement has been entered into, with enough copies for the memorandum to be kept in the office of WorkCover WA and a copy to be given to each interested party.
- (1a) A memorandum of an agreement referred to in section 76 of the Act shall be in the form of Form 15C in Appendix I.
- (2) The memorandum is to include full particulars of matters for which the agreement provides and, in the case of an agreement as to the compensation that is to be paid under Schedule 2 of the Act, is to identify each item for which the compensation is to be paid and, for each item —
  - (a) if the Act Part III Division 2 applies in respect of the personal injury or noise induced hearing loss that is the subject of the agreement
    - (i) the percentage loss of the full efficient use of a part or faculty of the body for which compensation is to be paid; and
    - (ii) the amount of compensation;
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- (b) if the Act Part III Division 2A applies in respect of the personal injury or noise induced hearing loss that is the subject of the agreement —
  - the degree of permanent impairment of a part or faculty of the body for which compensation is to be paid; and
  - (ii) the amount of compensation.
- (3) The memorandum is to be signed by or on behalf of each party to the agreement and if the memorandum sent to the Director is not the original signed memorandum the original is to be produced for inspection by the Director.
- (3a) A memorandum of an agreement lodged for the purposes of a redemption amount under section 67(l) shall be accompanied by Form 15D in Appendix I signed and dated by the worker, as acknowledgment that he/she is aware of the consequences of the recording of the memorandum.
- (4) The notice despatched by the Director to each interested party, under section 76(2) of the Act, is to be in the form of Form 15A in Appendix I.
- (4a) Where any interested party disputes the genuineness of the memorandum, or the adequacy of the compensation agreed upon or otherwise objects to the recording of the agreement that party shall, within the 7 days allowed in section 76(2), notify the Director by completing Form 15E in Appendix I, and forwarding that completed form to the Director.
- (4b) On receipt of an objection from any party in the manner prescribed in subregulation (4a), the Director shall send to each other party a notice, in the form of Form 15F, informing such parties that the memorandum will not be recorded except with the consent in writing of the objector.
- (5) If the Director records the memorandum, the Director is to notify each interested party accordingly in the form of Form 15B in Appendix I.

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- (6) The Director may vary or amend a memorandum if all parties first give the Director written consent to make that variation or amendment.
- (7) For the purpose of providing a statement of benefits paid, under section 67(2) of the Act, Part 4 of the Memorandum of Agreement form (Form 15C), may be used for this purpose.

[Regulation 12 inserted in Gazette 18 Feb 1994 p. 661; amended in Gazette 15 Oct 1999 p. 4906-7; 28 Oct 2005 p. 4864-5; 18 Nov 2011 p. 4821.]

#### 12AA. Notice of intention to dismiss worker (Act s. 84AB)

- (1) This regulation applies to a notice of intention to dismiss a worker to which section 84AB of the Act refers.
- (2) Form 15G in Appendix I is the form prescribed for the notice. [Regulation 12AA inserted in Gazette 28 Oct 2005 p. 4865.]
- [12AB. Deleted in Gazette 28 Oct 2005 p. 4865.]

## 12A. Contributions to General Account

- (1) The amount prescribed for the purposes of section 109(1) of the Act is \$100 000.
- (2) The amount prescribed for the purposes of section 109(4) of the Act is \$40 000.

[Regulation 12A inserted in Gazette 22 May 1987 p. 2193; amended in Gazette 2 Sep 1988 p. 3464; 22 Sep 1989 p. 3490-1; 6 Dec 1991 p. 6119; 16 Sep 2003 p. 4103; 28 Oct 2005 p. 4866.]

### 13. Ascertaining amount for reimbursement (Act s. 154AC(1))

(1) WorkCover WA may approve an application by an employer for reimbursement under section 154AC(1) of the Act.

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- (2) The amount that WorkCover WA is to reimburse to an approved applicant under section 154AC(1) of the Act is to be calculated by subtracting the estimated total cost from the actual total cost.
- (3) In this regulation —

*actual total cost*, in relation to an award of damages, means the total amount paid on a claim (including all compensation paid in accordance with the Act, any award of damages, legal expenses and miscellaneous expenses associated with the claim, to the extent that these apply) by the insurer or self-insurer, as calculated in accordance with the Insurer/Self-Insurer Electronic Data Specification (Edition Q1), following an award of damages, as submitted to, and approved and recorded by, WorkCover WA;

*estimated total cost*, in relation to an award of damages, means the insurer, or self-insurer's, estimate of the total cost of the claim (including the estimated compensation to be paid in accordance with the Act, any award of damages, legal expenses and miscellaneous expenses associated with the claim to the extent that these apply or are likely to apply), estimated in accordance with the Insurer/Self-Insurer Electronic Data Specification (Edition Q1), as at the date of creation of the May 2004 return file recorded by WorkCover WA;

*Insurer/Self-Insurer Electronic Data Specification* (*Edition Q1*) means Edition Q1, Version 1.4.6 of the Insurer/Self-Insurer Electronic Data Specification, published by WorkCover WA on 29 July 2003 to standardise the information or return requested under section 103A of the Act.

[Regulation 13 inserted in Gazette 26 Oct 2004 p. 4898-9; amended in Gazette 21 Jan 2005 p. 276.]

#### **13A.** Prescribed rate of interest (Act s. 222(2), 223(2) and 224(2))

(1) Interest payable under an order made under section 222(1) of the Act must be calculated at a rate of 6% per annum.

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(2)	Interest payable under section 223(1) of the Act must be
	calculated at a rate of 6% per annum.

(3) Interest payable under section 224(1) of the Act in respect of a sum agreed to be paid must be calculated at a rate of 6% per annum.

[Regulation 13A inserted in Gazette 28 Oct 2005 p. 4866.]

## 14. Insurance requirement (Act s. 160(1))

- (1) Section 160(1) of the Act does not require an employer to obtain or keep current a policy of insurance for liability to pay compensation under the Act or damages arising out of —
  - (a) a claim directly or indirectly occasioned by any event happening through or in consequence of
    - (i) war; or
    - (ii) invasion; or
    - (iii) acts of foreign enemies; or
    - (iv) hostilities whether war be declared or not; or
    - (v) civil war; or
    - (vi) rebellion; or
    - (vii) revolution; or
    - (viii) insurrection; or
    - (ix) military or usurped power;
    - or
  - (b) a claim in respect of
    - (i) pneumoconiosis; or
    - (ii) mesothelioma; or
    - (iii) lung cancer; or
    - (iv) diffuse pleural fibrosis,

arising from employment in any mine or mining operation; or

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- (c) a claim in respect of any other industrial disease for the time being specified by the Minister under section 151(a)(iii) of the Act.
- (2) Section 160(1) of the Act does not require an employer to obtain or keep current a policy of insurance for liability to pay damages arising out of —
  - (a) a claim brought in respect of an injury occurring outside Australia; or
  - (b) a claim brought outside Australia.
- (3) Section 160(1) of the Act does not require an employer to obtain or keep current a policy of insurance for liability to pay
  - (a) exemplary or punitive damages; or
  - (b) an aggregate amount of damages exceeding \$50 000 000 arising out of all claims in respect of a single event.
  - Note: The Workers' Compensation and Injury Management (Acts of Terrorism) Act 2001 section 6 provides that, in stated circumstances, section 160 of the Act does not require an employer to insure against certain liabilities attributable to acts of terrorism.

[Regulation 14 inserted in Gazette 27 Jul 2012 p. 3665-6.]

#### 15. Statements by approved insurance offices

The statements required to be transmitted to WorkCover WA under section 171 of the Act shall be in the form of Forms 16 and 17 in Appendix 1.

[*Regulation 15 inserted in Gazette 8 Mar 2002 p. 949; amended in Gazette 16 Sep 2003 p. 4104; 21 Jan 2005 p. 276.*]

[16. Deleted in Gazette 28 Oct 2005 p. 4866.]

#### 16A. Clause 1C notifications and elections

(1) The form of notification for the purposes of the Act Schedule 1 clause 1C(1) must be in the form of Form 29 in Appendix I.

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(2)	The form of notification for the purposes of the Act Schedule 1 clause $1C(4)(a)$ must be in the form of Form 30 in Appendix I.			
(3)	An election for the purposes of the Act Schedule 1 clause $1C(2)$ or clause $1C(4)$ or (6) must —			
	(a)	be made in writing; and		
	(b)	specif	y —	
		(i)	the name and address of the dependant; and	
		(ii)	the relationship (child or step-child) of the dependant to the deceased worker; and	
		(iii)	the name of the deceased worker, and the address of the deceased worker at the time of death; and	
		(iv)	whether the dependant elects to receive an apportionment of the notional residual entitlement or a child's allowance under the Act Schedule 1 clause 1A; and	
		(v)	whether the worker died leaving any spouse or de facto partner wholly dependent on the workers' earnings, and whether that spouse or de facto partner is a parent of the dependant making the election; and	
		(vi)	that the dependant has been independently advised of the financial consequences of the election, and the name, title, address and phone number of the person who gave that advice; and	
		(vii)	the date on which the election is made;	
		and		
	(c)	by a p	ned by the dependant or, in the case of an election erson under a legal disability, the parent or ian of that person; and	
	(d)	witnes	le the signature and full name and address of a ss to the signature of the dependant or his or her t or guardian; and	

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(e) be given to the Director.

[Regulation 16A inserted in Gazette 28 Oct 2005 p. 4867-8.]

### 17. Prescribed allowance (Act Sch. 1 cl. 11(2))

The Hospital Allowance provided for under the Western Australian Government Health Services (Australian Liquor, Hospitality and Miscellaneous Union) Agreement 2000, or under an industrial award made in replacement of that agreement, is prescribed as an allowance for the purposes of paragraph (c) of the definition of **Amount Aa** in the Act Schedule 1 clause 11(2).

[Regulation 17 inserted in Gazette 21 Jan 2005 p. 275; amended in Gazette 28 Oct 2005 p. 4868.]

#### 17AAA. Variation of Amount C (Act Sch. 1 cl. 11(2))

For the purposes of the definition of *Amount C* paragraph (b) in the Act Schedule 1 clause 11(2), the amount is obtained by multiplying by 2 the average of the amounts that the Australian Bureau of Statistics published as the all employees average weekly total earnings in Western Australia for pay periods ending in the months of May and November preceding the financial year.

[Regulation 17AAA inserted in Gazette 14 Dec 2012 p. 6209.]

#### 17AA. Prescribed rate for vehicle running expenses (Act Sch. 1 cl. 19(1))

- (1) For the purposes of the Act Schedule 1 clause 19(1), the prescribed rate for vehicle running expenses (irrespective of engine capacity) is
  - (a) for the period up to and including 30 June 2005, 34 cents per kilometre; and

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- (b) for a financial year commencing on or after 1 July 2005, the amount per kilometre obtained by
  - (i) varying the amount applying at the end of the preceding financial year by the percentage by which the March CPI varies from the previous March CPI; and
  - (ii) rounding the amount to the nearest whole number of cents (with an amount that is .5 of a cent being rounded off to the next highest whole number of cents).
- (2) In this regulation —

*March CPI*, for a financial year, means the index number for the quarter ending on the last 31 March before the financial year commences, as shown in the Consumer Price Index Numbers (All Groups Index) for Perth published by the Commonwealth Statistician under the *Census and Statistics Act 1905* of the Commonwealth.

[*Regulation 17AA inserted in Gazette 29 Oct 2004 p. 4939-40; amended in Gazette 28 Oct 2005 p. 4868.*]

### 17AB. Exceptional circumstances (Act Sch. 1 cl. 18A(2aa)(c)(ii))

- (1) For the purposes of the Act Schedule 1 clause 18A(2aa)(c)(ii) the circumstances in relation to the medical and associated conditions, treatment and management of a worker are exceptional if operative intervention and reasonable post-operative treatment of a kind related to an MBS item are required to alleviate substantially the consequences of serious impairment and improve the worker's physical condition.
- (2) For the purposes of the Act Schedule 1 clause 18A(2aa)(c)(ii) the applicant must produce the following evidence in writing of the exceptional circumstances —
  - (a) clear medical opinion from a treating specialist that operative intervention and reasonable post-operative treatment of a kind related to an MBS item are required

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to alleviate the consequences of serious impairment and improve the worker's physical condition; and

- (b) a management plan provided by the treating specialist that indicates that substantial medical improvement to the worker's physical condition is anticipated as a result of operative intervention and reasonable post-operative treatment.
- (3) In this regulation —

*MBS item* means an item specified in the Medicare Benefits Schedule published by the Commonwealth Department of Health and Aged Care;

*treating specialist*, in relation to an applicant, means a medical practitioner who —

- (a) is treating the applicant; and
- (b) is a specialist in a relevant field of medicine.

[Regulation 17AB inserted in Gazette 28 Oct 2005 p. 4868-9; amended in Gazette 18 Nov 2011 p. 4821.]

## 17AC. Management plan (Act Sch. 1 cl. 18A(2ac))

A reference in the Act Schedule 1 clause 18A(2ac) to a management plan is a reference to a management plan produced under regulation 17AB(2)(b).

[Regulation 17AC inserted in Gazette 28 Oct 2005 p. 4870.]

#### 17AD. Extending final day

- (1) A worker may apply to the Director to extend the final day under the Act Schedule 1 clause 18B.
- (2) The application is made by
  - (a) lodging with the Director a completed application in the form of Form 31 in Appendix I; and

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- (b) providing to the Director, with the application form, anything that this regulation requires to be provided with the application form.
- (3) When the application form is lodged
  - (a) if the worker has, in writing, requested an approved medical specialist to assess the worker's degree of permanent whole of person impairment, the Director must be provided with a copy of the worker's request; and
  - (b) if the approved medical specialist has notified the worker, in writing, that more time is or was required to give the worker the documents required to make an application under the Act Schedule 1 clause 18A(1b) before the final day, the Director must be provided with a copy of the notification.
- (4) The Director may, within the limits imposed by the Act Schedule 1 clause 18B(4), extend the final day until a day that the Director, having regard to the further time needed by the approved medical specialist, considers will give the worker a reasonable opportunity to make an application under the Act Schedule 1 clause 18A(1b).

[Regulation 17AD inserted in Gazette 28 Oct 2005 p. 4870-1.]

#### 17AE. Amount prescribed for funeral expenses (Act Sch. 1 cl. 17(2))

- (1) For the purposes of the Act Schedule 1 clause 17(2), the amount prescribed for funeral expenses is
  - (a) for the period up to and including 30 June 2007, \$7 547; and
  - (b) for a financial year commencing on or after 1 July 2007, in accordance with section 5A of the Act, the amount obtained by —

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- (i) varying the amount applying at the end of the preceding financial year by the percentage by which the March CPI varies from the previous March CPI; and
- (ii) rounding the amount to the nearest whole number of cents (with an amount that is .5 of a cent being rounded off to the next highest whole number of cents).
- (2) In this regulation —

*March CPI*, for a financial year, means the index number for the quarter ending on the last 31 March before the financial year commences, as shown in the Consumer Price Index Numbers (All Groups Index) for Perth published by the Commonwealth Statistician under the Commonwealth *Census and Statistics Act 1905*.

[Regulation 17AE inserted in Gazette 4 Aug 2006 p. 2855-6.]

## 17A. Supplementary amount

- (1) The supplementary amount referred to in the Schedule 5 clause 1 of the Act is
  - (a) for the period up to and including 30 June 2008
    - (i) in relation to a worker with a dependant spouse or dependant de facto partner, or both, \$228; and
    - (ii) in relation to a worker without a dependant spouse or dependant de facto partner, \$128;
    - and
  - (b) for a financial year commencing on or after 1 July 2008, in accordance with section 5A of the Act, the amount obtained by —
    - (i) varying the amount applying at the end of the preceding financial year by the percentage by which the March CPI varies from the previous March CPI; and

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(ii) rounding the amount to the nearest whole number of cents (with an amount that is 0.5 of a cent being rounded off to the next highest whole number of cents).

#### (2) In this regulation –

*March CPI*, for a financial year, means the index number for the quarter ending on the last 31 March before the financial year commences, as shown in the Consumer Price Index Numbers (All Groups Index) for Perth published by the Commonwealth Statistician under the Commonwealth *Census and Statistics Act 1905*.

[Regulation 17A inserted in Gazette 2 Nov 2007 p. 5933-4.]

## 17B. Witness allowances

A person who appears before the Registrar or an arbitrator to give evidence is entitled to any allowance for that appearance set by the Costs Committee established under section 269 of the Act.

[Regulation 17B inserted in Gazette 28 Oct 2005 p. 4871; amended in Gazette 18 Nov 2011 p. 4821.]

## 18. Form of election to receive redemption amount or supplementary amount

- The election to receive the redemption amount as a lump sum, referred to in Schedule 5 to the Act shall be in the form of Form 14 in Appendix I.
- (2) The election to receive the supplementary amount, referred to in Schedule 5 to the Act shall be in the form of Form 15 in Appendix I.

[Regulation 18 amended in Gazette 17 Nov 2000 p. 6312.]

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## Part 2A — Assessment of costs

[Heading inserted in Gazette 28 Oct 2005 p. 4871.]

#### **18A.** Application of this Part

This Part applies in relation to any costs incurred on or after 14 November 2005 in relation to a proceeding determined, or otherwise dealt with, by a dispute resolution authority.

[Regulation 18A inserted in Gazette 28 Oct 2005 p. 4871.]

#### 18B. Terms used

In this Part —

*agent service* has the meaning given to that term in section 261 of the Act;

*applicant* means an applicant for assessment of costs under regulation 18C;

*application* means an application for assessment of costs under regulation 18C;

*commencement day* means the day of the coming into operation of the *Workers' Compensation and Injury Management Amendment Act 2011* section 6;

*dispute resolution authority*, in relation to the period commencing on 14 November 2005 and ending on the day before commencement day, has the meaning given in section 5 of the former provisions;

*former provisions* means the Act as enacted before the commencement day;

*legal service* has the meaning given to that term in section 261 of the Act;

*taxing officer* means the Director, the Registrar, a conciliation officer or an arbitrator.

[Regulation 18B inserted in Gazette 28 Oct 2005 p. 4872; amended in Gazette 18 Nov 2011 p. 4821.]

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#### 18C. Application for assessment of costs

- (1) A person who has paid or is liable to pay, or who is entitled to receive or who has received, costs as a result of an order for the payment of an unspecified amount of costs made by a dispute resolution authority before commencement day may apply under the *Workers' Compensation and Injury Management Arbitration Rules 2011* for an assessment of the whole of, or any part of, those costs by a taxing officer.
- (2) A person who has paid or is liable to pay, or who is entitled to receive or has received, costs as a result of an order for the payment of an unspecified amount of costs made by a dispute resolution authority on or after commencement day may apply under the Workers' Compensation and Injury Management Conciliation Rules 2011 or the Workers' Compensation and Injury Management Arbitration Rules 2011, as relevant, for an assessment of the whole of, or any part of, those costs by a taxing officer.

[Regulation 18C inserted in Gazette 28 Oct 2005 p. 4872; amended in Gazette 18 Nov 2011 p. 4822.]

## **18D.** Taxing officer may require application to be given to other persons

- (1) A taxing officer may, by written notice, require an applicant to give a copy of the application to
  - (a) a party to the proceeding in respect of which the relevant order for costs was made; or
  - (b) a legal practitioner, agent or other interested party,

specified by the taxing officer.

(2) The application must be given in accordance with the *Workers' Compensation and Injury Management Conciliation Rules 2011* or the *Workers' Compensation and Injury Management Arbitration Rules 2011* as relevant.

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(3) If a person fails, without reasonable excuse, to comply with a notice given under subregulation (1) the taxing officer may decline to deal with the application.

[Regulation 18D inserted in Gazette 28 Oct 2005 p. 4872-3; amended in Gazette 18 Nov 2011 p. 4822.]

## **18E.** Taxing officer may require documents or further particulars

- (1) A taxing officer may, by written notice, require a person (including the applicant, a party to the proceeding in which the relevant order for costs was made, the legal practitioner or agent concerned or any other legal practitioner or agent) to produce any relevant documents of or held by the person in respect of the matter.
- (2) A taxing officer may, by written notice, require an applicant to give to the taxing officer further particulars as to any item of costs claimed.
- (3) A notice given under subregulation (1) or (2) must specify the period within which the notice is to be complied with.
- (4) If a person fails, without reasonable excuse, to comply with a notice given under subregulation (1) or (2) the taxing officer may decline to deal with the application or may continue to deal with the application on the basis of the information provided.
- (5) Nothing in this regulation prevents a person from objecting to the production of a document on the grounds of legal professional privilege.

[Regulation 18E inserted in Gazette 28 Oct 2005 p. 4873.]

## 18F. Consideration of application

(1) A taxing officer must not determine an application unless the taxing officer —

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- (a) has given the applicant and any other party to the proceeding in which the relevant order for costs was made a reasonable opportunity to make oral or written submissions in relation to the application; and
- (b) has given due consideration to any submissions so made.
- (2) In considering an application a taxing officer is not bound by the rules of evidence and may inform himself or herself on any matter in such manner as the taxing officer thinks fit.

[Regulation 18F inserted in Gazette 28 Oct 2005 p. 4874.]

### 18G. Assessment to give effect to order and costs determination

An assessment of costs must be made in accordance with, and so as to give effect to, orders of the dispute resolution authority and any costs determination published under section 273 of the Act.

[Regulation 18G inserted in Gazette 28 Oct 2005 p. 4874.]

## 18H. Matters to be considered

- (1) When dealing with an application the taxing officer must consider
  - (a) whether or not it was reasonable to carry out the work to which the costs relate; and
  - (b) what is a fair and reasonable amount of costs for the work concerned.
- (2) In assessing what is a fair and reasonable amount of costs, the taxing officer may have regard to any or all of the following matters
  - (a) the skill, labour and responsibility displayed on the part of the legal practitioner or agent responsible for the matter;
  - (b) the complexity, novelty or difficulty of the matter;

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- (c) the quality of the work done and whether the level of expertise was appropriate to the nature of the work done;
- (d) the place where and circumstances in which the legal services or agent services were provided;
- (e) the time within which the work was required to be done;
- (f) the outcome of the matter.
- (3) If the dispute resolution authority has ordered that the costs are to be assessed on a specified basis, the taxing officer must assess the costs on that basis.

[Regulation 18H inserted in Gazette 28 Oct 2005 p. 4874-5.]

## 18I. Cost of assessment

The costs of and incidental to an assessment are at the discretion of the taxing officer.

[Regulation 18I inserted in Gazette 28 Oct 2005 p. 4875.]

## 18J. Enforcement of assessment

- (1) The taxing officer must issue to each party a certificate that sets out the amount in which costs have been assessed and allowed by the taxing officer.
- (2) The costs are payable under the order made by the dispute resolution authority as to the costs.

[Regulation 18J inserted in Gazette 28 Oct 2005 p. 4875.]

## 18K. Correction of error

At any time after making a determination a taxing officer who made the determination may, for the purpose of correcting an inadvertent error in the determination —

- (a) make a new determination in substitution for the previous determination; and
- (b) issue a certificate under regulation 18J that sets out the new determination.

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[Regulation 18K inserted in Gazette 28 Oct 2005 p. 4876.]

## 18LA. Transitional provision

(1) In this regulation —

*pending application* means an application for the assessment of costs by a taxing officer —

- (a) made under the *Workers' Compensation (DRD) Rules 2005*<sup>3</sup> before commencement day; and
- (b) which has not been determined by a taxing officer before commencement day.
- (2) A pending application is to be dealt with and determined under this Part as if it were an application made under the *Workers' Compensation and Injury Management Arbitration Rules 2011.*

[Regulation 18LA inserted in Gazette 18 Nov 2011 p. 4822-3.]

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[Heading inserted in Gazette 28 Oct 2005 p. 4876.]

#### 18L. Terms used

In this Part —

prescribed details, in relation to a worker, means ----

- (a) the worker's name and address and any other details necessary to identify the worker; and
- (b) details sufficient to enable the worker to be contacted; and
- (c) the worker's date of birth; and
- (d) the date on which the worker's injury occurred; and
- (e) a description of the worker's injury; and
- (f) if a claim for compensation has been made under the Act with respect to the worker's injury — details sufficient to identify the claim, including any claim number that has been given to the claim; and
- (g) the employer's name and address and any other details necessary to identify the employer; and
- (h) details sufficient to enable the employer to be contacted; and
- (i) the insurer's name, if any;

relevant provisions of the Act means -

- (a) Part III Division 2A of the Act (which provides for lump sum payments for specified injuries); or
- (b) Part IV Division 2 Subdivision 3 of the Act (which provides for restrictions on awarding, and the amount of, damages); or
- (c) Part IXA of the Act (which provides for specialised retraining programs); or

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(d) (except in regulation 18R(3)(e)) clause 18A of Schedule 1 to the Act (which provides for additional sums to be allowed for medical expenses).

[Regulation 18L inserted in Gazette 28 Oct 2005 p. 4876-7.]

## 18M. Request for assessment by approved medical specialist of worker's degree of impairment

For the purposes of section 146A(3) of the Act, a request for a worker's degree of impairment to be assessed by an approved medical specialist has to be given in writing to the approved medical specialist, specifying —

- (a) the prescribed details in relation to the worker; and
- (b) the approved medical specialist's name; and
- (c) the relevant provisions of the Act for the purposes of which the assessment is to be made; and
- (d) the date of the request for the assessment.

[Regulation 18M inserted in Gazette 28 Oct 2005 p. 4877.]

## 18N. Requirement to attend at place specified by approved medical specialist

For the purposes of section 146G(1)(a) of the Act, the requirement for a worker to attend at a place specified by an approved medical specialist —

- (a) has to be given in writing to the worker and sent to the worker's address specified in the request for assessment referred to in regulation 18M; and
- (b) has to specify ----
  - (i) the prescribed details in relation to the worker; and
  - (ii) the approved medical specialist's name; and
  - (iii) details sufficient to enable the approved medical specialist to be contacted; and

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- (iv) the relevant provisions of the Act for the purposes of which the assessment is to be made; and
- (v) the time when and the place where the worker is to submit to examination, as required under section 146G(1)(d) of the Act.

[Regulation 18N inserted in Gazette 28 Oct 2005 p. 4878.]

## **180.** Requirement to produce to approved medical specialist relevant documents and information and give consent

- (1) For the purposes of section 146G(1)(c)(i) of the Act, the requirement to produce to an approved medical specialist any relevant document or information has to be given in writing to the worker, the employer, or the employer's insurer, specifying —
  - (a) the prescribed details in relation to the worker; and
  - (b) details of any relevant document or information to which the requirement applies; and
  - (c) the approved medical specialist's name; and
  - (d) details sufficient to enable the approved medical specialist to be contacted; and
  - (e) the relevant provisions of the Act for the purposes of which the assessment is to be made.
- (2) For the purposes of section 146G(1)(c)(ii) of the Act, the requirement to consent to another person who has any relevant document or information producing it to an approved medical specialist has to be given in writing to the worker, the employer, or the employer's insurer, specifying —
  - (a) the prescribed details in relation to the worker; and
  - (b) details of any relevant document or information to which the requirement applies; and
  - (c) the name of the person who has the relevant document or information; and

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- (d) the approved medical specialist's name; and
- (e) details sufficient to enable the approved medical specialist to be contacted; and
- (f) the relevant provisions of the Act for the purposes of which the assessment is to be made.

[Regulation 180 inserted in Gazette 28 Oct 2005 p. 4878-9.]

## 18P. Period for compliance with requirements

If the time for complying with a requirement referred to in regulation 18O is not specified in the requirement, the requirement has to be complied with within 7 days after the day on which the person who is to comply with the requirement receives it.

[Regulation 18P inserted in Gazette 28 Oct 2005 p. 4879.]

#### 18Q. Requirement for worker to produce requested information

- (1) On being requested in writing to do so by the approved medical specialist, a worker who has requested an approved medical specialist to assess his or her degree of impairment is required to produce to the approved medical specialist for use in dealing with the requested assessment, within 7 days after the day on which the worker receives the approved medical specialist's request, any information that
  - (a) relates to the injury from which the impairment resulted; and
  - (b) is specified in the approved medical specialist's request.
- (2) A request by an approved medical specialist under subregulation (1) has to include
  - (a) the approved medical specialist's name; and
  - (b) details sufficient to enable the approved medical specialist to be contacted.

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- (3) A person who contravenes a requirement under subregulation (1) commits an offence and is liable to a fine of \$2 000.
- (4) Subregulation (1) does not apply to any information that is the subject of a requirement referred to in regulation 18O(1).

[Regulation 18Q inserted in Gazette 28 Oct 2005 p. 4880.]

## 18R. Reports and certificates regarding outcome of assessment

- (1) A report of a worker's degree of impairment given by an approved medical specialist under section 146H(1)(a) of the Act has to include
  - (a) the prescribed details in relation to the worker; and
  - (b) the approved medical specialist's name; and
  - (c) details sufficient to enable the approved medical specialist to be contacted; and
  - (d) the date of the examination of the worker by, or at the request of, the approved medical specialist; and
  - (e) the relevant provisions of the Act for the purposes of which the assessment was made.
- (2) A certificate specifying a worker's degree of impairment given by an approved medical specialist under section 146H(1)(b) of the Act has to include —
  - (a) the prescribed details in relation to the worker; and
  - (b) the approved medical specialist's name; and
  - (c) details sufficient to enable the approved medical specialist to be contacted; and
  - (d) the date of the examination of the worker by, or at the request of, the approved medical specialist.
- (3) A report given by an approved medical specialist under section 146H(2)(c) of the Act has to include
  - (a) the prescribed details in relation to the worker; and

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- (b) the approved medical specialist's name; and
- (c) details sufficient to enable the approved medical specialist to be contacted; and
- (d) the date of the examination of the worker by, or at the request of, the approved medical specialist; and
- (e) the relevant provisions of the Act for the purposes of which the relevant certificate under section 146H(2) of the Act was given.

[Regulation 18R inserted in Gazette 28 Oct 2005 p. 4880-1.]

## **18S.** Requirement to attend at place specified by approved medical specialist panel

For the purposes of section 146L(2)(a) of the Act, the requirement for a worker to attend at a place specified by an approved medical specialist panel has to be given in writing to the worker, specifying —

- (a) the prescribed details in relation to the worker; and
- (b) the names of the members of the approved medical specialist panel; and
- (c) the time when and the place where the worker is to submit to examination, as required under section 146L(2)(d) of the Act.

[Regulation 18S inserted in Gazette 28 Oct 2005 p. 4882.]

# 18T. Requirement to produce to approved medical specialist panel relevant documents and information and give consent

- For the purposes of section 146L(2)(c)(i) of the Act, the requirement to produce to an approved medical specialist panel any relevant document or information has to be given in writing to the worker, the employer, or the employer's insurer, specifying —
  - (a) the prescribed details in relation to the worker; and

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- (b) details of any relevant document or information to which the requirement applies; and
- (c) the names of the members of the approved medical specialist panel.
- (2) For the purposes of section 146L(2)(c)(ii) of the Act, the requirement to consent to another person who has any relevant document or information producing it to an approved medical specialist panel has to be given in writing to the worker, the employer, or the employer's insurer, specifying —
  - (a) the prescribed details in relation to the worker; and
  - (b) details of any relevant document or information to which the requirement applies; and
  - (c) the name of the person who has the relevant document or information; and
  - (d) the names of the members of the approved medical specialist panel.

[Regulation 18T inserted in Gazette 28 Oct 2005 p. 4882-3.]

### 18U. Period for compliance with requirements

If the time for complying with a requirement referred to in regulation 18T is not specified in the requirement, the requirement has to be complied with within 7 days after the day on which the person who is to comply with the requirement receives it.

[Regulation 18U inserted in Gazette 28 Oct 2005 p. 4883.]

# 18V. Requirement for worker to produce requested information

(1) On being requested to do so by the approved medical specialist panel, a worker in respect of whom a question as to degree of impairment has been referred to an approved medical specialist panel is required to produce to the approved medical specialist panel for use in dealing with the referral, within 7 days after the

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day on which the worker receives the request, any information that —

- (a) relates to the injury from which the impairment resulted; and
- (b) is specified in the approved medical specialist panel's request.
- (2) A request by an approved medical specialist panel under subregulation (1) has to include the names of the members of the approved medical specialist panel.
- (3) A person who contravenes a requirement under subregulation (1) commits an offence and is liable to a fine of \$2 000.
- (4) Subregulation (1) does not apply to any information that is the subject of a requirement referred to in regulation 18T(1).

[Regulation 18V inserted in Gazette 28 Oct 2005 p. 4883-4.]

## 18W. Reports and certificates regarding outcome of assessment

A report of a worker's degree of impairment given by an approved medical specialist panel under section 146O(2)(a) of the Act, or a certificate specifying a worker's degree of impairment given by an approved medical specialist panel under section 146O(2)(b) of the Act, has to include —

- (a) the prescribed details in relation to the worker; and
- (b) the names of the members of the approved medical specialist panel; and
- (c) the date of the examination of the worker by, or at the request of, the members of the approved medical specialist panel.

[Regulation 18W inserted in Gazette 28 Oct 2005 p. 4884.]

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[Heading inserted in Gazette 26 Feb 1991 p. 934.]

#### 19A. Terms used

In this Part unless the contrary intention appears —

*approved* means approved in writing by the chief executive officer;

*approved medical practitioner* means a medical practitioner approved under regulation 19B(1)(a);

*approved person* means a person approved under regulation 19B;

*audiologist* means an audiologist approved under regulation 19B(1)(b);

*audiometric officer* means a person approved under regulation 19B(1)(c);

*Australian Standard* means a standard published by the Standards Association of Australia<sup>4</sup>, as amended from time to time;

clause means a clause in the Act Schedule 7.

[*Regulation 19A inserted in Gazette 26 Feb 1991 p. 934; amended in Gazette 21 Jan 2005 p. 276; 28 Oct 2005 p. 4884.*]

# 19B. Persons approved to carry out audiometric testing

- The chief executive officer may approve, either generally or in a particular case, the following persons to carry out audiometric testing —
  - (a) a medical practitioner; and
  - (b) an audiologist who is either a full member or qualified to be a full member of the Audiological Society of Australia; and
  - (c) a person who, in the opinion of the chief executive officer, has appropriate qualifications to enable that

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officer.

- (2) An audiometric test for the purposes of sections 24A and 24B of the Act shall be carried out by a person approved under subregulation (1).
- (3) The chief executive officer may at any time cancel an approval given under subregulation (1).
- (4) The chief executive officer shall serve on each person to whom an approval, or cancellation of approval, relates a certificate of approval or notification of cancellation, as the case requires.

[Regulation 19B inserted in Gazette 26 Feb 1991 p. 934; amended in Gazette 21 Jan 2005 p. 276.]

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- (1) An approved person shall carry out an audiometric test
  - (a) using an audiometer which meets the standards specified in writing by the chief executive officer; and
  - (b) in an approved hearing booth or other approved testing environment.
- (2) An approved person using an audiometer under subregulation (1) shall
  - (a) check the audiometer on each day of use, both before and after the series of measurements carried out and after any relocation of the audiometer, to ensure that the audiometer is in satisfactory working order; and
  - (b) ensure that the audiometer has been calibrated at an approved calibration laboratory within the 12 months preceding each day of use and that the audiometric officer has received a copy of the report prepared on that calibration.
- (3) An approved person shall ensure that the background noise levels during the testing of the hearing of a worker do not

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exceed those values listed in Table 5.1 in Section 5 of Australian Standard 1269-1989, or an approved equivalent, for the type of earphone/cushion or earphone enclosure combination connected to the audiometer used for the testing.

- (4) Subject to subregulation (5), an approved person shall test the hearing of a worker by means of a pure tone air conduction hearing threshold test carried out separately for the left and right ears
  - (a) in accordance with
    - (i) the procedure described in Section E2 of Appendix E of Australian Standard 1269-1989 as modified by written direction of the chief executive officer; or
    - (ii) any procedure which establishes a higher testing procedure than that specified in subparagraph (i) and which is approved in writing by the chief executive officer;
    - and
  - (b) if the test is conducted in accordance with the procedure referred to in paragraph (a)(i), at the frequencies 500, 1 000, 1 500, 2 000, 3 000, 4 000, 6 000, 8 000 Hz except that where an audiometer does not possess a 1 500 Hz tone the hearing threshold for that frequency shall be calculated by drawing a straight line on an audiogram connecting the points of threshold for 1 000 and 2 000 Hz, marking the point of intersection with the 1 500 Hz line, and adjusting this value to the nearest 5dB increment.
- (5) If, in the opinion of the chief executive officer, a worker has an injury which will prevent the effective use of an audiometric test referred to in subregulation (4), the hearing of that worker may be tested by any other method approved for the purposes of this subregulation.

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- (6) In instances where audiometric testing is carried out by an audiometric officer and the audiometric officer believes that the worker meets the criteria specified in Item 4 of Waugh & Macrae's criteria for medical referral in Table 1 of National Acoustic Laboratories Report No. 80 "Criteria for assessing hearing conservation audiograms", the audiometric officer shall refer the worker to a medical practitioner and the audiometric officer shall defer audiometric testing until the worker has complied with the referral and the audiometric officer is satisfied that the worker does not meet those criteria.
- (7) Where an initial audiometric test is carried out by an audiometric officer and the results of an air conduction test meet the criteria specified in Item 1, 2 or 3 of Waugh and Macrae's criteria for medical referral in Table 1 of National Acoustic Laboratories Report No. 80, the audiometric officer shall refer the worker to an audiologist or an approved medical practitioner for full audiometric testing.
- (8) Where the results of an air conduction test carried out after an initial audiometric test show
  - (a) at least a 10% loss of hearing from the initial audiometric test; or
  - (b) at least a 5% loss of hearing from the loss shown by the audiometric test which resulted in a successful election by the worker under section 24A or 31E of the Act; or
  - (c) where the worker has reached the age of 65 years or on the worker's retirement from work before that age, any further percentage loss of hearing from the loss shown by the audiometric test which resulted in a successful election by the worker under section 24A or 31E of the Act,

the worker shall be referred by WorkCover WA to an audiologist or an approved medical practitioner for full audiometric testing, and the audiologist or medical practitioner shall, upon completion of that testing refer the worker to a

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medical practitioner registered in the specialty of otorhinolaryngology for full otorhinolaryngological assessment to determine the percentage of noise induced hearing loss.

(9) Where the results of a further air conduction test, carried out after those tests referred to in subregulation (8), show a further loss of hearing, the worker shall be referred by WorkCover WA to an audiologist or an approved medical practitioner for full audiometric testing and the audiologist or medical practitioner shall, if a further hearing loss is confirmed, refer the worker to a medical practitioner registered in the speciality of otorhinolaryngology for a full otorhinolaryngological assessment to determine the percentage of noise induced hearing loss.

(10) Where a worker is referred to an approved medical practitioner, audiologist or medical practitioner registered in the speciality of otorhinolaryngology under subregulation (6), (7), (8) or (9), the audiometric test of that worker is completed on the date that —

- (a) if the referral is under subregulation (6), the audiometric officer completes the audiometric test; and
- (b) if the referral is under subregulation (7), the medical practitioner or audiologist completes the audiometric test; and
- (c) if the referral is under subregulation (8) or (9), the medical practitioner or audiologist completes the audiometric test, or if the worker is further referred, the medical practitioner registered in the speciality of otorhinolaryngology determines the percentage of noise induced hearing loss.

[Regulation 19C inserted in Gazette 26 Feb 1991 p. 935-7; amended in Gazette 3 Apr 1992 p. 1541-2; 24 Dec 1993 p. 6845; 17 Nov 2000 p. 6312; 21 Jan 2005 p. 276; 28 Oct 2005 p. 4884-5.]

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## **19D.** Notice of audiometric test and testing arrangements

- (1) The employer of a worker who is required, or who makes a request, to undergo an audiometric test under clause 2 shall give written notice of the test to the worker in the form of Form 18 in Appendix I.
- (2) The employer of a worker given a notice under subregulation (1) shall ensure that the worker is not knowingly exposed in the workplace, and the worker shall not knowingly permit himself to be exposed, to noise levels above 80dB(A) during the 16 hours preceding an audiometric test.
- (3) A worker given a notice under subregulation (1) shall not, without reasonable excuse, proof of which is on the worker, fail to submit himself for testing so notified.

[Regulation 19D inserted in Gazette 26 Feb 1991 p. 937; amended in Gazette 17 Nov 2000 p. 6312.]

# **19E.** Calculation of loss of hearing

- (1) In sections 24A(2) and 31E(3) of the Act, loss of hearing means loss of hearing calculated in accordance with the hearing loss tables RB and EB published in Appendices 3 and 7 of Report No. 118 of the National Acoustic Laboratories as annexed in Appendix III.
- (2) The method of determining percentage loss of hearing occurring during the interval between 2 audiometric tests shall be by subtraction.

[*Regulation 19E inserted in Gazette 26 Feb 1991 p. 937; amended in Gazette 28 Oct 2005 p. 4885.*]

# 19F. Report on audiometric test and storage of results

(1) A person who carries out an audiometric test shall ensure that the results are prepared and delivered to WorkCover WA and the worker in the form of Form 19A or Form 19B in Appendix I, as the case requires.

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- (2) WorkCover WA shall, on the written request of the worker tested, communicate the results of an audiometric test delivered to it under clause 4(2) to any person specified by the worker in that request.
- (3) A person who receives the results of an audiometric test under subregulation (2) shall ensure that the results of the test, and any information derived from those results are not communicated to any person other than the worker except at the written request of the worker tested.

Penalty: a fine of \$1 000.

(4) WorkCover WA shall store the results of audiometric tests delivered to it under clause 4(2) for a period ending the day after the 70th birthday of the worker to whom the results relate.

[Regulation 19F inserted in Gazette 26 Feb 1991 p. 937-8; amended in Gazette 17 Nov 2000 p. 6312; 21 Jan 2005 p. 276; 28 Oct 2005 p. 4885.]

[**19G.** Deleted in Gazette 28 Oct 2005 p. 4885.]

# 19H. Retest of person's hearing

- A worker or employer who disputes the results of an audiometric test shall give notice in the form of Form 21 in Appendix I to WorkCover WA.
- (2) A retest of a worker's hearing under clause 7(1) shall be carried out in the manner prescribed under regulation 19C by
  - (a) an approved medical practitioner; or
  - (b) an audiologist; or
  - (c) a medical practitioner registered in the speciality of otorhinolaryngology,

nominated in writing by the chief executive officer.

(3) A retest of a worker's hearing under clause 7(1) may include —

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	(a)	a phys	sical examination; and
	(b)	practi deterr	ther appropriate investigation the approved medical tioner or audiologist considers necessary to nine —
		(i)	whether the worker's hearing loss is noise induced; and
		(ii)	whether the worker's hearing loss is due, or partly due, to ear disease; and
		(iii)	whether the worker's hearing loss is due, or partly due, to a hearing loss which is noise induced but of a type which is not due to the nature of any employment in which the worker was or is engaged; and
		(iv)	any other causes of the hearing loss.
(4)	the me otorhi loss of	edical p nolaryn f the wo	d to the results obtained under subregulation (3), ractitioner registered in the speciality of gology may determine the noise induced hearing orker as a binaural noise induced hearing loss a percentage loss of hearing.
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(1)	workp or is li	lace or	ses of clause 10 a prescribed workplace is a part of a workplace where a worker is receiving, receive, noise above the action level specified in (2).
(2)	For th	e purpo	ses of this regulation —
	action	level n	neans —
	(a)	an L p	beak of 140dB(lin); or
	(b)	a repr	esentative LAeq.8h of 90dB(A):

(b) a representative LAeq,8h of 90dB(A);

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*L peak* means the maximum unweighted sound pressure level recorded with an instrument equipped for measuring peak values in accordance with AS 1259.1-1990;

*representative LAeq,8h* means an 8 hour equivalent continuous A weighted sound pressure level, determined from the assessment of worker exposures that is typical of the operation, work pattern or process being assessed as described in AS 1269-1989 Clause 1.4.7.

[Regulation 19I inserted in Gazette 26 Feb 1991 p. 939.]

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[Heading inserted in Gazette 15 Oct 1999 p. 4890.]

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### 19IA. Guides for assessing degree of disability

- (1) The first edition is prescribed for the purposes of the definition of *AMA Guides* in section 93CA of the Act.
- (2) To the extent, if any, that neither section 93D(2)(a) nor (b) of the Act applies to the assessment of the degree of disability of a worker for the purposes of section 93E, the degree of disability is to be assessed in accordance with the American Medical Association's *Guides to the Evaluation of Permanent Impairment* (4<sup>th</sup> Edition).

[Regulation 19IA inserted in Gazette 17 Nov 2000 p. 6312-13; amended in Gazette 28 Oct 2005 p. 4885.]

# 19J. Assessment of degree of disability

- (1) Subject to regulations 19JA and 19JB, a referral under section 93D(5) of the Act
  - (a) is to be made in the form of Form 22 in Appendix I; and
  - (b) is to nominate one, and only one, relevant level of the degree of disability in respect of which the referral is made.
- (2) A notification under section 93D(7) of the Act is to be
  - (a) made in the form of Form 23 in Appendix I; and
  - (b) accompanied by a copy of the medical evidence produced to the Director under section 93D(6) of the Act.

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(3) Subject to regulations 19JA and 19JB, a notification under section 93D(8) of the Act is to be made in the form of Form 23 in Appendix I.

[Regulation 19J inserted in Gazette 15 Oct 1999 p. 4890-1; amended in Gazette 14 Dec 1999 p. 6147; 26 Oct 2004 p. 4899; 28 Oct 2005 p. 4886 and 4911.]

# **19JA.** Method of referral and notification when Act s. 93EA(3) applies

- A referral under section 93D(5) of the Act in combination with section 93EA(3) of the Act (due to the application of section 93EA(3) of the Act) is to be made in the form of Appendix I Form 22A.
- (2) When completing Form 22A, the worker is to nominate one, and only one, relevant level of the degree of disability in respect of which the referral is made, and provide details of the medical evidence relied upon to support the referral.
- (3) If section 93EA(3) of the Act applies because of a referral that was made before 14 December 1999 and, in that earlier referral —
  - (a) the worker nominated both relevant levels of the degree of disability on the same form; and
  - (b) the worker is still seeking to nominate both relevant levels of the degree of disability in the present referral,

the worker is to complete a separate Form 22A for each of the previously nominated relevant levels of the degree of disability.

- (4) A notification under section 93EA(5)(a) and (b)(i) of the Act is to be given in the form of Appendix I Form 23A.
- (5) The Director is to include a copy of any medical evidence that was produced and that complies with section 93D(6) of the Act, when giving notification under subregulation (4).

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- (6) A notification under section 93D(8) of the Act that relates to a referral under section 93D(5) of the Act, due to the application of section 93EA(3) of the Act, is to be made in the form of Appendix I Form 23A.
- (7) A notification under section 93EA(5)(b)(ii) of the Act is to be given in writing.

[Regulation 19JA inserted in Gazette 26 Oct 2004 p. 4899-900; amended in Gazette 28 Oct 2005 p. 4911.]

# **19JB.** Method of referral and notification when Act s. 93EB(3) applies

- A referral under section 93D(5) of the Act in combination with section 93EB(3) of the Act (due to the application of section 93EB(3) of the Act) is to be made in the form of Appendix I Form 22B.
- (2) When completing Form 22B, the worker is to nominate one, and only one, relevant level of the degree of disability in respect of which the referral is made, and provide details of the medical evidence relied upon to support the referral.
- (3) If section 93EB(3) of the Act applies because of a referral that was made before 14 December 1999 and, in that earlier referral —
  - (a) the worker nominated both relevant levels of the degree of disability on the same form; and
  - (b) the worker is still seeking to nominate both relevant levels of the degree of disability in the present referral,

the worker is to complete a separate Form 22B for each of the previously nominated relevant levels of the degree of disability.

(4) A notification under section 93EB(5)(a) and (b)(i) of the Act is to be given in the form of Appendix I Form 23B.

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- (5) The Director is to include a copy of any medical evidence that was produced and that complies with section 93D(6) of the Act, when giving notification under subregulation (4).
- (6) A notification under section 93D(8) of the Act that relates to a referral under section 93D(5) of the Act, due to the application of section 93EB(3) of the Act, is to be made in the form of Appendix I Form 23B.
- (7) A notification under section 93EB(5)(b)(ii) of the Act is to be given in writing.

[Regulation 19JB inserted in Gazette 26 Oct 2004 p. 4900-1; amended in Gazette 28 Oct 2005 p. 4911.]

## 19K. Agreement as to degree of disability

- (1) An agreement as to the level of the degree of disability for the purposes of section 93E(3)(a), (4) or (9) of the Act is to be made in the form of Form 24 in Appendix I and lodged with the Director.
- (2) On receipt of the agreement the Director is to
  - (a) record the agreement in a register kept for that purpose; and
  - (b) complete the relevant section of the agreement form and give a copy of it to the worker and the employer.

[Regulation 19K inserted in Gazette 15 Oct 1999 p. 4891; amended in Gazette 28 Oct 2005 p. 4886.]

# 19L. Determination of degree of disability

- (1) The Director is to be notified as soon as practicable after the determination of
  - (a) a dispute that arises under section 93D(8) of the Act; or
  - (b) a question referred to a medical panel under section 93D(11) of the Act.

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- (2) Upon becoming aware of a determination described in subregulation (1), the Director is to, as soon as practicable
  - (a) record the determination in a register kept for that purpose; and
  - (b) give a copy of the determination to the worker, the employer and the employer's insurer advising that the determination has been recorded.

[Regulation 19L inserted in Gazette 15 Oct 1999 p. 4891; amended in Gazette 17 Nov 2000 p. 6313; 28 Oct 2005 p. 4886; 18 Nov 2011 p. 4823.]

# 19M. Election to retain right to seek common law damages

- (1) An election under section 93E(3)(b) of the Act
  - (a) is made by completing an election form in the form of Form 25 in Appendix I and lodging it with the Director; and
  - (b) cannot be made unless
    - (i) it is agreed that the degree of disability is not less than 16%; or
    - (ii) it is determined that the degree of disability is not less than 16%.
- (2) If it is agreed that the degree of disability is not less than 16% the election form is to be accompanied by Form 24 in Appendix I unless an agreement as to the degree of disability for the purposes of section 93E(3)(a), (4) or (9) of the Act was recorded under regulation 19K before the lodgment of the election form.
- (3) If it is determined that the degree of disability is not less than 16% the election form is to be accompanied by evidence of the determination unless a determination of a dispute as to the degree of disability was recorded under regulation 19L before the lodgment of the election form.

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- (4) Subject to subregulation (5), on the day on which the Director receives the election form the Director is to —
  - (a) record
    - (i) under regulation 19K(2)(a) the agreement (if any) accompanying the election form; or
    - (ii) under regulation 19L(2)(a) the determination (if any) accompanying the election form;

and

- (b) register the election in a register kept for that purpose; and
- (c) complete the relevant section of the election form and give a copy of it to the worker and the employer.
- (5) The Director may refuse to register an election if not satisfied that the worker has been properly advised of the consequences of the election.
- (6) This regulation applies to an election under section 93E(3)(b) of the Act that is commenced on or after the day on which the Workers' Compensation and Rehabilitation Amendment Regulations (No. 11) 1999 come into operation <sup>1</sup>.

[Regulation 19M inserted in Gazette 14 Dec 1999 p. 6147-8; amended in Gazette 17 Nov 2000 p. 6313-14.]

#### 19N. Extension of time to make election under Act s. 93E(3)(b)

(1) In this regulation —

*extension period* means the period of time that ends 6 months after the termination day;

*termination day* has the meaning that it has in section 93E of the Act.

(2) For the purposes of section 93E(7) of the Act, the circumstances in which the Director may extend the period of time within which an election can be made under section 93E(3)(b) of the

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Act exist, whether or not the period being extended has already expired, if —

- (a) the Director is satisfied that the worker will require major surgery in respect of the injury in the extension period; or
- (aa) upon an application described in subregulation (3a), the Director is satisfied that an extension should be given for a period ending not more than 8 weeks after the termination day to give time for a specialist in a relevant field of medicine to prepare a report, based on treatment or medical investigation of the worker, as to whether the worker will require major surgery in respect of the injury in the extension period; or
- (b) no extension has been given under paragraph (aa) and the Director is satisfied that medical evidence that the worker will require major surgery in respect of the injury in the extension period has not been obtained from a medical practitioner who is a specialist in a relevant field of medicine despite all reasonably practicable steps having been taken by or on behalf of the worker to obtain that evidence; or
- (c) the Director is satisfied that a medical panel under section 36 of the Act has determined that the worker's injury is of a kind mentioned in section 33 or 34 of the Act.
- (3) An application for an extension of time under subregulation (2)(a) is to be
  - (a) made in the form of Form 26 in Appendix I; and
  - (b) accompanied by medical evidence from a medical practitioner who is a specialist in a relevant field of medicine; and
  - (c) lodged with the Director at least 21 days before
    - (i) the termination day; or

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- (ii) if an extension of time has been granted under subregulation (2)(aa) or (b), the last day of the period as extended.
- (3a) An application for an extension of time under subregulation (2)(aa) to give time for the preparation of a specialist's report, based on treatment or medical investigation of the worker, is to be —
  - (a) made in the form of Form 28 in Appendix I; and
  - (b) accompanied by medical evidence from a specialist in a relevant field of medicine indicating that
    - (i) a report could not be satisfactorily prepared without the treatment or investigation having been carried out; and
    - (ii) the extension sought is needed to give sufficient time for the preparation of the report;

and

- (c) lodged with the Director at least 21 days before the termination day.
- (4) An application for an extension of time under subregulation (2)(b) is to be
  - (a) made in the form of Form 27 in Appendix I; and
  - (b) accompanied by such evidence, in addition to that provided in the Form 27, as may be requested by the Director about
    - (i) the requirement for the worker to have the surgery mentioned in subregulation (2)(b); or
    - (ii) the action taken by or on behalf of the worker to obtain the medical evidence mentioned in subregulation (2)(b);
    - and
  - (c) lodged with the Director at least 21 days before the termination day.

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- (5) An application for an extension of time under subregulation (2)(c) is to be
  - (a) made in the form of Form 26 in Appendix I; and
  - (b) accompanied by evidence of the medical panel's determination; and
  - (c) lodged with the Director at least 21 days before
    - (i) the termination day; or
    - (ii) if an extension of time has been granted under subregulation (2)(aa) or (b), the last day of the period as extended.
- (6) Within 14 days of receiving the application the Director is to
  - (a) decide whether to extend the period within which the election can be made; and
  - (b) set the extension period in accordance with section 93E(7); and
  - (c) complete the relevant section of the application form and give a copy of it to the worker and the employer.

[Regulation 19N inserted in Gazette 14 Dec 1999 p. 6149-50; amended in Gazette 17 Nov 2000 p. 6314-16; 28 Oct 2005 p. 4911.]

#### 19O. Application for compensation

An application for compensation under section 93E(11) of the Act is to be made and dealt with in accordance with the *Workers' Compensation and Injury Management Conciliation Rules 2011* or the *Workers' Compensation and Injury Management Arbitration Rules 2011*, as relevant, as if it were an application in respect of a dispute as to the amount of compensation.

[*Regulation 190 inserted in Gazette 15 Oct 1999 p. 4892; amended in Gazette 28 Oct 2005 p. 4886; 18 Nov 2011 p. 4823.*]

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# **19P.** Notification to workers about elections as to common law damages

- (1) The employer of a worker who has an unfinalised claim for compensation under the Act is to give the worker written notice, in a form approved by the chief executive officer, of
  - (a) the requirement under section 93E(3)(b) of the Act for the worker to elect to retain the right to seek damages; and
  - (b) the date by which the election is to be made.
- (2) The employer is to give the notice mentioned in subregulation (1)
  - (a) if a dispute resolution authority orders that weekly payments of compensation are to commence, within 7 days of the day of the order; or
  - (b) in any other case, 3 and 5 months from the day on which weekly payments commenced.
- (3) An employer's obligation under this regulation to give a worker notice is fulfilled if the notice is given, within the time required, by an insurer with which the employer has a policy indemnifying the employer against liability to pay the compensation claimed.

[Regulation 19P inserted in Gazette 14 Dec 1999 p. 6150-1; amended in Gazette 17 Nov 2000 p. 6316-17; 21 Jan 2005 p. 276; 28 Oct 2005 p. 4886.]

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[Heading inserted in Gazette 28 Oct 2005 p. 4887.]

# 20. Recording agreement

- (1) If
  - (a) the worker and the employer agree —

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(i)	that the worker's degree of permanent whole of
	person impairment is at least 15%; and

 (ii) as to whether or not the worker's degree of permanent whole of person impairment is at least 25%;

and

(b) the worker, in writing, requests the Director to record the agreement,

the Director is required to record the agreement in a register kept for the purpose unless an agreement or assessment as to the worker's degree of permanent whole of person impairment has already been recorded under this regulation or regulation 21.

- (2) The request under subregulation (1)(b) for the Director to record the agreement has to include
  - (a) the worker's name and any other details necessary to identify the worker; and
  - (b) details sufficient to enable the worker to be contacted; and
  - (c) the worker's date of birth; and
  - (d) the date on which the injury occurred and a description of the injury; and
  - (e) if a claim for compensation under the Act for the injury has been made, the date on which the worker's claim was made and sufficient other details to identify the claim (including any claim number that may have been given to the claim); and
  - (f) the employer's name and any other details necessary to identify the employer; and
  - (g) details sufficient to enable the employer to be contacted; and
  - (h) the name of the insurer, if any.

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(3) The Director's record in the register is to be in the form of Form 32 in Appendix I, and the Director is required to give a copy of the record to each of the worker and the employer.

[Regulation 20 inserted in Gazette 28 Oct 2005 p. 4887-8.]

#### 21. Recording assessment

- (1) If
  - (a) the worker's degree of permanent whole of person impairment has been assessed to be a percentage that is not less than 15%; and
  - (b) the Director has been given
    - (i) a copy of the certificate given to the worker under section 146H(1)(b) of the Act; and
    - (ii) if the assessment involves a special evaluation as defined in section 146C(4) of the Act, a copy of the certificate referred to in section 93N(1) of the Act on the basis of which the special evaluation was requested;

and

(c) the worker, in writing, requests the Director to record the assessment,

the Director is required to record the assessment in a register kept for the purpose unless an agreement or assessment as to the worker's degree of permanent whole of person impairment has already been recorded under regulation 20 or this regulation.

(2) The Director's record in the register is to be in the form of Form 33 in Appendix I, and the Director is required to give a copy of the record to each of the worker and the employer.

[Regulation 21 inserted in Gazette 28 Oct 2005 p. 4888-9.]

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## 22. Electing to retain right to seek damages

- An election under section 93K(4)(a) of the Act is made by completing an election form in the form of Form 34 in Appendix I and lodging it with the Director.
- (2) Unless under subregulation (3) the Director refuses to register the election, the Director is to
  - (a) register the election in a register kept for that purpose on the day on which the Director receives the election form; and
  - (b) complete the relevant section of the election form and give a copy of it to the worker and the employer.
- (3) The Director may refuse to register the election if not satisfied that the worker has been properly advised of the consequences of the election.

[Regulation 22 inserted in Gazette 28 Oct 2005 p. 4889.]

## 23. Extending termination day

- (1) A worker may apply for the Director to extend the termination day under section 93M of the Act.
- (2) The application is made by
  - (a) lodging with the Director a completed application form in the form of Form 35 in Appendix I; and
  - (b) providing to the Director, with the application form, anything that this regulation requires to be provided with the application form.
- (3) If the application is made in the circumstances described in section 93M(4)(a) of the Act
  - (a) when the application form is lodged, the Director has to be provided with
    - (i) a copy of the approved medical specialist's certificate certifying that the worker's condition

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has not stabilised to the extent required for a normal evaluation of the worker's degree of permanent whole of person impairment to be made in accordance with the WorkCover Guides as described in sections 146A and 146C of the Act; and

- a copy of the approved medical specialist's recommendation of a day until which the termination day be extended; and
- (iii) a copy of the approved medical specialist's report under section 146H(2)(c) of the Act;
- and
- (b) the Director may, within the limits imposed by the Act, extend the termination day until a day that the Director, having regard to the approved medical specialist's recommendation, considers will give the worker a reasonable opportunity to make an election under section 93K(4)(a) of the Act.
- (4) If the application is made in the circumstances described in section 93M(4)(b) of the Act, the Director cannot extend the termination day to a day that is more than 6 months after the day on which the Director gives the extension.
- (5) If the application is made in the circumstances described in section 93M(4)(c) of the Act
  - (a) when the application form is lodged
    - (i) if the worker has, in writing, requested an assessment of the worker's degree of permanent whole of person impairment, the Director has to be provided with a copy of the worker's request; and
    - (ii) if the approved medical specialist has notified the worker, in writing, that more time is or was required to give the worker the documents required by section 146H of the Act than the time

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described in section 93O(1)(d) of the Act, the Director has to be provided with a copy of the notification;

- and
- (b) the Director may, within the limits imposed by the Act, extend the termination day until a day that the Director, having regard to the further time needed by the approved medical specialist, considers will give the worker a reasonable opportunity to make an election under section 93K(4)(a) of the Act.
- (6) If the application is made in the circumstances described in section 93M(4)(d)(i) or (ii) of the Act
  - (a) when the application form is lodged
    - (i) the Director has to be provided with a copy of the worker's request for an assessment of the worker's degree of permanent whole of person impairment; and
    - (ii) if the approved medical specialist has notified the worker, in writing, that it would be impracticable to give the worker the documents required by section 146H of the Act at least 7 days before the termination day, the Director has to be provided with a copy of the notification;
    - and
  - (b) the Director may, within the limits imposed by the Act, extend the termination day until a day that the Director considers will give the worker a reasonable opportunity to make an election under section 93K(4)(a) of the Act.

[Regulation 23 inserted in Gazette 28 Oct 2005 p. 4889-92.]

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# 24. Expected time for approved medical specialist to give assessment documents

An approved medical specialist can reasonably be expected to take 6 weeks, after a worker requests an assessment of the worker's degree of permanent whole of person impairment, to give the worker the documents that the approved medical specialist is required by section 146H of the Act to give the worker.

[Regulation 24 inserted in Gazette 28 Oct 2005 p. 4892.]

# 25. Employer's obligation to notify worker

The notice that an employer is required by section 93O(1) of the Act to give to a worker has to be given by sending the worker a document in the form of Form 36 in Appendix I.

[Regulation 25 inserted in Gazette 28 Oct 2005 p. 4893.]

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# Part 4 — Registered agents

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## **Division 1**—**Preliminary**

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#### 26. Terms used

In this Part —

*applicant* means an applicant for registration;

*code of conduct* means the code of conduct set out in Appendix IV;

*employer*, in relation to an applicant or registered agent, other than a person in a class of persons prescribed under regulation 27A(b) or (c), means the person or body —

- (a) by which the applicant or registered agent is employed or engaged; and
- (b) as an employee or officer of which the applicant proposes to act as a registered agent, or of which the registered agent acts as a registered agent;

*fit and proper person*, in relation to an applicant or registered agent, means a person who satisfies WorkCover WA that he or she —

- (a) by reason of qualification or experience or both, has sufficient knowledge of the workers' compensation jurisdiction to represent a party effectively; and
- (b) is of good character;

*independent agent* means a person in a class of persons prescribed under regulation 27A(c);

*registration* means registration under this Part as a registered agent.

[Regulation 26 inserted in Gazette 28 Oct 2005 p. 4893; amended in Gazette 9 Dec 2005 p. 5892.]

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# 27. Prescribed organisations (Act s. 277(1)(e))

The following organisations are prescribed for the purposes of section 277(1)(e) of the Act —

- (a) the Asbestos Diseases Advisory Service of Australia;
- (b) UnionsWA;
- (c) the Chamber of Commerce and Industry of Western Australia.

[Regulation 27 inserted in Gazette 9 Dec 2005 p. 5892.]

## 27A. Prescribed classes of persons (Act s. 277(1)(f))

The following classes of persons are prescribed for the purposes of section 277(1)(f) of the Act —

- (a) persons employed or engaged by a person or body that is engaged to provide claims management services to a self-insurer;
- (b) persons engaged by a self-insurer to provide claims management services to the self-insurer;
- (c) persons to whom section 277 of the Act does not otherwise apply and who act, or propose to act, as independent agents in the Conciliation Service or the Arbitration Service.

[Regulation 27A inserted in Gazette 9 Dec 2005 p. 5892-3; amended in Gazette 18 Nov 2011 p. 4823.]

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[Heading inserted in Gazette 28 Oct 2005 p. 4894.]

#### 28. Application for registration

(1) An application for registration must be made to WorkCover WA in a form approved by WorkCover WA.

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- (2) Unless an application is made by a person in a class of persons prescribed under regulation 27A(b) or (c), it must include a nomination of the applicant signed by the applicant's employer.
- (2a) An application by an independent agent must be accompanied by
  - (a) a criminal record check in respect of the applicant issued not more than 3 months before the application is made;
  - (b) if the criminal record check shows details of a conviction, a statement detailing the grounds on which the applicant believes that, having regard to the conduct required under the code of conduct, the conviction is of a kind that does not relate to whether or not the applicant is a fit and proper person to be registered;
  - (c) a statement setting out the qualifications of the applicant, or any experience of the applicant, that demonstrates sufficient knowledge of the workers' compensation jurisdiction to enable the applicant to represent a party effectively;
  - (d) a statutory declaration verifying the particulars contained in the application and accompanying material.
- (2b) An application by a person in a class of persons prescribed under regulation 27A(a) or (b) must be accompanied by —
  - (a) a statement identifying the self-insurers to whom the agent, or the employer of the agent, is engaged to provide claims management services; and
  - (b) a statutory declaration verifying the particulars contained in the statement.
- (3) The application must be accompanied by evidence satisfactory to WorkCover WA that
  - (a) there is, or upon registration under this Part will be, in force with respect to the applicant a policy of professional indemnity insurance for not less than \$1 million for any one claim; or

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- (b) within the meaning of subregulation (4), the applicant has sufficient material resources to provide professional indemnity.
- (4) A person has sufficient material resources to provide professional indemnity if
  - (a) the person is nominated by an employer who
    - (i) maintains professional indemnity insurance for not less than \$1 million for any one claim; or
    - (ii) holds legal or equitable estates or interests of not less than \$1 million in real or personal property;
    - or
  - (b) the person holds legal or equitable estates or interests of not less than \$1 million in real or personal property.
- (5) The applicant must provide WorkCover WA with any additional information or document that WorkCover WA may ask for.
- (6) In subregulation (2a)(a) —

*criminal record check* means a document issued by the Western Australian Police Service, Australian Federal Police or another body or agency approved by WorkCover WA that sets out the criminal convictions of an individual for offences under the law of Western Australia, the Commonwealth, another State or a Territory.

[Regulation 28 inserted in Gazette 28 Oct 2005 p. 4894-5; amended in Gazette 9 Dec 2005 p. 5893-4.]

# 29. Registration

- (1) WorkCover WA may refuse to register an applicant if
  - (a) the application is not duly made; or
  - (b) in the case of an application by an independent agent, the applicant is not a fit and proper person to be a registered agent.

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- (2) WorkCover WA cannot refuse an application unless it has
  - (a) given the applicant written notice of the intention to refuse the application, and of the grounds for the proposed refusal; and
  - (b) allowed at least 21 days for the applicant to show cause why the application should not be refused.
- (3) In the case of a registered agent other than a person in a class of persons prescribed under regulation 27A(b) or (c), registration has effect to the extent that the person acts as a registered agent as an employee or officer of the employer that nominates the person in the application under regulation 28(2), and not otherwise.
- (4) In the case of a registered agent who is a person in a class of persons prescribed under regulation 27A(a) or (b), registration has effect to the extent that the person acts as a registered agent for —
  - (a) a self-insurer identified in the agent's application under regulation 28(2b); or
  - (b) a self-insurer identified in a statement
    - (i) provided to WorkCover WA after registration by the agent; and
    - (ii) verified by statutory declaration of the agent; and
    - (iii) accepted by WorkCover WA.

[Regulation 29 inserted in Gazette 28 Oct 2005 p. 4895; amended in Gazette 9 Dec 2005 p. 5894-5.]

# **30.** Indemnity and other conditions of registration

(1) It is a condition of registration that the professional indemnity insurance or material resources of the registered agent referred to in regulation 28(3) must be maintained during the period of registration.

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- (2) It is a condition of registration that the registered agent must comply with the code of conduct.
- (3) In the case of a registered agent other than a person in a class of persons prescribed under regulation 27A(b) or (c), it is a condition of registration that the person will not act as a registered agent other than as an employee or officer of the employer who nominated the agent in the application for registration.
- (4) In the case of a registered agent who is a person in a class of persons prescribed under regulation 27A(a) or (b), it is a condition of registration that the person will not act as a registered agent other than for —
  - (a) a self-insurer identified in the agent's application under regulation 28(2b); or
  - (b) a self-insurer identified in a statement
    - (i) provided to WorkCover WA after registration by the agent; and
    - (ii) verified by statutory declaration of the agent; and
    - (iii) accepted by WorkCover WA.

[Regulation 30 inserted in Gazette 28 Oct 2005 p. 4895-6; amended in Gazette 9 Dec 2005 p. 5895.]

# **31.** Duration of registration

- (1) Except as provided in subregulation (3), a registration has effect from the day it is granted and continues in force until the following 30 June.
- (2) An application for the renewal of registration may be made at any time before the registration expires and, except as provided in subregulation (3), any such renewal has effect for the period 1 July to 30 June.
- (3) If a registered agent is removed from the register under regulation 36, or has his or her registration suspended or

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cancelled under regulation 38 or 39, the registration or renewal has effect until that removal or suspension, as the case requires.

[Regulation 31 inserted in Gazette 28 Oct 2005 p. 4896.]

# 32. Application for renewal of registration

- (1) An application for renewal of registration must be made in the same manner and form as an application for registration.
- (2) An application for renewal must be made not later than 28 days before the day on which the registration is due to expire.
- (3) WorkCover WA may shorten the period referred to in subregulation (2) and may do so either before or after the application is required to be made under that subregulation.
- (4) WorkCover WA may refuse to renew the registration if
  - (a) the application is not duly made; or
  - (b) in the case of an application by an independent agent, the applicant is not a fit and proper person to be a registered agent.
- (5) WorkCover WA cannot refuse to renew the registration unless it has
  - (a) given the applicant written notice of the intention to refuse the application, and of the grounds for the proposed refusal; and
  - (b) allowed at least 21 days for the applicant to show cause why the application should not be refused.

[Regulation 32 inserted in Gazette 28 Oct 2005 p. 4896-7; amended in Gazette 9 Dec 2005 p. 5895-6.]

# **33.** Certificate of registration

- (1) WorkCover WA must issue a person with a certificate of registration
  - (a) on the registration of the person; and

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- (b) on the renewal of the person's registration.
- (2) The period for which the registration of the person has effect must be entered on the certificate.
- (3) In the absence of evidence to the contrary a certificate of registration is evidence that the person to whom the certificate is issued is registered for the period specified in the certificate.

[Regulation 33 inserted in Gazette 28 Oct 2005 p. 4897.]

#### 34. False or misleading information

A person must not in relation to an application for registration or renewal of registration give information orally or in writing that the person knows to be —

- (a) false or misleading in a material particular; or
- (b) likely to deceive in a material way.

Penalty: a fine of \$1 000.

[Regulation 34 inserted in Gazette 28 Oct 2005 p. 4897.]

## **Division 3** — The register

[Heading inserted in Gazette 28 Oct 2005 p. 4898.]

# 35. Register

- (1) WorkCover WA must keep a register in a manner and form determined by it.
- (2) WorkCover WA is to record in the register
  - (a) the name and address of each registered agent; and
  - (b) the name and address of the employer, if any, of the registered agent; and
  - (c) the date of the initial registration and each date of renewal of registration of each registered agent; and
  - (d) such other particulars as WorkCover WA may determine.

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- (3) WorkCover WA must allow any person
  - (a) to inspect the register; and
  - (b) to take copies of, or extracts from, any part of it.
- (4) A person may, on application to WorkCover WA, obtain a certified copy of a part of, or entry in, the register.
- (5) WorkCover WA must make the amendments, additions and corrections to the register that are necessary to make the register an accurate record of the particulars in relation to all registered agents.

[Regulation 35 inserted in Gazette 28 Oct 2005 p. 4898; amended in Gazette 9 Dec 2005 p. 5896.]

#### **36.** Removal from register

- (1) WorkCover WA may, on the written request of a registered agent and the return of the relevant certificate of registration, remove the name of the registered agent from the register.
- (2) WorkCover WA may remove the name of a registered agent from the register if the employer who nominated the registered agent under regulation 28(2) notifies WorkCover WA in writing that the employer has withdrawn the nomination.

[Regulation 36 inserted in Gazette 28 Oct 2005 p. 4898-9.]

# **Division 4** — **Disciplinary powers**

[Heading inserted in Gazette 28 Oct 2005 p. 4899.]

#### **37.** Restriction on exercise of powers

WorkCover WA cannot take disciplinary action under regulation 38 or 39 unless it has given the registered agent and the employer, if any, who nominated the registered agent under regulation 28(2) an opportunity to show cause why the action should not be taken.

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[*Regulation 37 inserted in Gazette 28 Oct 2005 p. 4899; amended in Gazette 9 Dec 2005 p. 5896.*]

# **38.** Cancellation of registration

WorkCover WA may cancel the registration of a registered agent if WorkCover WA is satisfied that the registered agent has ceased to be an employee or officer of the employer who nominated the registered agent under regulation 28(2).

[Regulation 38 inserted in Gazette 28 Oct 2005 p. 4899.]

# **39.** Taking disciplinary action

- (1) Proper causes for disciplinary action in respect of a registered agent are that the registered agent
  - (a) improperly obtained registration; or
  - (b) has contravened a condition of that person's registration; or
  - (c) has done or omitted to do something, or engaged in conduct, that renders the person unfit to be registered.
- (2) WorkCover WA may, on receiving a written complaint about a registered agent, carry out any investigation necessary to decide whether there is proper cause for disciplinary action in respect of a registered agent.
- (3) If WorkCover WA is satisfied that proper cause exists for disciplinary action, WorkCover WA may
  - (a) reprimand or caution the registered agent; or
  - (b) attach a condition to the registration; or
  - (c) suspend the registration for a period not exceeding 12 months; or
  - (d) cancel the registration.

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<sup>[</sup>Regulation 39 inserted in Gazette 28 Oct 2005 p. 4899-900.]

# 40. Return of certificate of registration

- (1) If WorkCover WA suspends or cancels a person's registration it must give directions in writing to the person as to the return to it of the certificate of registration.
- (2) A person given a direction under subregulation (1) must comply with the direction.

Penalty: a fine of \$1 000.

[Regulation 40 inserted in Gazette 28 Oct 2005 p. 4900.]

# Division 5 — Review

[Heading inserted in Gazette 28 Oct 2005 p. 4900.]

# 41. Review by SAT

A person aggrieved by a decision of WorkCover WA to ----

- (a) refuse an application for registration or for renewal of registration; or
- (b) suspend or cancel the person's registration,

may apply to the State Administrative Tribunal for a review of that decision.

[Regulation 41 inserted in Gazette 28 Oct 2005 p. 4900.]

#### Division 6 — Miscellaneous

[Heading inserted in Gazette 28 Oct 2005 p. 4901.]

# 42. Evidentiary matters

In all courts and before all persons and bodies authorised to receive evidence, in the absence of evidence to the contrary —

- (a) a certificate purporting to be issued by WorkCover WA and stating
  - (i) that a person was or was not registered;

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(ii) that a person's registration was suspended or cancelled,

on any day or days or during a period mentioned in the certificate is evidence of the matters so stated; and

(b) a copy of, or extract from the register or any statement that purports to reproduce matters entered in the register and that is certified by WorkCover WA as a true copy, extract or statement, is evidence of the facts appearing in that copy, extract or statement.

[Regulation 42 inserted in Gazette 28 Oct 2005 p. 4901.]

[43. Deleted in Gazette 18 Nov 2011 p. 4823.]

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[Heading inserted in Gazette 28 Oct 2005 p. 4903.]

# 44. Vocational rehabilitation services

The services listed in column 2 of the Table to this regulation and described in column 3 are services the provision of which, if they are for the purpose of enabling the worker to return to work, may be "vocational rehabilitation" as defined in section 5(1) of the Act.

Table			
column 1 item	column 2 service	column 3 description	
1	support counselling	activities to assist the worker to adjust to the injury and to the worker's return to work; family counselling related to vocational rehabilitation; progress counselling related to the progress of, and problems with, the worker's return to work	
2	vocational counselling	activities focussed on problems the worker has in selecting and preparing for vocational change	
3	purchase of aids and appliances	advising and assisting the worker with the purchase of aids and appliances	
4	case management	activities associated with the management of the worker's return to work, which may include liaising and negotiating with the parties, developing, coordinating and	

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column 1 item	column 2 service	column 3 description
		otherwise managing, and reviewing, the service delivery plan, and arranging for interpreter services
5	retraining criteria assistance	assisting a worker to explore eligibility to participate in a specialised retraining program and to prepare information to show that the retraining criteria are satisfied
6	specialised retraining program assistance	services to assist a worker undertake a specialised retraining program
7	training and education	assisting to develop the worker's skills and knowledge, which may include providing training courses or other aspects of injury management
8	workplace activities	activities involving analysis of work behaviour and analysis and design of job duties
9	placement activities	activities focussed on obtaining a new job for the worker, which may include assistance with the preparation of a resume and preparation for an interview and research and other assistance in finding jobs

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column 1 item	column 2 service	column 3 description
10	assessments:	
(a)	functional capacity	activities associated with assessing the worker's functional capacity, which may include preparing a report
(b)	vocational	activities associated with assessing the worker's vocational and retraining options, which may include preparing a report
(c)	ergonomic	activities associated with assessing how a particular work environment would affect the worker, which may include preparing a report
(d)	job demands	activities associated with identifying and assessing the physical and cognitive demands of a job, which includes preparing a report
(e)	workplace	activities associated with assessing the suitability of various workplace alternatives and other job options, which may include preparing a report
(f)	aids and appliances	activities associated with developing recommendations for aids and appliances to assist the worker, which may include preparing a report

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column 1 item	column 2 service	column 3 description
11	travel	travel that is associated with providing vocational rehabilitation
12	medical	discussion with specialists and other medical practitioners about vocational rehabilitation, which may include preparing a report
13	general reports	status reports relating to vocational rehabilitation

[Regulation 44 inserted in Gazette 28 Oct 2005 p. 4903-5.]

# 44A. Counselling psychology

(1) In this regulation —

*counselling psychologist* means a psychologist who has completed a 4 year psychology degree, a 2 year Master's degree in counselling psychology and 2 years of weekly supervision of full-time practice after completion of the Master's degree.

(2) Where counselling psychology is approved under section 5(1) of the Act as an "approved treatment" for workers suffering disabilities that are compensable under the Act, that treatment can only be provided by a counselling psychologist.

[Regulation 44A inserted in Gazette 15 Dec 2006 p. 5637.]

# 44B. Exercise physiology

(1) In this regulation —

*exercise physiologist* means an individual with current accreditation as an exercise physiologist by Exercise and Sports Science Australia.

(2) Where exercise physiology is approved under section 5(1) of the Act as an "approved treatment" for workers suffering

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disabilities that are compensable under the Act, that treatment can only be provided by an exercise physiologist.

[Regulation 44B inserted in Gazette 17 Dec 2008 p. 5333-4; amended in Gazette 14 Dec 2012 p. 6209.]

# 45. Insurer to advise of injury management obligations

- Subregulation (2) specifies the action that section 155D(1) of the Act requires an insurer to take to make an employer aware of the employer's obligations under section 155B and section 155C(1) and (3) of the Act.
- (2) Whenever the insurer issues to an employer, or renews, a policy of insurance against the employer's liability to pay compensation under the Act, the insurer has to give the employer a written notice informing the employer of the things described in subregulation (3).
- (3) The notice has to inform the employer that
  - (a) section 155A(1) of the Act authorises WorkCover WA to issue a code of practice (injury management) and WorkCover WA will, on request, provide a copy of a code it issues; and
  - (b) section 155B of the Act requires the employer to establish and implement an injury management system in accordance with the code; and
  - (c) section 155C of the Act requires the employer to establish and implement a return to work program for a worker in accordance with the code in circumstances described in that section.

[Regulation 45 inserted in Gazette 28 Oct 2005 p. 4905-6.]

[46. Deleted in Gazette 18 Nov 2011 p. 4823.]

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# Part 6 — Specialised retraining programs

[Heading inserted in Gazette 28 Oct 2005 p. 4907.]

# 47. Recording agreement

(1) If —

- (a) the worker and the employer agree that the worker's degree of permanent whole of person impairment is at least 10% but less than 15%; and
- (b) the worker, in writing, requests the Director to record the agreement,

the Director is required to record the agreement in a register kept for the purpose.

- (2) If
  - (a) the worker and the employer agree that the worker satisfies all of the retraining criteria; and
  - (b) the worker, in writing, requests the Director to record the agreement,

the Director is required to record the agreement in a register kept for the purpose.

- (3) A request under subregulation (1)(b) or (2)(b) for the Director to record an agreement has to include
  - (a) the worker's name and any other details necessary to identify the worker; and
  - (b) details sufficient to enable the worker to be contacted; and
  - (c) the worker's date of birth; and
  - (d) the date on which the injury occurred and a description of the injury; and
  - (e) if a claim for compensation under the Act for the injury has been made, the date on which the worker's claim was made and sufficient other details to identify the

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claim (including any claim number that may have been given to the claim); and

- (f) the employer's name and any other details necessary to identify the employer; and
- (g) details sufficient to enable the employer to be contacted; and
- (h) the name of the insurer, if any.
- (4) The Director's record in the register is to be in the form of
  - (a) if subregulation (1) requires the record, Form 37 in Appendix I;
  - (b) if subregulation (2) requires the record, Form 38 in Appendix I,

and the Director is required to give a copy of the record to each of the worker and the employer.

[Regulation 47 inserted in Gazette 28 Oct 2005 p. 4907-8.]

# 48. Extending final day

- (1) A worker may apply for the Director to extend the final day under section 158B of the Act.
- (2) The application is made by
  - (a) lodging with the Director a completed application form in the form of Form 39 in Appendix I; and
  - (b) providing to the Director, with the application form, particulars about
    - (i) the action taken by the worker to obtain from the employer by the final day any agreement that the worker was unable to obtain as to
      - (I) the worker's degree of permanent whole of person impairment; or
      - (II) whether the worker satisfies all of the retraining criteria;

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and

- the worker's having, at least 8 weeks before the final day, requested an approved medical specialist to assess the worker's degree of permanent whole of person impairment; and
- (iii) the action taken by the worker towards applying under section 158C or 158D of the Act to have a matter in dispute determined by an arbitrator.
- (3) The Director may, within the limits imposed by the Act, extend the final day until a day that the Director considers will give the worker a reasonable opportunity to take the action referred to in section 158B(1) of the Act.

[Regulation 48 inserted in Gazette 28 Oct 2005 p. 4908-9.]

# 49. Request for WorkCover to direct payment

- (1) A person seeking that, under section 158F of the Act, WorkCover WA direct an employer or an insurer to make a payment may, in accordance with this regulation, request WorkCover WA to give the direction.
- (2) The request has to be made to WorkCover WA in writing, giving
  - (a) the date on which the request is made; and
  - (b) the worker's name and any other details necessary to identify the worker; and
  - (c) details sufficient to enable the worker to be contacted; and
  - (d) reasons justifying the giving of the direction; and
  - (e) the date, if any, by which the payment needs to be made.
- (3) If the payment is to satisfy a debt incurred or to recoup the cost of any payment that has been made, the request has to be accompanied by copies of relevant invoices or other sufficient

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evidence of the debt or cost, showing details of each item charged and the rate at which it was charged, if applicable. *[Regulation 49 inserted in Gazette 28 Oct 2005 p. 4909-10.]* 

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# Part 7 — Infringement notices and modified penalties

[Heading inserted in Gazette 28 Oct 2005 p. 4910.]

# 50. Prescribed offences

The offences described in Appendix V are the offences for which an infringement notice may be given under section 175G(1) of the Act.

[Regulation 50 inserted in Gazette 28 Oct 2005 p. 4910.]

# 51. Prescribed modified penalties

A penalty specified in Appendix V is the modified penalty for the corresponding offence in Appendix V for the purposes of section 175H(2)(b) of the Act.

[Regulation 51 inserted in Gazette 28 Oct 2005 p. 4910.]

# 52. Prescribed form of infringement notice

The form of an infringement notice is set out in Appendix I Form 40 for the purposes of section 175H(1) of the Act.

[Regulation 52 inserted in Gazette 28 Oct 2005 p. 4910.]

# 53. Prescribed form of withdrawal of notice

The form of a notice to withdraw an infringement notice is set out in Appendix I Form 41 for the purposes of section 175J(1) of the Act.

[Regulation 53 inserted in Gazette 28 Oct 2005 p. 4911.]

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Form 1

# **Appendix I**

# Form 1

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#### ELECTION FOR SCHEDULE 2 INJURIES UNDER PART III DIVISION 2

(Section 24B)

I,
(name in full block letters)
of
(address)
suffered compensable personal injury by accident in the employment of
(name of employer)
on the day of 20
The injury/injuries suffered by me was/were:

(state nature of injury and percentage loss of use or loss of efficient use of a part or faculty of the body)

(state the part or faculty of the body affected)

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In making this election and upon an agreement being registered under Division 7 of Part 3 of the Act or an award being made by a dispute resolution authority, I acknowledge that after registration or the making of the award:

- (1) I shall have no further entitlement to compensation under the Act for weekly payments arising out of that injury;
- (2) I shall have no further entitlement in respect of that injury subsequent to the date of this election, to payment of expenses under the *Workers' Compensation and Injury Management Act 1981* Schedule 1 clauses 9, 17, 18, 18A and 19 (that is, in general terms, medical or surgical, dental, physiotherapy or chiropractic advice or treatment, first aid and ambulance expenses, medical requisites, charges for attendance and treatment by way of injury management, charges for hospital treatment and maintenance, cost of artificial aids and travelling expenses);
- (3) I shall have no entitlement to further moneys upon any increase to the prescribed amount for this percentage loss of the part or faculty of the body the subject of this election.

Dated the day of 20.

(Signature)

in the presence of:

(Signature and full names and address of witness)

\*Delete if not applicable.

[Form 1 amended in Gazette 26 Feb 1991 p. 939; 8 Mar 1991 p. 1076; 18 Feb 1994 p. 662; 17 Nov 2000 p. 6319; 21 Jan 2005 p. 276; 28 Oct 2005 p. 4912-13.]

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Form 1A

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# ELECTION FOR SCHEDULE 2 INJURIES UNDER PART III DIVISION 2A

(Section 31H)

Surname Mr/Mrs/Miss/Ms
Other Names
Address
Postcode
Phone No.(H)(W)(Mb)
Occupation
(e.g. boiler maker, underground miner)
Main tasks or duties performed
(e.g. welding, drilling)
Employer at date of injury
Address of employer
Postcode

# WORKER'S DECLARATION

Date of injury/injuries
Type of injury/injuries
Degree of permanent impairment
* Before that impairment was suffered I had previously suffered a permanent
impairment from a compensable personal injury by accident to that part or

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faculty of the body resulting in ..... degree of permanent impairment of that part or faculty.

(state the part or faculty of the body affected)

In making this election and upon an agreement being registered under Part III Division 7 of the Act or an award being made by a dispute resolution authority, I acknowledge that after registration or the making of the award:

- (1) I shall have no further entitlement to compensation under the Act for weekly payments arising out of that injury.
- (2) I shall have no further entitlement in respect of that injury subsequent to the date of this election, to payment of expenses under the *Workers' Compensation and Injury Management Act 1981* Schedule 1 clauses 9, 17, 18, 18A and 19 (that is, in general terms, medical or surgical, dental, physiotherapy or chiropractic advice or treatment, first aid and ambulance expenses, medical requisites, charges for attendance and treatment by way of injury management, charges for hospital treatment and maintenance, cost of artificial aids and travelling expenses).
- (3) I shall have no entitlement to further moneys upon any increase to the prescribed amount for this degree of permanent impairment the subject of this election.

Dated the ......20.....

(Signature of worker)

in the presence of:

.....

(Signature and full names and address of witness)

\*Delete if not applicable.

[Form 1A inserted in Gazette 28 Oct 2005 p. 4913-14.]

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#### Form 2

#### Form 2

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Workers' Compensation and Injury Management Act 1981

#### MEDICAL PANEL

(Sections 36 and 38)

#### Particulars of Claimant

Surname
Christian Names
Address
Date of Birth

#### DETERMINATION

- Is, or was, the worker suffering from pneumoconiosis, mesothelioma or lung cancer?
- 2. If so, is, or was, the worker thereby less able to earn full wages?
- 3. To what extent if any does, or did ----
  - (i) pneumoconiosis;
  - (ii) mesothelioma;
  - (iii) lung cancer;
  - (iv) diffuse pleural fibrosis,

adversely affect the worker's ability to undertake physical effort?

4. What other, if any, disease or physical condition is, or was, contributing to the worker's being less able to earn full wages, or death and to what extent?

5. Is, or was, the worker fit for work? If so, at what level — light, moderate, or heavy?

Signed:

(Chairman)

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(Member)

(Member)

Date .....

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Attendance of Medical Practitioner. I hereby certify that of a Medical Practitioner, attended the examination of the above claimant.

(Chairman)

.....

[Form 2 amended in Gazette 8 Mar 1991 p. 1076; 24 Dec 1993 p. 6845-6; 17 Nov 2000 p. 6320; 21 Jan 2005 p. 276; 18 Nov 2011 p. 4823.]

[Form 2A deleted in Gazette 15 Oct 1999 p. 4900.]

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Form 2B

# Form 2B

[r. 6AA]

Workers' Compensation and Injury Management Act 1981

(Section 178(1)(b))

#### Workers' Compensation Claim Form

# Insurer please complete

Date form received from employer:

ASCO (office use only):

Insurer name:

Claim number:

ANZSIC code:

Policy number:

WorkCover number:

Has employer contacted medical practitioner?

Estimated time off work:

 $\Box$  less than one day

- $\Box$  1-4 work days (inclusive)
- $\square$  5-9 work days (inclusive)
- $\Box$  10-20 work days (inclusive)
- $\square$  more than 20 work days
- $\Box$  fatality

# **Employer please complete**

Name of policy holder/employer:

Trading as (if different to above):

Address:

Postcode:

Contact person:

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Name:
Phone number:
Email:
Address of injured worker's usual workplace or base:
Postcode:
Major activity of workplace: (e.g. sheep farming, plumbing)
Date employer received the completed claim form from the injured worker:
Date employer received first medical certificate from the injured worker:
Date employer sent the claim form and medical certificate/s to insurer:
Worker please complete
Surname:
Other names:
Date of birth:
$\square$ Male $\square$ $\square$ Female
Preferred language (if not English):
Address
Postcode
Email:
Daytime contact phone number:
Occupation (e.g. first class welder):
Main tasks/duties performed (e.g. welding of high pressure steam pipes):
At the time of the injury I was working as a: direct employee working director contractor employee of a contractor
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- □ subcontractor
- $\Box$  visa worker
- $\Box$  other

At the time of the injury I was engaged as:

- $\Box$  full-time
- □□ part-time
- □□ permanent
- □□ temporary
- □□ casual

# Worker please complete — Other employment

Do you have any other job?

If yes, please give details: Employer name: Contact phone number: Hours of work per week:

# Worker please complete — Occurrence details

Day of occurrence:

Date of occurrence:

Time of occurrence:

At what address did the occurrence happen?

Did you have to stop working?

If so when?

Date:

Time:

Were you:

- working at your normal workplace
   working away from normal workplace
   working road traffic accident
- $\Box$  on work break at normal workplace
- $\Box$  on work break away from normal workplace
- $\Box$  other duty status

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#### Form 2B

# □□ commuting/journey

Describe the occurrence. Include:

- (i) What action was involved (i.e. fall, struck by object,): [Mechanism]
- (ii) What object/machine/substance was involved (i.e. fumes, door frame): [Agency]
- (iii) The most serious injury or disease caused (i.e. fracture, burn, abrasion): [Nature]
- (iv) The bodily location of the injury or disease (i.e. upper arm, eye): [Bodily location]

# Worker please complete — Occurrence report — Describe how it happened

Where did the occurrence happen? (i.e. store room, machinery shop):

What were you doing at the time of the occurrence?

What were the normal working hours for that day? Starting time: Finish time:

When did you first report the occurrence? Date: Time:

Who did you report the occurrence to? Name: Position: Phone number:

If you didn't report the occurrence immediately, please state the reason if any:

Please provide the name and daytime contact phone number of witnesses of the occurrence:

Name: Phone number: Name: Phone number:

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#### Worker please complete — Medical help/history — This occurrence

When did you first seek medical attention? Date:

Time:

If not immediately, please state the reason:

Was the part of the body affected by this occurrence healthy before this occurrence?

If not, please give details:

Is the present injury completely related to this occurrence? If not, please give details:

Please give details of any similar injury prior to this occurrence:

Name and contact details of your usual medical practitioner and any health provider who has treated you for a similar injury:

Name: Address: Phone number:

# Worker please complete — Other / Previous claims

Are you claiming compensation from any other source? If yes, from whom?

Have you had any similar or related workers' compensation claims?

If yes, please give details: Name of employer: Address of employer: Name of insurer (if known): Type of injury or disease:

# Worker's declaration - worker please complete

I solemnly and sincerely declare that each and every answer above and the particulars contained herein or annexed hereto relating to myself and the occurrence are true both in substance and in fact to the best of my knowledge and belief.

I take notice that, under the provisions of section 59(2) of the *Workers'* Compensation and Injury Management Act 1981, I am required to notify my

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Form 2B

employer in writing within 7 days if I commence work with another employer after making a claim, or while receiving weekly payments of workers' compensation.

Dated this day of: Year:

Signature of worker

Signature of witness

#### Consent authority 1 (to be signed at the option of the worker)

I authorise any doctor who treats me (whether named in this certificate or not) to discuss my medical condition, in relation to my claim for workers' compensation and return to work options, with my employer and with their insurer.

Signed:

Date:

Print your name:

Witness signature:

Witness print name:

#### Consent authority 2 (to be signed at the option of the worker)

I consent to my employer's insurer and its appointed service providers collecting personal information, inclusive of sensitive information such as medical information about me and using it for the purpose of assessing and managing my workers' compensation claim, including determining liability and whether my claim is true.

This consent extends to my employer's insurer disclosing my personal information, inclusive of sensitive information, to other insurers, medical practitioners, rehabilitation providers, investigators, legal practitioners and other experts or consultants for the purpose of assessing and managing my claim.

My personal information, inclusive of sensitive information, may also be disclosed as required or permitted by law. I also consent to my employer's insurer disclosing my personal details to WorkCover WA which is authorised to use this information to fulfil its functions and obligations under the *Workers' Compensation and Injury Management Act 1981*.

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I have read all the information on this form regarding the consent authority and I consent to the Insurer dealing with my personal information in the manner described.

Signed:

Date:

Print your name:

Witness signature:

Witness print name:

#### IMPORTANT: FAILURE TO PROVIDE YOUR SIGNATURE ON EITHER THE DECLARATION OR THE CONSENT AUTHORITIES MAY DELAY A DECISION BY THE INSURER ON YOUR CLAIM.

[Form 2B inserted in Gazette 10 Sep 2010 p. 4352-7; amended in Gazette 18 Nov 2011 p. 4824.]

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Form 2C

#### Form 2C

[regs 4(1), 6AA]

Workers' Compensation and Injury Management Act 1981 (Sections 24B, 178(1)(b))

# WORKER'S CLAIM AND ELECTION FOR LUMP SUM COMPENSATION FOR NOISE INDUCED HEARING LOSS

WORKER'S DETAILS — (Worker to complete)

Surname	Mr/Mrs/Miss/Ms	] [	Date of Birth	Age	Sex M/F
Other Names			, ,		1001
			If you have diffi	2	U
Address			English what is language?	your preferr	ed
		L			
Po	ostcode	Ιr	TYPE 32		
Phone No. (H)	(W)		AGENCY 991 ICD 250 LOCN 130		
Occupation			LUCINISO		
(e.g. boiler	maker, underground miner)		offic	ce use only	
Main tasks or duties performed (e.g. welding, drilling)			ASCO		

# ELECTION FOR SCHEDULE 2 INJURY — item 6

NIHL FILE No (Office Use On	ly)		
Date of compensable test/			
Compensable noise induced hearing loss% (of item 6) Entitlement \$			
Employer at time of test			
Address	Post Code		
Previous settlement date//	PLH		

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# WORKER'S DECLARATION

<ul> <li>I elect to accept under Part III Division 2 of the <i>Workers' Comp</i> <i>Management Act 1981</i> the sum of \$ representing% the Act, being loss of hearing. In making this election I declare I eligible to receive compensation in respect of the noise induce the Commonwealth, another State or Territory of the Commonw Australia. In making this election and upon an agreement being acknowledge that after registration or making an award:</li> <li>I shall have no further entitlement to compensation under of hearing which is the subject of this election;</li> <li>I shall have no entitlement to further monies upon any in for the percentage loss of hearing which is the subject of</li> </ul>	of loss of Schedule 2 item 6 of that I have not received nor am d hearing loss under any law of yealth, or country other than registered by the Director, I • the Act for the percentage loss crease to the prescribed amount this election.			
	(Signature of worker)			
in the presence of :				
(Signature and full name and address of witness)				
EMPLOYER DETAILS — (Employer to complete)	WorkCover No			
Trading name of employer	Local Gov.			
(e.g. Browns Welding;				
E.J. Drilling Service)	Insurance Co.			
Address of worker's usual				
workplace or base				
	Policy No.			
Name of Policy Holder	Claim No: Insurer/self			
	insurer to complete			
Address Suburb/Town Post Code				
	Insurer/self insurer's date stamp			

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# Form 2C

Major activity or workplace (e.g. metal fabrication; gold mining, engineering.)	office use only <b>ANZSIC</b>	

WORKE	R'S EMPL	OYME	NT HISTORY FROM	MARCH 1, 1991
To be completed				
				File #
Name of insurer			of insurance	
Name of insurer		Period	of insurance	Policy No
Name of insurer		Period	of insurance	Policy No
Name of insurer		Period	of insurance	Policy No.
Employer at Marc	h 1, 1991: .			······
r,			(Name	
Address			· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	····
/ Iddi C55				
	•••••			(Postcode)
Telephor	ne Number (	)		()
			Prescrib	ad $\Box$ Vac $\Box$ No
vi 0	U			
Baseline Test (if worker has had a Fi				NO BASELINE TEST
and PLH of the full a			Test use the date	please circle if applicable
Subsequent Test	Date/		$PLH \Box \Box . \Box \Box$	
Subsequent Test	Date/	/	PLH 🗆 🗆 . 🗆 🗆	
Subsequent Test	Date/		PLH 🗆 🗆 . 🗆 🗆	
Subsequent Test	Date/		PLH 🗆 🗆 . 🗆 🗖	
Subsequent Test	Date/		PLH 🗆 🗆 . 🗆 🗆	
Subsequent Test Subsequent Test	Date/		PLH 🗆 🗆 . 🗆 🗆 PLH 🗆 🗆 . 🗆 🗆	
Subsequent Full	Date/	/		
Audio Test	Date/	/	$PLH \Box \Box . \Box \Box$	
Otorhinolarynigologic				
assessment	Date/		NIHLPLH $\Box$ $\Box$ . $\Box$ $\Box$	
Number of years with	this employer :	since the ba	aseline test/March 1, 1991 🗖	
				Termination Date///
Subsequent test	-			
at termination NIHL Claims Officer	Date/	/	PLH 🗆 🗆 . 🗆 🗖	
check:	Date/	/	Signature	
NIHL Manager	Date/		Signature	
check:	Date/	/	Signature	
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[Form 2C inserted in Gazette 25 Aug 1995 p. 3885-7; amended in Gazette 17 Nov 2000 p. 6320; 21 Jan 2005 p. 276; 28 Oct 2005 p. 4915-16; 18 Nov 2011 p. 4824.]

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Form 2CA

# Form 2CA

[regs 4(2), 6AA]

Workers' Compensation and Injury Management Act 1981

(Sections 31H, 178(1)(b))

# WORKER'S CLAIM AND ELECTION FOR LUMP SUM COMPENSATION FOR NOISE INDUCED HEARING LOSS

WORKER'S DETAILS —	(Worker to complete)
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Surname Mr/Mrs/Miss/Ms	Date of Birth Age Sex
	/ / M/F
Other Names	
	If you have difficulty understanding
Address	English what is your preferred
	language?
Postcode	
Phone No. (H)	<b>TYPE 32</b>
(W)	AGENCY 991
Occupation	ICD 250
(e.g. boiler maker, underground miner)	LOCN 130
Main tasks or duties performed	
	office use only
(e.g. welding, drilling)	ASCO

#### ELECTION FOR SCHEDULE 2 INJURY - item 44

NIHL FILE No (Office Use Only)
Date of compensable test/
Compensable noise induced hearing loss% (of item 44) Entitlement \$
Employer at time of test
Address Post Code
Previous settlement date/PLH

#### WORKER'S DECLARATION

I elect to accept under the *Workers' Compensation and Injury Management Act 1981* Part III Division 2A the sum of \$ ....... representing ......% of loss of Schedule 2 item 44, being loss of hearing. In making this election I declare that I have not received nor am I eligible to receive compensation in respect of the noise induced hearing loss under any law of the Commonwealth, another State or

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# Form 2CA

<ul> <li>election and upon an agreement being registered by that after registration or making an award:</li> <li>I shall have no further entitlement to compense percentage loss of hearing which is the subject</li> <li>I shall have no entitlement to further monies to prescribed amount for the percentage loss of hearing this election.</li> <li>DATED the</li></ul>	sation under the Act for the et of this election; upon any increase to the
	(Signature of worker)
in the presence of :	(Signature of worker)
F	
(Signature and full name and addre	ess of witness)
EMPLOYER DETAILS — (Employer to complete)	WorkCover No
Trading name of employer	Local Gov.
(e.g. Browns Welding;	
E.J. Drilling Service)	Insurance Co.
Address of worker's usual workplace or base	Policy No.
Name of Policy Holder	Claim No:
	Insurer/self insurer to
Address	complete
Suburb/Town Post Code	
	Insurer/self-insurer's date stamp
Major activity or workplace (e.g. metal fabrication, gold mining, engineering)	office use only <b>ANZSIC</b>

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# WORKER'S EMPLOYMENT HISTORY FROM 1 MARCH 1991 To be completed by WorkCover WA:

Name of worker	F	File No
Name of insurer	Period of insurance	Policy No
Name of insurer	Period of insurance	Policy No
Name of insurer	Period of insurance	Policy No
Name of insurer	Period of insurance	Policy No
Employer at 1 March 1991		
	(Name)	
Address		
T-1 N		(Postcode)
Telephone Number ()		
Type of work engaged in		Prescribed $\Box$ Yes $\Box$ No
Busenne rest Butennan		□ □ / NO BASELINE TEST
(if worker has had a Full Audic use the date and PLH of the ful		(please circle if applicable)
Subsequent Test	Date/	$PLH \square \square . \square \square$
Subsequent Test	Date//	$PLH \Box \Box$ . $\Box \Box$
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Subsequent Test	Date//	$PLH \square \square . \square \square$
Subsequent Test	Date//	$PLH \square \square . \square \square$
Subsequent Test	Date//	$PLH \square \square . \square \square$
Subsequent Full Audio Test	Date//	$PLH \square \square . \square \square$
Otorhinolaryngological assessment	Date//	NIHLPLH 🗆 🗆 . 🗆 🗆
Number of years with this emp	oloyer since the baseline te	est/1 March 1991 🗆 🗖
Termination Date//		
Subsequent test at termination	Date//	$PLH \square \square . \square \square$
NIHL Claims Officer check	Date///	Signature
NIHL Manager check	Date///	Signature

[Form 2CA inserted in Gazette 28 Oct 2005 p. 4916-19.]

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Form 2D

#### Form 2D

[r. 6AA]

Workers' Compensation and Injury Management Act 1981

# WORKERS' COMPENSATION CLAIM FORM FOR DEPENDANTS OF DECEASED WORKERS

If insufficient space attach relevant details. If you can't fill in this form yourself you may ask someone to help you. If the deceased had no dependants this form can be used to claim for statutory allowances only (e.g. funeral expenses). Please complete all questions except for the details requested on dependants (see below).

Applicant's Details Full Name of Applicant	Surname	Other Names
	Occupation	Relationship to deceased worker
		i.e. Executor, spouse, de facto partner, son, daughter
Residential Address		
	Postcode	Telephone No.
Deceased Worker's Deta	ails	
Full Name of deceased worker	Surname	Other Names
Sex	Male Female	Date of Birth / /
Worker's Occupation		
Period of Employment		
Residential Address immediately prior to death		
Employer's Details		
Full Name of Employer, including trading name		
Address of worker's usual		
workplace or base	Postcode Teler	bhone No.
	Terep	
Major activity of workplace (e.g. footwear manufacturing,		
sheep farming)		

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#### Form 2D

#### **Deceased Worker's Dependant/s Details**

Do not complete the following question if you are claiming for statutory allowances only. Give full details of deceased worker's dependants as at the date of death:

Name of Dependant	Date of Birth	Residential Address	Occupation	Relationship to deceased worker	Depend Wholly ✓ Tick	Part

<b>Details of Fatality</b>	
Was the death the result of a work-related injury and/or	Yes No
disease?	
What was the cause of death?	
What were the main tasks/duties	
of the deceased's employment	
when he/she suffered the injury and/or contracted the disease?	
and/or contracted the disease?	
In the case of personal injury,	Day of the week Time Date
when did it occur?	
Date of death if different.	Date / /
Where did the injury occur? (e.g.	
Workshop floor, Hay Street, Cloverdale)	
In the case of a disease, what was the date of death?	Date / / Date of Date / / diagnosis
If known, when was the deceased	Date / / Don't
first incapacitated by the disease?	know
Prior to this application, have any workers' compensation payments	Have you attached a copy of any
been received or applied for in	YES NO official notice of YES NO
respect of the deceased (i.e. weekly payments, medical	the deceased's the deceased's death?
expenses, lump sums).	
If	yes, please attach as much information as you can
	,, piene internation as you can

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#### Form 2D

Declaration I, the undersigned, do hereby warrant the truth of the foregoing statements. I hereby authorise any medical practitioner to disclose to the deceased worker's employer or his/her insurer and WorkCover WA any information regarding the deceased worker's medical history. However, I do not authorise the release or testing of human tissue samples or human tissue material of any kind or for any purpose.

Signature	Date	/ /
Signature	Date	/ /
INSURER/SELF-INSURER DETAILS		
Insurer/self-insurer to complete then det Place, Shenton Park, WA 6008:	and forward the duplicate of this notice to	WorkCover WA, 2 Bedbrook
Name of insurer/self-insurer:	Date stamp of insurer	r/self-insurer
Policy number:		
Claim number:		
WCN:		
Occurrence Details		
Mechanism:		
Agency:		
Nature:		
Body Locn:		

[Form 2D inserted in Gazette 15 Oct 1999 p. 4901-2; amended in Gazette 17 Nov 2000 p. 6320; 30 Jun 2003 p. 2637; 21 Jan 2005 p. 276; 14 Dec 2012 p. 6210.]

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#### Form 3

# Form 3

[r. 6A, 7(1)]

Workers' Compensation and Injury Management Act 1981

(Sections 57A(1)(b), 57B(1)(b) and 61(1))

# FIRST MEDICAL CERTIFICATE

1. Worker's Details	
First name(s):	
Address:	
Telephone:	Date of birth:/ Occupation:
I have provided a Work	kCover WA Injury Management brochure to the worker.
2. Employer Details	
Name & address of worke	er's employer:

3. Consent Authority (to be signed at the option of the worker) I authorise any doctor who treats me (whether named in this certificate or not) to discuss my medical condition, in relation to my claim for workers' compensation and return to work options, with my employer and with their insurer.

Worker's Signature ..... Date .....

#### IMPORTANT: FAILURE TO PROVIDE YOUR SIGNATURE ON THE AUTHORITY ABOVE MAY DELAY A DECISION BY YOUR EMPLOYER ON YOUR CLAIM.

4. Details from Worker Date of injury by accident or approximate date

Workplace location where incident occurred: .....

Worker's description of the injury:

Worker's description of how it occurred: .....

of onset of condition: .....

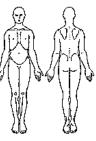
#### 5. Medical Assessment

Clinical findings / diagnosis (include possible complications, effect of prior injury or medical condition):

In my opinion the above diagnosis **does**  $\Box$  / **does not**  $\Box$  correlate with the injury described to me by the worker.

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AFFECTED AREA

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INJURY MANAGEMENT
6. Fitness for Work It is my opinion that as from the date of this certificate the worker is:
FIT Fit to return to pre-injury duties, no further treatment required First and Final certificate [See reg. 7 and s. 61(1) of the Act]
<ul> <li>Fit to return to pre-injury duties, but requires further treatment</li> <li>Fit for restricted return to work from</li></ul>
<ul> <li>Work restrictions:</li> <li>No lifting anything heavier thankg. Other restrictions:</li> <li>Avoid repetitive bending / lifting.</li> <li>Avoid repetitive use of body part.</li> <li>Avoid prolonged standing / walking / sitting.</li> <li>Keep injured area clean and dry.</li> </ul>
UNFIT Totally unfit for work for days from to to
<ul> <li>7. Medical Management</li> <li>Medication:</li> <li>Approved allied health treatments (specify type and include number of sessions recommended)</li> </ul>
Imaging Referred to hospital/specialist (name) Other treatment:
Next appointment (unless "First & Final Certificate") Date
If the worker is reviewed within 14 days, the worker cannot be required, under section 64 or 65 of the Act, to submit to a medical examination by a medical practitioner provided by the employer, on a day chosen by the employer that is within one month of the date of this certificate.
8. Medical Practitioner / Employer Contact

- □ I have made contact with the employer and discussed alternative work options.
- The worker will be off work for more than 3 working days and/or is unable to return to normal duties.
   Employer please fax your contact details as I will contact you to discuss return to work options.
- $\Box$  The worker is able to return to normal duties. Contact with employer not necessary at this stage.

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 9. Medical Practitioner's Details

 Name
 Registration No.

 Address

 Telephone
 Signature

 Fax
 Time & Date of examination

#### For workers' compensation information or assistance contact WorkCover WA's Infoline: 1300 794 744

[Form 3 inserted in Gazette 13 Apr 1999 p. 1539-40; amended in Gazette 17 Nov 2000 p. 6320; 21 Jan 2005 p. 276; 28 Oct 2005 p. 4919-20; 18 Nov 2011 p. 4824.]

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Form 3A

#### Form 3A

[r. 6B]

Workers' Compensation and Injury Management Act 1981 (Section 57A(3)(a))

INSURER'S NOTICE THAT LIABILITY IS ACCEPTED

# To: 1. ... [name and address of worker to whom the claim relates] 2. ..... [name and address of employer] From: [name and address of insurer] \* Claim Number: ..... Date of injury by accident or approximate date of onset of condition: ..... Nature of incapacity: ..... Date claim made by employer: ..... In respect of the above claim you are notified that liability is accepted in respect of the weekly payments claimed by the worker. Date on which weekly payments are proposed to commence: ..... [Insurer to liaise with employer to ascertain the commencement date] Signed on behalf of the insurer: ..... Date:

\* Please provide this claim number to your general practitioner at your next appointment in relation to this claim

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#### Form 3B

#### Form 3B

[r. 6C]

Workers' Compensation and Injury Management Act 1981 (Section 57A(3)(b))

# **INSURER'S NOTICE THAT LIABILITY IS DISPUTED** To: 1. .... [name and address of worker to whom the claim relates] 2. ..... [name and address of employer] From: [name and address of insurer] Claim Number: ..... Date of injury by accident or approximate date of onset of condition: ..... Nature of incapacity: ..... Date claim made by employer: ..... In respect of the above claim you are notified that liability is disputed in respect of: \* all the weekly payments claimed by the worker. \* the following weekly payments claimed by the worker. [provide details] The reasons why liability is disputed are as follows: ..... If a reason is that the applicant is not a worker, state the grounds upon which this assertion is made: If a reason is that the applicant did not suffer an injury as defined in section 5(1) of the Act, state the grounds upon which this assertion is made:

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#### Form 3B

If a reason is that the injury was not suffered in the course of employment, state the grounds upon which this assertion is made:

.....

The provisions of the Workers' Compensation and Injury Management Act 1981 relied on to dispute liability are:

.....

Signed on behalf of the insurer.

(signature of senior officer responsible for claim) Date: .....

[\*delete if appropriate]

NOTE THAT if you wish you may ---

 discuss this notice with the insurer or apply to have the matter heard under any internal dispute resolution process of the insurer;

- seek advice in relation to the dispute from WorkCover WA;
- if reasonable attempts have been made to resolve the dispute by negotiation with the employer and the insurer, apply to the Director under section 182E of the Act for resolution of a dispute by conciliation;
- seek advice or assistance in relation to the dispute from your trade union organisation, a legal practitioner or a registered agent.

[Form 3B inserted in Gazette 8 Mar 1991 p. 1074; amended in Gazette 5 Feb 1993 p. 1059; 18 Feb 1994 p. 662; 21 Jan 2005 p. 276; 28 Oct 2005 p. 4921-2; 18 Nov 2011 p. 4824.]

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Form 3C

## Form 3C

[r. 6D]

Workers' Compensation and Injury Management Act 1981

(Section 57A(3)(c))

## INSURER'S NOTICE WHERE NO DECISION ABOUT LIABILITY

To:
1
[name and address of worker to whom the claim relates]
2
[name and address of employer]
3. Director
From:
[name and address of insurer]
Claim Number:
Date of injury by accident or approximate date of onset of condition:
Nature of incapacity:
Date claim made by employer:
In respect of the above claim you are notified that a decision as to whether or not liability is to be accepted in respect of the weekly payments claimed by the worker is not able to be made within the time allowed by section 57A(3) of the Act.
The reasons why the decision is not able to be made are as follows:
Where further medical information is required to make a decision about liability, state the nature and substance of the medical information and whether a written authority from the worker is required:
Where further information on the worker's weekly earnings is required to make a decision about liability, state the nature and substance of the information:

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#### Form 3C

Where other particulars are required to help make a decision about liability, specify the particulars required:

Signed on behalf of the insurer:
Date:

NOTE THAT if you wish you may ----

- discuss this notice with the insurer or employer or apply to have the matter heard under any internal dispute resolution process of the insurer;
- seek advice in relation to the dispute from WorkCover WA;
- if reasonable attempts have been made to resolve the dispute by negotiation with the employer and the insurer, apply to the Director under section 182E of the Act for resolution of a dispute by conciliation;
- · seek advice or assistance in relation to the dispute from your trade union organisation, a legal practitioner or a registered agent.

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Form 3D

То: .....

## Form 3D

[r. 6E]

Workers' Compensation and Injury Management Act 1981

(Section 57B(2)(b))

## UNINSURED OR SELF-INSURED EMPLOYER'S NOTICE THAT LIABILITY IS DISPUTED

To:
[name and address of worker to whom the claim relates]
From:
[name and address of uninsured or self-insured employer]
Date of injury by accident or approximate date of onset of condition:
Nature of incapacity:
Date claim made by worker:
In respect of the above claim you are notified that liability is disputed in respect of the weekly payments claimed by you.
The reasons why liability is disputed are as follows:
If a reason is that the applicant is not a worker, state the grounds upon which this assertion is made:
If a reason is that the applicant did not suffer an injury as defined in section 5(1) of the Act, state the grounds upon which this assertion is made:
If a reason is that the injury was not suffered in the course of employment, state the grounds upon which this assertion is made:

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#### Form 3D

The provisions of the Workers' Compensation and Injury Management Act 1981 relied on to dispute liability are:

Signed on behalf of the uninsured or self-insured employer .....

(signature of senior officer responsible for claim)

NOTE THAT if you wish you may —

Date: ....

 discuss this notice with the employer or, if the employer is self insured, apply to have the matter heard under any internal dispute resolution process of the employer;

- seek advice in relation to the dispute from WorkCover WA;
- if reasonable attempts have been made to resolve the dispute by negotiation with the employer, apply to the Director under section 182E of the Act for resolution of a dispute by conciliation;
- seek advice or assistance in relation to the dispute from your trade union organisation, a legal practitioner or a registered agent.

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Form 3E

## Form 3E

[r. 6F]

Workers' Compensation and Injury Management Act 1981

(Section 57B(2)(c))

#### UNINSURED OR SELF-INSURED EMPLOYER'S NOTICE WHERE NO DECISION ABOUT LIABILITY

#### To: 1

[name and address of worker to whom the claim relates]
2. Director From:
[name and address of uninsured or self-insured employer]
Claim number:
Date of injury by accident or approximate date of onset of condition:
Nature of incapacity:
Date claim made by worker:
In respect of the above claim you are notified that a decision as to whether or not liability to make the weekly payments claimed by the worker is not able to be made within the time allowed by section 57B(2) of the Act.
The reasons why the decision is not able to be made are as follows:
Where further medical information is required to make a decision about liability, state the nature and substance of the medical information and whether a written authority from the worker is required:
Where further information on the worker's weekly earning is required to make a decision about liability, state the nature and substance of the information:
Where other particulars are required to help make a decision about liability, specify the particulars required:

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Form 3E

Signed on behalf of the uninsured or self-insured employer: ...... Date: ......

NOTE THAT if you wish you may -

- seek advice in relation to the dispute from WorkCover WA;
- if reasonable attempts have been made to resolve the dispute by negotiation with the employer, apply to the Director under section 182E of the Act for resolution of a dispute by conciliation;
- seek advice or assistance in relation to the dispute from your trade union organisation, a legal practitioner or a registered agent.

[Form 3E inserted in Gazette 8 Mar 1991 p. 1075-6; amended in Gazette 5 Feb 1993 p. 1060; 18 Feb 1994 p. 662; 21 Jan 2005 p. 276; 28 Oct 2005 p. 4925-6; 18 Nov 2011 p. 4824-5.]

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Form 4

Form 4	
	[r. 7(1)]
Workers' Compensation and Injury Management Act 1981	
(Section 61(1))	
FINAL MEDICAL CERTIFICATE	
Claim No. (if known)	]
To (name and address of worker's employer)	
WORKER'S DETAILS	
First name(s):	
MEDICAL ASSESSMENT	
<ul> <li>Having examined the worker, it is my opinion that as from/</li></ul>	
Grounds for the opinion in medical assessment	

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Form 4
MEDICAL PRACTITIONER'S DETAILS
Name:
Signature:

For workers' compensation information or assistance contact WorkCover WA's Infoline: 1300 794 744

[Form 4 inserted in Gazette 14 Dec 1999 p. 6152; amended in Gazette 17 Nov 2000 p. 6320; 21 Jan 2005 p. 276; 28 Oct 2005 p. 4926.]

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Form 5

#### Form 5

[r. 7(2)]

Workers' Compensation and Injury Management Act 1981

#### NOTICE TO WORKER OF INTENTION TO DISCONTINUE OR REDUCE PAYMENTS

(Section 61(1) and (2))

то: ..... (Name and address of worker) TAKE NOTICE that your employer ..... (name of employer) intends, after 21 clear days from the date of service upon you of this notice, to \*discontinue the weekly (1) this notice is based upon the medical certificates or report(s) of ..... dated ..... 20 ..... (names of medical practitioners and dates of reports) sent with this notice, in which it is said that (state concisely the ground relied upon by the employer); (2) you may, if you dispute the employer's right to discontinue or reduce the weekly payments within the 21 days referred to in this notice apply for an order of an arbitrator that the weekly payments shall not be discontinued or reduced; (3) if you do not so apply, weekly payments may be lawfully discontinued or reduced; [(4) deleted] (5) you may obtain information from WorkCover WA situated at .....as to the ways and means available to you to establish or protect your rights in respect of your injury. Dated the day of 20 . Signed on behalf of the employer.

\* Delete whichever is inapplicable.

[Form 5 corrigendum in Gazette 23 Apr 1982 p. 1384; amended in Gazette 8 Mar 1991 p. 1076; 29 Oct 1993 p. 5930; 18 Feb 1994 p. 663; 17 Nov 2000 p. 6320; 21 Jan 2005 p. 276 and 277; 28 Oct 2005 p. 4926.]

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Form 6

#### Form 6

[r. 10(1)]

[Heading inserted in Gazette 14 Dec 2012 p. 6210.]

Workers' Compensation and Injury Management Act 1981

#### (Section 69)

#### DECLARATIONS IN RESPECT OF WORKER NOT RESIDING IN W.A.

[ $\Box$  = tick where appropriate. \* = delete where appropriate]

To: (name and address of employer or employer's insurer) ..... Re: Claim Number ..... 1. WORKER'S SECTION Worker's details 1a. First name(s): ...... Surname: ..... Address: ..... Telephone: ...... Date of birth: ...../..... Occupation: ..... Date of injury:..... Nature of injury: ..... 1b. Employer details Name and address of worker's employer: ..... 1c. Declaration by worker (full name of worker) I, ... \*being duly sworn, say that/do solemnly and sincerely affirm that the above details about me are correct. \*Sworn/affirmed at (State or country) ) in this day of 20 ) ..... Before me: (a person having authority to administer an oath)

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2.	MEDIO	CAL PRACTITIONER'S SECTION			
la.	Fitness for work				
On	/	./20 I examined the above person and am of the opinion that he/she is			
Fit					
		Fit to return to pre-injury duties, no further treatment required			
		Fit to return to pre-injury duties, but requires further treatment			
		Fit for restricted return to work from to			
		<ul> <li>Restricted days (<i>please specify</i>)</li> <li>Restricted days (<i>please specify</i>)</li> </ul>			
		Restricted duties			
		Work restrictions:			
		<ul> <li>No lifting anything heavier than kg</li> <li>Avoid repetitive bending / lifting</li> </ul>			
		<ul> <li>Avoid repetitive bending / lifting</li> <li>Avoid repetitive use of the affected body part</li> </ul>			
		<ul> <li>Avoid repetitive use of the infected oddy part</li> <li>Avoid prolonged standing / walking / sitting</li> </ul>			
		Keep injured area clean and dry			
U <b>nfit</b>		Keep injured area clean and dry     Other restrictions     Unfit totally for work for			
2b.	□ Medical finding	Other restrictions     Unfit totally for work for			
2b. Clinic	D Media cal finding	Other restrictions			
2b. Clinic	D Media cal finding	Other restrictions Unfit totally for work for days from to			
	D Media cal finding Media	Other restrictions			
2b. Clinic	☐ Medical finding Medic	Other restrictions			
2b. Clinic	Media afinding Media	Other restrictions			
2b. Clinic	Medical finding Medic	Other restrictions			

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2e.	Declarati	on by medical	practitioner	
1,				e of medical practitioner)
of				(address)
				Postcode:
1. I am a	a duly quali	say that/do sol fied medical pr		ncerely affirm that —
	affirmed at		)	
in	(State	or country)	)	
this	day of	20	)	
Before 1	ne:			
				(a person having authority to administer an oath)
		WORKER'	S IDENTITY REQUIR	OUTSIDE THE STATE, PROOF OF THE AND CONTINUING INCAPACITY IS ED EVERY 3 MONTHS
	נרטו	rm 0 inseri	ea in Gazo	ette 14 Dec 2012 p. 6210-11.]
	[For	rm 7 delete	d in Gaze	tte 18 Nov 2011 p. 4825.]
	[For	rms 8-11 d	eleted in <b>(</b>	Gazette 8 Mar 1991 p. 1076.]
	[For	rm 12 delei	ed in Gaz	ette 18 Feb 1994 p. 663.]
	[For	rm 13 delei	ed in Gaz	ette 28 Oct 2005 p. 4928.]

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Form 14

#### Form 14

[r. 18(1)]

Workers' Compensation and Injury Management Act 1981

## ELECTION TO RECEIVE REDEMPTION AMOUNT

(Schedule 5 clause 3)

I	of
,	(name of worker) (address)
pneumocon	ined the age of 65 years on the day of
I acknowle	dge that, by making this election: —
1.	I shall have no other claim to redemption of weekly payments.
2.	I shall have no claim after the date of this election to weekly payments of compensation.
3.	I shall have no further entitlement from the date of this election, to payment of expenses under the Workers' Compensation and Injury Management Act 1981 Schedule 1 clauses 9, 17, 18, 18A

- the Workers' Compensation and Injury Management Act 1981 Schedule 1 clauses 9, 17, 18, 184 and 19 (that is, in general terms, medical and other expenses, hospital charges and travelling costs).
- 4. Upon my death the provisions of the Workers' Compensation and Injury Management Act 1981 Schedule 1 clauses 1, 1A, 1B, 1C, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 17(2) shall not apply: that is, in general terms dependants of mine, whether totally or partially dependent, shall have no entitlement to payment, benefit, allowance or expenses (funeral or otherwise).

20

Dated the day of Signed by the worker in the presence of:

(Signature and full names of witness).

[Form 14 amended in Gazette 8 Mar 1991 p. 1076; 24 Dec 1993 p. 6850; 17 Nov 2000 p. 6320; 21 Jan 2005 p. 276; 28 Oct 2005 p. 4928.]

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Form 15

#### Form 15

[r. 18(2)]

Workers' Compensation and Injury Management Act 1981

# ELECTION TO RECEIVE SUPPLEMENTARY AMOUNT

(Schedule 5 clause 3)

1,	(name of worker)	(address)
pneumocon accordance	iosis/mesothelioma/lung cancer and being	of having suffered from entitled to weekly payments of compensation in e the supplementary amount having *a/*no dependant the sum of \$
I acknowled	dge that, by making this election:	
1.	I shall have no other claim to redemption	n of weekly payments.
2.	I shall have no claim after the date of thi	s election to weekly payments of compensation.
3.	survives me then that person is, or those calculated in accordance with the <i>Worke</i>	a dependant spouse or/and a dependant de facto partner persons are, entitled to all or part of a lump sum rs' Compensation and Injury Management Act 1981 y amount for a worker with a dependent spouse or
4.	Schedule 1 clauses 1, 1A, 1B, 1C, 2, 3, 4	rkers' Compensation and Injury Management Act 1981 , 5 and 17(2) shall not apply: that is, in general terms, artially dependent, shall have no entitlement to any funeral or otherwise).
Dated the	day of	20 .
Signed by t in the prese		

(Signature and full names of witness).

\* Delete whichever is inapplicable.

[Form 15 amended in Gazette 8 Mar 1991 p. 1076; 24 Dec 1993 p. 6850; 17 Nov 2000 p. 6320; 30 Jun 2003 p. 2637-8; 21 Jan 2005 p. 276; 28 Oct 2005 p. 4928-9.]

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Form 15A

### Form 15A

[r. 12(4)]

Workers' Compensation and Injury Management Act 1981

#### NOTICE OF MEMORANDUM HAVING BEEN RECEIVED

Ref.

- TAKE NOTICE
- 1. That a Memorandum, copy of which is hereto annexed, has been sent to me for registration. The Memorandum appears to affect you.
- 2. I therefore request you to inform me within 7 days from this date whether you admit the genuineness of the Memorandum, or whether you dispute it, and if so, in what particulars, or object to its being recorded, and if so, on what ground.
- 3. If the Memorandum is recorded it is enforceable as an award or order.
- If you have any doubts as to the effect of the agreement, or your rights to compensation generally you should contact me immediately.

Dated this ...... day of ...... 20.....

Director

[Form 15A inserted in Gazette 18 Feb 1994 p. 663; amended in Gazette 21 Jan 2005 p. 276; 28 Oct 2005 p. 4929; 18 Nov 2011 p. 4825.]

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Form 15B

#### Form 15B

[r. 12(5)]

Workers' Compensation and Injury Management Act 1981

NOTICE OF RECORDING OF MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT

Ref. YOU ARE NOTIFIED

That a memorandum of the agreement entered into between

has now been nagement Act 1981.
Director
mended in Nov 2011

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#### Form 15C

#### Form 15C

[r. 12(1a)]

Workers' Compensation and Injury Management Act 1981

## MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT

(Section 76 & 67(2))

	the Director h, Western Australia		
In th	e matter of an Agreement made the	day of	(year)
Betw	veen		(Employer)
	address) 'N Number)		
(#0	( ( ( ( ( ( ( ( ( ( ( ( ( ( ( ( ( ( (	and	
			(Worker)
	address) m No:		
Man empl	n the Agreement being recorded pursuant to agement Act 1981 ("the Act") the worker's co loyer shall pay to the worker, and the worker conditions as set out in the following —	laims referred	to in this Agreement are finalised and the
1.	Date of injury		
Whi	ch occurred by:		
*	a personal injury by accident arising out of acting under the employer's instructions;	or in the course	e of the employment, or whilst the worker was
*	a disabling disease to which Part III Division	on 3 applies;	
*	a disease contracted by a worker in the coun employment and to which the employment degree;		
*	the recurrence, aggravation, or acceleration	of any pre-exi	sting disease where the employment was a

 the recurrence, aggravation, or acceleration of any pre-existing disease where the employment was a contributing factor to that recurrence, aggravation, or acceleration and contributed to a significant degree; or

\* a disabling loss of function to which Part III Division 4 applies.

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## Form 15C

	(a)	n the disability occurred — the worker was years of age.	Date of Birth
	(a) (b)	the worker was employed by the employer as a	
	(0)	uie worker was employed by the employer as a	
	(c)	his or her weekly earnings were	
3.	The	nature of the disability was:	
	and	iow is:	
	and	t occurred in the following circumstances —	
4.		worker has received from the employer prior to the date of this ement:	
	(a)	weekly payments in respect of that disability totalling	\$
	(b)	expenses payable under the Workers' Compensation and Injury Management Act 1981 Schedule 1 clauses 9, 10, 17, 18, 18A and 19	
		Totalling	\$
			· 
5.	The	ump sum is made up as follows:	
		weekly payments of compensation:	
		(i) by way of redemption of liability to make future	¢
		weekly payments as for permanent total incapacity;	\$
		<ul> <li>by way of redemption of liability to make future weekly payments as for permanent partial incapacity;</li> </ul>	\$
		(iii) otherwise:	\$
	*(b)	expenses as are provided for in the <i>Workers' Compensation</i>	φ
	(0)	<i>and Injury Management Act 1981</i> Schedule 1 clauses 9, 10, 17, 18, 18A and 19 namely;	\$
	*(c)	the worker having elected under s. 24 of the Act by a form of	Ψ
	(0)	election dated , compensation payable under	
		Part III Division 2, representing % loss of Item	
		being for the permanent loss of the efficient use of the	<b>A</b>
	<i>de (</i>	Totalling:	\$
	*(ca	the worker having elected under section 31C of the Act by a form of election dated, compensation payable under the Act Schedule 2 Division 2A, in respect of an impairment mentioned in Schedule 2 item, representing degree of permanent impairment from the injury.	
		Totalling:	\$
	*(d)	redemption amount under the Workers' Compensation and	
	(-)	Injury Management Act 1981 Schedule 5 clause 2 or	
		3(2), (3) or (4)	\$
	*(e)	supplementary amount under the Workers' Compensation and Injury Management Act 1981 Schedule 5 clause 2	¢
		or 3(2), (3) or (4)	\$
		TOTAL LUMP SUM	\$

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- 6. The employer warrants that to the date of this Agreement it has paid all compensation due to the worker and all expenses in respect of the matters contained in the *Workers' Compensation and Injury Management Act 1981* Schedule 1 clauses 9, 10, 17, 18, 18A and 19 (which includes medical and travelling) and, to the extent that these have not been paid, undertakes to pay them.
- 7. The worker warrants that he/she is not aware of any expenses due but unpaid in respect of the matters contained in the *Workers' Compensation and Injury Management Act 1981* Schedule 1 clauses 9, 10, 17, 18, 18A and 19.
- 8. The worker hereby releases and forever discharges the employer from all claims and demands which the worker now has or, but for the execution of this agreement, could or might have had against the employer under the Act in any respect to the disability to the worker referred to in this Agreement.

SIGNED by the worker: in the presence of:

SIGNED by or on behalf of the employer: in the presence of-

\*Delete if not applicable.

[Form 15C inserted in Gazette 15 Oct 1999 p. 4907-10; amended in Gazette 17 Nov 2000 p. 6321; 21 Jan 2005 p. 276; 28 Oct 2005 p. 4929-31; 18 Nov 2011 p. 4825.]

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Form 15D

#### Form 15D

[r. 12(3a)]

Workers' Compensation and Injury Management Act 1981

#### STATEMENT OF THE CONSEQUENCES OF THE RECORDING OF A MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT

#### (Section 76(2)(a))

In making an agreement for the purposes of section 67(1) of the *Workers' Compensation and Injury Management Act 1981* ("the Act") and upon that agreement being recorded under section 76 of the Act the following will apply;

- (1) The worker will have no further entitlement to compensation under the Act for weekly payments arising out of the injury referred to in the agreement.
- (2) The worker will not have any other claim to redemption of weekly payments arising out of the injury referred to in the agreement.
- (3) The worker will not have any further entitlement in respect of the injury referred to in the agreement (after the date the agreement is recorded) to payment of expenses under the Workers' Compensation and Injury Management Act 1981 Schedule 1 clauses 9, 17, 18, 18A or 19.

<u>That is</u>, in general terms, medical or surgical, dental, physiotherapy or chiropractic advice or treatment, first aid and ambulance expenses, medical requisites, charges for attendance and treatment by way of injury management, charges for hospital treatment and maintenance, cost of artificial aids and travelling expenses.

- (4) The worker forfeits any entitlement he/she may have under the Act Part III to compensation for a permanent impairment from a compensable personal injury by accident referred to in the agreement.
- (5) The worker forfeits any chance of a court awarding common law damages against the employer in respect of the injury referred to in the agreement (see section 93E(13) and section 93K(1) of the Act). That is, in general terms, the worker forfeits any chance to recover civil damages from the employer.
- I , confirm that I have read the above information and I acknowledge that I am aware of the consequences of the recording of a memorandum under section 67(1) of the Act.

Dated the day of (year)

Signature of the worker

[Form 15D inserted in Gazette 15 Oct 1999 p. 4910; amended in Gazette 17 Nov 2000 p. 6321; 21 Jan 2005 p. 276; 28 Oct 2005 p. 4931-2.]

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Form 15E

#### Form 15E

[r. 12(4a)]

Workers' Compensation and Injury Management Act 1981

# NOTICE DISPUTING MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT, OR OBJECTING TO ITS BEING RECORDED

(Section 76)

In the matter of an Agreement between

Employer and Worker

Ref. AG

TAKE NOTICE that the genuineness of the Memorandum in the abovementioned matter sent to you for registration is disputed by

a party affected by such Memorandum, in the following particulars:

(here state particulars)

(Or that

of a party interested in the Memor andum in the above mentioned matter sent to you for registration, objects to the same being recorded, on the following grounds:)

(here state grounds)

Dated this day of (year)

[Form 15E inserted in Gazette 15 Oct 1999 p. 4911; amended in Gazette 17 Nov 2000 p. 6321; 21 Jan 2005 p. 276; 28 Oct 2005 p. 4932.]

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Form 15F

#### Form 15F

[r. 12(4b)]

Workers' Compensation and Injury Management Act 1981

#### NOTICE THAT MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT IS DISPUTED, OR OF OBJECTION TO ITS BEING RECORDED

(Section 76)

In the matter of an Agreement between

Employer and Worker

Ref. AG

TAKE NOTICE that the genuineness of the Memorandum in the abovementioned matter left with me (or sent to me) for registration is disputed by

a party affected by such Memorandum, in the following particulars:

(Here state particulars of dispute)

(Or that

a party interested in the Memorandum in the abovementioned matter, left (or sent to) me for registration objects to the same being recorded, on the following grounds:)

(Here state grounds)

The Memorandum will therefore not be recorded, except with the consent in writing of

or by order of the Registrar.

Dated this day of , (year)

#### Director

[Form 15F inserted in Gazette 15 Oct 1999 p. 4911-12; amended in Gazette 17 Nov 2000 p. 6321; 21 Jan 2005 p. 276; 28 Oct 2005 p. 4932; 18 Nov 2011 p. 4825.]

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Form 15G

#### Form 15G

[r. 12AA]

Workers' Compensation and Injury Management Act 1981

#### NOTICE OF INTENTION TO DISMISS WORKER TO WHICH SECTION 84AB OF THE ACT REFERS

TO: (insert name of worker or "WorkCover WA", as the case requires)

# TAKE NOTICE

The employer described below intends to dismiss the worker described below with effect from the following date.

Date dismissal effective:

[Note that the date on which the dismissal is effective cannot be before a period of 28 days has passed after this notice is given to the worker and WorkCover WA (see section 84AB of the Workers' Compensation and Injury Management Act 1981)].

#### Worker's details

Surname		Other names
Date of birth	Sex	Occupation
Address		
		Postcode
Telephone no.		WorkCover claim number (WCCN)
		(if not known, insurer can provide WCCN)
Employer's details		
Name		
Ivane		
Address		
		Postcode
Telephone no.		WorkCover number (WCN)
Contact person		
Title		Telephone no.

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Insurer's details Name	
Address	
	Postcode
Policy no.	
Contact person	Telephone no.
<u>Injury details</u>	
Description of injury	
Dete inium en una d	(lin and a rive by issue (films)
Date injury occurred	Claim number given by insurer (if known)
Notice given to	
worker	
-	Date / /
WorkCover WA	Date / /
WORKCOVEL WA	

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Form 16

#### Form 16

[r. 15]

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## MONTHLY STATEMENT BY APPROVED INSURANCE OFFICES

CONFIDENTIAL

#### (Section 171(1)(a))

## NEW/RENEWED POLICIES/COVER NOTES

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Address							
Chief executive	officer, WorkCo	ver WA.					
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		gainst liability ur			I OI ICHEWE	d a poney	or contract of
WorkCover no.	Policy/cover note no.	New (N) Renewal (R) Cover note (C)	Name	Address	Industry	Effective date	Expiry date
							L
Position held	by officer			Da	te		

Signature of responsible officer

[Form 16 inserted in Gazette 14 Dec 2012 p. 6211-12.]

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Form 17

## Form 17

[r. 15]

[Heading inserted in Gazette 14 Dec 2012 p. 6212.]

Workers' Compensation and Injury Management Act 1981

#### MONTHLY STATEMENT BY APPROVED INSURANCE OFFICES

CONFIDENTIAL

#### (Section 171(1)(b))

#### LAPSED POLICIES

Name of approved insurance office	
Address:	. Date approved
Chief executive officer, WorkCover WA.	
The following are the names and addresses of each employer in r	respect to whom, during the month of

a policy of insurance under the Act: —

WorkCo	ver No.	Policy no.	Name	Address	Reason
Positi	on held b	by officer		Date	

Signature of responsible officer

[Form 17 inserted in Gazette 14 Dec 2012 p. 6212.]

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Form 18

## Form 18

[r. 19D]

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		AUDIOMETRIC TEST
10:	(full name of work	er)
of:		
	(full address of wor	ker)
conducted by	at I have arranged for you t	o undergo an audiometric test to be
	e of person approved under	
	l address at which test is to	
at	am/pm on	
		(Signature of person arranging test)
	employer)	(date)
NON-ATTENDANCE:		but reasonable excuse, fail to submit ac test of which the worker has b).
PERIOD OF QUIET:	exposed in the workplace knowingly permit himsel	e that the worker is not knowingly , and the worker shall not f to be exposed, to noise levels e 16 hours immediately preceding lation 19D(2)).
		1991 p. 940; amended in 2005 p. 276; 28 Oct 2005

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Form 19A

## Form 19A

[r. 19F]

Workers' Compensation and Injury Management Act 1981

## **REPORT OF BASELINE AUDIOMETRIC TEST**

TO: Chief executive officer, WorkCover WA.
Notice is hereby given that I have conducted an audiometric *test/retest of:
WORKER'S DETAILS
GIVEN NAMES (in full) SEX
SURNAME M F
ADDRESS NUMBER AND STREET
SUBURB OR TOWN POSTCODE
DATE OF BIRTH
DAY MONTH YEAR HOME PHONE NUMBER WORK PHONE NUMBER
OCCUPATION OF WORKER A.S.LC. OFFICE USE
EMPLOYED BY:
FULL NAME OF EMPLOYER
ADDRESS NUMBER AND STREET OF EMPLOYER
SUBURB OR TOWN POSTCODE
PREDOMINANT INDUSTRY OF EMPLOYER A.S.I.C. OFFICE USE
LEVEL OF TEST: PURPOSE OF TEST:
Air-conduction Baseline
Full audiological
Medical Panel

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Form 19A									
WAUGH AND MACRAE'S CRITERIA: (Please tick only if worker fails) Item 1 Item 2 Item 3 Item 3 HEARING TEST RESULTS									
HERTZ (Hz)		500	1000	1500	2000	3000	4000	6000	8000
AIR CONDUCTION	RT EAR RT EAR **MASKED LT EAR LT EAR **MASKED								
**BONE CONDUCTION	RT EAR RT EAR MASKED LT EAR								
LT EAR MASKED     ************************************									
SURNAME INITIAL REG. NO.									
EQUIPMENT REG. NO. BOOTH REG. NO. I hereby certify, that I have personally conducted an audiometric test in accordance with the <i>Workers' Compensation and Injury Management Act 1981</i> and to the best of my knowledge and belief the results are true and correct.									
SIGNATURE	ete which doesn	't apply	,			_	Γ	DATE C	F TEST
<ul> <li>Delete which doesn't apply</li> <li>Approved Medical Practitioners or Audiologists Only</li> <li>[Form 19A inserted in Gazette 3 Apr 1992 p. 1542-3; amended in Gazette 21 Jan 2005 p. 276 and 277.]</li> </ul>									
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Form 19B

## Form 19B

[r. 19F]

Workers' Compensation and Injury Management Act 1981

#### REPORT OF SUBSEQUENT/RETIRING/TURNING 65 AUDIOMETRIC TEST

TO: Chief executive officer, WorkCover WA.

Notice is hereby given that I have conducted an audiometric \*test/retest of:

WORKER'S DETAILS
GIVEN NAMES (in full)
SURNAME M F
FORMER SURNAME IF APPLICABLE
ADDRESS NUMBER AND STREET
SUBURB OR TOWN POSTCODE
DATE OF BIRTH
DAY MONTH YEAR HOME PHONE NUMBER WORK PHONE NUMBER
OCCUPATION OF WORKER A.S.LC. OFFICE USE
EMPLOYED OR FORMERLY EMPLOYED BY:
FULL NAME OF EMPLOYER
FULL NAME OF EMPLOYER
FULL NAME OF EMPLOYER ADDRESS NUMBER AND STREET OF EMPLOYER
FULL NAME OF EMPLOYER
FULL NAME OF EMPLOYER ADDRESS NUMBER AND STREET OF EMPLOYER
FULL NAME OF EMPLOYER         ADDRESS NUMBER AND STREET OF EMPLOYER         SUBURB OR TOWN    POSTCODE
FULL NAME OF EMPLOYER         ADDRESS NUMBER AND STREET OF EMPLOYER         SUBURE OR TOWN    POSTCODE
FULL NAME OF EMPLOYER         ADDRESS NUMBER AND STREET OF EMPLOYER         SUBURB OR TOWN       POSTCODE         PREDOMINANT INDUSTRY OF EMPLOYER       A.S.I.C. OFFICE USE         LEVEL OF TEST:       PURPOSE OF TEST:

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## HEARING TEST RESULTS

HERTZ (Hz)		500	1000	1500	2000	3000	4000	6000	8000
AIR CONDUCTION	RT EAR RT EAR **MASKED LT EAR								
	LT EAR **MASKED								
**BONE CONDUCTION	RT EAR								
	RT EAR MASKED								
	LT EAR								
	LT EAR MASKED								
CALCULATED PLH 0FFICE USE % OTORHINOLARYNGOLOGICAL OFFICE USE % Practitioner									
***CALCULATED NOISE INDUCED PLH SINCE BASELINE TEST/PRE'			Address WIOUS ELECTION* Signature Date						
PERSON CONDUCTING TEST									
SURNAME INITIALS REG. NO.									
EQUIPMENT REG. NO. BOOTH REG. NO.									
I hereby certify, that I have personally conducted an audiometric test in accordance with the Workers' Compensation and Injury Management Act 1981 and to the best of my knowledge and belief the results are true and correct.									
SIGNATURE * Delete which doesn't apply									
**         Approved Medical Practitioners or Audiologists Only           ***         Registered Otorhinolaryngologist Only									
[Form 19B inserted in Gazette 3 Apr 1992 p. 1544-5; amended in Gazette 21 Jan 2005 p. 276 and 277.]									
[Form 20 deleted in Gazette 28 Oct 2005 p. 4934.]									
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Form 21

#### Form 21

[r. 19H]

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## NOTICE OF DISPUTE

10:	Chief executive officer, WorkCover WA
NAME	OF WORKER:
ADDRE	ESS OF WORKER:
NAME	OF EMPLOYER:
ADDRE	ESS OF EMPLOYER:
. 0	an *employer/worker hereby notify you that I dispute the results of an etric test conducted on the above worker on (date)

and request that you arrange a retest of hearing under regulation 19H.

Signature of Applicant

Date

\* Strike out whichever does not apply.

[Form 21 inserted in Gazette 26 Feb 1991 p. 946; amended in Gazette 8 Mar 1991 p. 1076; 21 Jan 2005 p. 276 and 277.]

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Form 22

Form 2	22	
	[r. 19J	(1)
Workers' Compensation and Inj	ury Management Act 1981	
<b>REFERRAL OF QUESTION OF</b>	DECREE OF DISABILITY	
_	DEGREE OF DISADILITY	
Worker's details		
Surname	Other names	
Date of birth Sex	Occupation	
Address		_
	Postcode	
Telephone no.		
<b></b>		
<u>Employer's details</u>		
anipro i o actuno		
Name		
Name		
Name	Postcode	
Name	Postcode WorkCover no. (if known)	
Name Address Telephone no.		
Name Address		
Name Address Telephone no. Contact person	WorkCover no. (if known)	
Name Address Telephone no.		
Name Address Telephone no. Contact person Title	WorkCover no. (if known)	
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Name Address Telephone no. Contact person Title	WorkCover no. (if known)	
Name Address Telephone no. Contact person Title Insurer's details Name	WorkCover no. (if known)	
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Name Address Telephone no. Contact person Title Insurer's details Name	WorkCover no. (if known) Telephone no.	
Name Address Telephone no. Contact person Title Insurer's details Name	WorkCover no. (if known)	
Name Address Telephone no. Contact person Title Insurer's details Name Address Date weekly payments commenced (if applicable).	WorkCover no. (if known) Telephone no. Postcode	
Name Address Telephone no. Contact person Title Insurer's details Name Address	WorkCover no. (if known) Telephone no. Postcode	
Name Address Telephone no. Contact person Title Insurer's details Name Address Date weekly payments commenced (if applicable).	WorkCover no. (if known) Telephone no. Postcode	

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Form 22

Description of inform	
Description of injury	
Date injury occurred	Date weekly payments commenced
Degree of disability as assessed by medical practitioner	Degree of disability (see s. 93E(3) of the Act) Nominate <b>only one</b> of the following.
medical practitioner	not less than 30%
	not less than 16%
Tick if the worker and the employer cann not less than the relevant level	not agree on whether the degree of disability is
not less than the relevant level	D
The action taken by or on behalf of the w	orker to obtain the employer's agreement
	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
Simatura	
5	Date / /
5	Date / /
Signature of worker	Date / /
8	Date / /
of worker	Date / /
of worker Lodging this form This form should be lodged with — Director	Date / /
of worker Lodging this form This form should be lodged with — Director WorkCover WA	Date / /
of worker Lodging this form This form should be lodged with — Director WorkCover WA Perth, Western Australia	
of worker Lodging this form This form should be lodged with — Director WorkCover WA Perth, Western Australia	cal evidence from a medical practitioner indicating that, in h

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Form 22A

#### Form 22A

[r. 19JA]

Workers' Compensation and Injury Management Act 1981

## **REFERRAL OF QUESTION OF DEGREE OF DISABILITY**

[Made by the worker under sections 93D(5) and 93EA(3) of the Act, due to the application of section 93EA(3)]

Worker's details	
Surname	Other names
Date of birth Sex	Occupation
Address	
	Postcode
Telephone no.	
Employer's details	
Name	
Address	
	Postcode
Telephone no.	WorkCover no. (if known)
Contact person	
Title	T-lh
litte	Telephone no.
Insurer's details	
Name	
Address	
	Postcode
Date weekly payments commenced (if applicable)	Claim no. (if known)
Contact person	
Telephone no.	

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## Form 22A

## Injury details

Description of injury <u>Note:</u> This must be the same injury and only t circumstances set out in section 93EA(1) of th	that injury that was the subject of a referral in the e Act.
Date injury occurred	Date weekly payments commenced
medical practitioner	Degree of disability (see s. 93E(3) of the Act) Nominate <b>only one</b> of the following not less than 30% not less than 16%
original referral was pre 14 December 1999 a	level as was nominated in the original referral. If the nd both levels were nominated, the nominated level orm 22A may be used for the other level, if required
is not less than the relevant level	
The action taken by or on behalf of the worker	
The following information should be include	ed with this referral —
If, on or before 30 September 2001, you sough under section 93D(5) of the Act, and in order t you produced to the Director anything that, ev constituted evidence of the kind required by th Director as evidence of that kind, then a copy and accepted by the Director should be attached	o satisfy section 93D(6) of the Act en though it may not have at subsection, was accepted by the of the Form 22 that was referred to
If, based on a failure to satisfy the requirement officer did not deal with the substance of the q the review officer's decision should be attache	uestion referred to above, a copy of
If, based on a failure to satisfy the requirement aside or quashed a decision of a review officer question referred to in the first paragraph abov	that dealt with the substance of the e, a copy of the court decision
should be attached.	

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The following details must be completed regarding the medical evidence relied upon in support of this referral —		
Name of Medical Practitioner/s	Date of medical report/s	
<u>Note</u> : Under section 93EA(4)(c) of the Act, this form is medical evidence that complies with section 93D(6) of t Director that the complying evidence has already been	the Act, unless the worker satisfies the	
Signature of worker	Date / /	
Lodging this form		
This form should be lodged with —		
Director		
WorkCover WA		

[Form 22A inserted in Gazette 26 Oct 2004 p. 4902-5; amended in Gazette 21 Jan 2005 p. 276; 28 Oct 2005 p. 4935; 18 Nov 2011 p. 4825.]

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Form 22B

#### Form 22B

[r. 19JB]

Workers' Compensation and Injury Management Act 1981

**REFERRAL OF QUESTION OF DEGREE OF DISABILITY** 

[Made by the worker under sections 93D(5) and 93EB(3) of the Act, due to the application of section 93EB(3)]

## Worker's details

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<u>nsurer's details</u>	
Name	
Address	
	<b>D</b>
Date weekly payments commenced (if an	Postcode pplicable) Claim no. (if known)
Contact person	
Telephone no.	
Telephone no.	
Description of injury <u>Note: This must be the same injury an</u>	
Description of injury <u>Note</u> : This must be the same injury an circumstances set out in section 93EB(	
Description of injury <u>Note</u> : This must be the same injury an circumstances set out in section 93EB( Date injury occurred	Date weekly payments commenced
Description of injury	1) of the Act.
Note: This must be the same injury an circumstances set out in section 93EB( Date injury occurred Degree of disability as assessed by	1) of the Act.   Date weekly payments commenced   Degree of disability (see s. 93E(3) of the Act)   Nominate only one of the following   not less than 30%
Description of injury <u>Note</u> : This must be the same injury an circumstances set out in section 93EB( Date injury occurred Degree of disability as assessed by medical practitioner <u>Note</u> : The nominated level must be the original referral was pre 14 December	1) of the Act.          Date weekly payments commenced         Degree of disability (see s. 93E(3) of the Act)         Nominate only one of the following         not less than 30%         not less than 16%         e same level as was nominated in the original referral. If the 1999 and both levels were nominated, the nominated level as the same level as the nominated
Description of injury <u>Note</u> : This must be the same injury an circumstances set out in section 93EB( Date injury occurred Degree of disability as assessed by medical practitioner <u>Note</u> : The nominated level must be th original referral was pre 14 December should be one of those levels, and a fur	Date weekly payments commenced Degree of disability (see s. 93E(3) of the Act) Nominate <b>only one</b> of the following not less than 30% not less than 16% e same level as was nominated in the original referral. If t 1999 and both levels were nominated, the nominated lev ther Form 22B may be used for the other level, if require
Description of injury <u>Note</u> : This must be the same injury an circumstances set out in section 93EB( Date injury occurred Degree of disability as assessed by medical practitioner <u>Note</u> : The nominated level must be th original referral was pre 14 December should be one of those levels, and a fur	1) of the Act.          Date weekly payments commenced         Degree of disability (see s. 93E(3) of the Act)         Nominate only one of the following         not less than 30%         not less than 16%         e same level as was nominated in the original referral. If the 1999 and both levels were nominated, the nominated level as the same level as the nominated

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## Form 22B

The following information should be included with this referral - If, before the commencement of section 10 of the <i>Workers' Compens</i> ( <i>Common Law Proceedings) Act 2004</i> , you sought to refer a question Director under section 93D(5) of the Act, then a copy of the Form 22 referred to and accepted by the Director should be attached. If, on or after 4 December 2003, on the basis that Part IV Division 2	sation to the
If, on or after 4 December 2003, on the basis that Part IV Division 2	
before it was amended by section 32 of the <i>Workers' Compensation</i> <i>Rehabilitation Amendment Act 1999</i> applied to proceedings for the a damages concerned, a review officer did not deal with the substance referred to above, a copy of the review officer's decision should be a or	<i>and</i> warding of of the question
If, on or after 4 December 2003, on the basis that Part IV Division 2 before it was amended by section 32 of the <i>Workers' Compensation Rehabilitation Amendment Act 1999</i> applied to proceedings for the a damages concerned, a court set aside or quashed a decision of a revie dealt with the substance of the question referred to in the first parager copy of the court decision should be attached.	<i>and</i> warding of ew officer that
The following details must be completed regarding the medical e of this referral —	vidence relied upon in support
Name of Medical Practitioner/s	Date of medical report/s

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Signature of worker	Date	/ /
Lodging this form		
This form should be lodged with —		
Director		
WorkCover WA		
Perth, Western Australia		

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Form 23

## Form 23

[r. 19J(2), (3)]

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NOTICE OF REFERRAL OF QUESTION OF DEGREE OF DISABILITY

Worker's details Surname	Other names
Address	
	Postcode
Telephone no.	Occupation
Employer's details	
Name	
Address	
	Postcode
Telephone no.	WorkCover no. (if known)
<u>Injury details</u>	
Description of injury	
Date injury occurred	
Degree of disability as assessed by	Degree of disability
medical practitioner	not less than 30%
	$\square$ not less than 16%

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#### Form 23

Question referred The question of whether the worker's degree o the Director, for consideration.	f disability is or is not less than the relevant level has been referred to
	lical evidence provided by the worker which indicates that in the e worker's degree of disability is not less than the relevant level.
	gree of disability is less than the relevant level, you should complete the Director within 21 days of receiving this notice.
If you do not notify the Director within 21 d disability is not less than the relevant level	ays you will be taken to have agreed that the worker's degree of
Signature of Director	Date / /

## **Employer's objection**

Employer's assessment of	of degree of disability	
Signature of employer	Date	/ /

[Form 23 inserted in Gazette 14 Dec 1999 p. 6154-5; amended in Gazette 17 Nov 2000 p. 6321; 21 Jan 2005 p. 276; 28 Oct 2005 p. 4936-7; 18 Nov 2011 p. 4825.]

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Form 23A

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Workers' Compensation and Injury Management Act 1981 NOTICE OF REFERRAL OF QUESTION OF DEGREE OF DISABILITY [Notice given under section 93EA(5)(a) and (b)(i) of the Act, where section 93EA(3) applied]

Surname	Other names
Address	
	Postcode
Telephone no.	Occupation
Employer's details	
Name	
Iname	
Address	
Address	
	Postcode
Telephone no.	WorkCover no. (if known
njury details	
Description of injury	
Date injury occurred	
Degree of disability as assessed by	Degree of disability
medical practitioner	not less than 30%
	not less than 16%

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## Form 23A

Question re	eferred		
	o the Dire	the worker's degree of disability is or is not less ctor, for consideration under section 93D(5), du	
Medical evi	idence		
Accompanying with section 93		the is a copy of the medical evidence produced be he Act.	by the worker that complies
Director's	opinion		
	-	on 93EA(5)(a) and (b)(i) of the Act, it is my opi	inion that —
		nplying with section 93D(6) has been produced	
oth	ner respec	s the referral is properly made; and	
(b) the	referral i	s accepted.	
In accordance provisions may		on 93EA(5)(b)(i) of the Act, notification is also	given that the following
Section 93E(6a	a)		
	days after	the Director subsequently gives the worker	
agr wor wor	lays after eement o 'ker is re		notice in writing that an orded. This only applies if the C(3)(b) of the Act (i.e. the
agr wor wor	lays after eement o ker is re ker has a	the Director subsequently gives the worker r determination of the question has been reco quired to make an election under section 93E	notice in writing that an orded. This only applies if the C(3)(b) of the Act (i.e. the
agr wor wor that Section 93EC	lays after eement o ker is re ker has a	the Director subsequently gives the worker r determination of the question has been reco quired to make an election under section 93E	notice in writing that an orded. This only applies if the C(3)(b) of the Act (i.e. the
agr wor wor that Section 93EC	days after eement o eker is re- ker has a <u>n 30%).</u> <u>e</u> : If — under the ref	the Director subsequently gives the worker r determination of the question has been reco quired to make an election under section 93E	notice in writing that an orded. This only applies if the $\zeta(3)(b)$ of the Act (i.e. the of not less than 16% but less worker that
agr wor wor than Section 93EC <u>Not</u>	days after eement o eker is re- eker has a <u>n 30%).</u> <u>ee</u> : If — under the rei that th the tim	the Director subsequently gives the worker r determination of the question has been recc quired to make an election under section 93E un agreed or determined degree of disability section 93EA(5)(b)(i), the Director notifies a terral of a question relating to an injury is ac	notice in writing that an orded. This only applies if the $\mathcal{C}(3)(b)$ of the Act (i.e. the of not less than 16% but less worker that cepted and
agr wor wor than Section 93EC <u>Not</u> (a)	days after eement o ker is re- ker has a n 30%). <u>e</u> : If — under the rel that fl the tin action (i)	the Director subsequently gives the worker r determination of the question has been recc quired to make an election under section 93E an agreed or determined degree of disability section 93EA(5)(b)(i), the Director notifies a erral of a question relating to an injury is ac is section applies; and he limited by any written law for the commer	notice in writing that an orded. This only applies if th (3)(b) of the Act (i.e. the of not less than 16% but less worker that cepted and ncement of an
agr wor wor than Section 93EC <u>Not</u> (a)	days after eement o rker is re- rker has a <u>n 30%).</u> <u>e:</u> If — under the rel that tf the tin action (i) (ii)	the Director subsequently gives the worker r determination of the question has been reco- quired to make an election under section 93E un agreed or determined degree of disability section 93EA(5)(b)(i), the Director notifies a ferral of a question relating to an injury is ac us section applies; and ne limited by any written law for the commen seeking damages in respect of the injury — has elapsed before the day on which the Direc-	notice in writing that an orded. This only applies if the (2(3)(b) of the Act (i.e. the of not less than 16% but less worker that cepted and neement of an ector notifies fore the expiry
agri wor wor Section 93EC (a) (b)	days after eement o ker is re- ker has a <u>n 30%).</u> <u>e</u> : If — under the rel that th the tin action (i) (ii) action see umenced	the Director subsequently gives the worker r determination of the question has been reco quired to make an election under section 93E an agreed or determined degree of disability section 93EA(5)(b)(i), the Director notifies a erral of a question relating to an injury is ac is section applies; and ne limited by any written law for the commer seeking damages in respect of the injury — has elapsed before the day on which the Dire the worker (the "notification" day); or is due to elapse on the notification day or bef	notice in writing that an orded. This only applies if the ((3)(b) of the Act (i.e. the of not less than 16% but less worker that cepted and neement of an ector notifies fore the expiry ay, lespite that written law, be
agr wor than Section 93EC (a) (b) an a con	days after eement o ker is re- ker has a <u>n 30%).</u> <u>e</u> : If — under the rel that th the tin action (i) (ii) action see umenced	the Director subsequently gives the worker r determination of the question has been rece quired to make an election under section 93E an agreed or determined degree of disability section 93EA(5)(b)(i), the Director notifies a erral of a question relating to an injury is ac is section applies; and he limited by any written law for the commer seeking damages in respect of the injury — has elapsed before the day on which the Dire the worker (the "notification" day); or is due to elapse on the notification day or bef of a period of 2 years after the notification day king damages in respect of the injury may, d	notice in writing that an orded. This only applies if the ((3)(b) of the Act (i.e. the of not less than 16% but less worker that cepted and neement of an ector notifies fore the expiry ay, lespite that written law, be
agr wor than Section 93EC (a) (b) an a con	days after eement o ker is re- ker has a <u>n 30%).</u> <u>e</u> : If — under the rel that th the tin action (i) (ii) action see umenced	the Director subsequently gives the worker r determination of the question has been rece quired to make an election under section 93E an agreed or determined degree of disability section 93EA(5)(b)(i), the Director notifies a erral of a question relating to an injury is ac is section applies; and he limited by any written law for the commer seeking damages in respect of the injury — has elapsed before the day on which the Dire the worker (the "notification" day); or is due to elapse on the notification day or bef of a period of 2 years after the notification day king damages in respect of the injury may, d	notice in writing that an orded. This only applies if the ((3)(b) of the Act (i.e. the of not less than 16% but less worker that cepted and neement of an ector notifies fore the expiry ay, lespite that written law, be

receiving this notice.

If you do not notify the Director within 21 days you will be taken to have agreed that the worker's degree of disability is not less than the relevant level.

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Signature of Director	Date	/ /
Employer's objection		

Employer's assessment of degree of disabilit	у	
Signature of		
employer	Date	/ /

[Form 23A inserted in Gazette 26 Oct 2004 p. 4908-10; amended in Gazette 21 Jan 2005 p. 276; 28 Oct 2005 p. 4937-8; 9 Dec 2005 p. 5897; 18 Nov 2011 p. 4825.]

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Form 23B

## Form 23B

[r. 19JB]

Workers' Compensation and Injury Management Act 1981

#### NOTICE OF REFERRAL OF QUESTION OF DEGREE OF DISABILITY

[Notice given under section 93EB(5)(a) and (b)(i) of the Act, where section 93EB(3) applied]

## Worker's details

Surname	Other names
Address	
	Postcode
Telephone no.	Occupation
· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	
Employer's details	
Name	
Address	
	Postcode
Telephone no.	WorkCover no. (if known)
Injury details	
Description of injury	
Date injury occurred	
Degree of disability as assessed by medical practitioner	Degree of disability
mearcar practitioner	not less than 30%
	not less than 16%

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## Form 23B

Question re	ferred	
	whether the worker's degree of disability is or is not less than the relevant the Director, for consideration under section 93D(5), due to the applicatte).	
Medical evi	dence	
	this notice is a copy of the medical evidence produced by the worker tha $D(6)$ of the Act.	t complies
Director's o	pinion	
	vith section 93EB(5)(a) and (b)(i) of the Act, it is my opinion that —	
(a) evic	dence complying with section 93D(6) has been produced and in all er respects the referral is properly made; and	
(b) the	referral is accepted.	
provisions may	11.7	llowing
Section 93E(6a)	)	
sect 14 c agr the wor	tion 93E(6) does not apply if the Director gives the worker notice und tion 93E(5)(b)(i) that this subsection applies, an election can be mad lays after the Director subsequently gives the worker notice in writin eement or determination of the question has been recorded. This onl, worker is required to make an election under section 93E(3)(b) of th rker has an agreed or determined degree of disability of not less than n 30%).	e within og that an y applies if e Act (i.e. the
Section 93EC		
Note:	If —	
(a)	under section 93EB(5)(b)(i), the Director notifies a worker that the referral of a question relating to an injury is accepted and that this section applies; and	
(b)	the time limited by any written law for the commencement of an action seeking damages in respect of the injury —	
	<ul> <li>(i) has elapsed before the day on which the Director notifies the worker (the "notification day"); or</li> </ul>	
	(ii) is due to elapse on the notification day or before the expiry of a period of 2 years after the notification day,	
	action seeking damages in respect of the injury may, despite that wri umenced at any time before the expiry of a period of 2 years after the	

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Objection	
If you (the employer) consider the worker's deg should complete the bottom section of this form receiving this notice.	
If you do not notify the Director within 21 da worker's degree of disability is not less than t	e
Signature of	

Employer's assessment of degree of disability

Signature of		
employer	Date	/ /
employer	Dute	L

[Form 23B inserted in Gazette 26 Oct 2004 p. 4911-13; amended in Gazette 21 Jan 2005 p. 276; 28 Oct 2005 p. 4937-8; 9 Dec 2005 p. 5897; 18 Nov 2011 p. 4825.]

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Form 24

## Form 24

[r. 19K(1), (2)]

Workers' Compensation and Injury Management Act 1981

## DEGREE OF DISABILITY AGREEMENT

Surname	Other names
Address	
	Postcode
Telephone no.	Occupation
Employer's details	
Name	
Address	
	Postcode
Telephone no.	WorkCover no. (if known)
nsurer's details	
nsurer's details	
Name	
Name	
Address	Postcode
Address	Postcode Claim no. (if known)
Address Date weekly payments commenced (if applicable).	
Address Date weekly payments commenced (if applicable).	
Address Address Date weekly payments commenced (if applicable). Contact person	
Name Address Date weekly payments commenced (if applicable). Contact person Telephone no.	
Name Address Date weekly payments commenced (if applicable).	
Name Address Date weekly payments commenced (if applicable).	
Name Address Date weekly payments commenced (if applicable).	
Name Address Date weekly payments commenced (if applicable).	

<u>njury details</u>				
Description of injury				
Date injury occurred				
greement				
Agreed degree of disability (insert actual figure e.g. 22%)	%		degree of disability is — ot less than 30% ot less than 16%	
Signature of Worker			Date / /	
Signature of witness			Name of witness	
Signature of Employer			Date / /	
Signature of witness			Name of witness	
Recording of agreeme	nt			
Date of recording	R	ecord no.		
Signature of Director			Date / /	
			99 p. 6156-7; amended 05 p. 276; 28 Oct 200.	

Form 25

## Form 25

[r. 19M(1)]

Workers' Compensation and Injury Management Act 1981

## ELECTION TO RETAIN RIGHT TO SEEK DAMAGES

## Worker's details

Surname	Other names
Date of birth Sex	Occupation
Address	
	Postcode
Telephone no.	
Employer's details	
Address	
	Postcode
Telephone no.	WorkCover no. (if known)
Contact person	
Title	Telephone no.
Insurer's details	
Name	
Address	
	Postcode
Date weekly payments commenced	Claim no. (if known)

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rm 25		
Contact person		
Telephone no.		
njury details		
Description of injury		
Description of injury		
Date injury occurred		
Has a Degree of Disability Agreement (Form 24) already been recorded by the	Yes	
Director?	No	
If yes:date when recorded		
record number		
Degree of disability as agreed%		
Has the determination of a dispute as to the degree of disability already been	Yes	
recorded under reg. 19L by the Director?	No	
If ves:date when recorded	110	-
Degree of disability as determined%		

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The registration of this election will, in most cases, prevent you from continuing to receive statutory benefits under the *Workers' Compensation and Injury Management Act 1981*.

You should seek appropriate independent advice before lodging this form.

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Form 25

Registration of election		
Date of registration	Registration no.	
Signature of Director	Date	/ /

[Form 25 inserted in Gazette 14 Dec 1999 p. 6157-9; amended in Gazette 17 Nov 2000 p. 6317 and 6321; 21 Jan 2005 p. 276; 28 Oct 2005 p. 4938.]

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Form 26

Form	26
	[r. 19N(3)(a) and (5)(a)]
Workers' Compensation and Inj	jury Management Act 1981
APPLICATION FOR EXTENSION O	
(MEDICAL EVIDEN	
Worker's details	,
Surname	Other names
Sumane	Other names
Date of birth Sex	Occupation
Address	
	Postcode
Telephone no.	
Employer's details	
Name	
Address	
	Postcode
Telephone no.	WorkCover no. (if known)
Contact person	
75°-4	
Title	Telephone no.
Insurer's details	
Name	
Address	
	Postcode
Date weekly payments commenced	Claim no. (if known)
Contact person	
Telephone no.	

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Form 26

<u>njury details</u>	
Description of injury	
Date injury occurred	Degree of disability (as assessed by worker's medical specialist) %
Extension of time sought	
The application for extension of time	is made under —
□ regulation 19N(2)(a) C	DR $\Box$ regulation 19N(2)(c)
Extension sought until	
Lodging this form	
This form should be lodged with —	
Director	
ě	
Director	
Director WorkCover WA Perth, Western Australia If applying under regulation 19N(2)(;	a) you must also give to the Director medical evidence from a ist in a relevant field of medicine indicating that you will require l (see regulation 19N(1)).
Director WorkCover WA Perth, Western Australia If applying under regulation 19N(2)( medical practitioner who is a speciali major surgery in the extension period	ist in a relevant field of medicine indicating that you will require
Director WorkCover WA Perth, Western Australia If applying under regulation 19N(2)( medical practitioner who is a speciali major surgery in the extension period If applying under regulation 19N(2)(	ist in a relevant field of medicine indicating that you will require 1 (see regulation 19N(1)).
Director WorkCover WA Perth, Western Australia If applying under regulation 19N(2)( medical practitioner who is a speciali major surgery in the extension period If applying under regulation 19N(2)( determination.	ist in a relevant field of medicine indicating that you will require 1 (see regulation 19N(1)).

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orm 26			
The extension of time is gran	ted under —		
□ regulation 19N(2)(a)	OR	□ regulation 19N(2)(c)	
Signature of Director		Date	/ /

[Form 26 inserted in Gazette 14 Dec 1999 p. 6159-61; amended in Gazette 17 Nov 2000 p. 6321; 21 Jan 2005 p. 276; 28 Oct 2005 p. 4938-9; 18 Nov 2011 p. 4825.]

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Form 27

Form	27
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[r. 19N(4)(a)]

Workers' Compensation and Injury Management Act 1981

## APPLICATION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME TO MAKE ELECTION (MEDICAL EVIDENCE NOT YET AVAILABLE)

<u>Worker's details</u>	
Surname	Other names
Date of birth Sex	Occupation
Address	
	Postcode
Telephone no.	
<u>Employer's details</u>	
Name	
Address	
	Postcode
Telephone no.	WorkCover no. (if known)
Canta da manan	
Contact person	
Title	Telephone no.
naunar's datails	
Insurer's details	
Name	
Address	
	Postcode
Date weekly payments commenced	Claim no. (if known)
Contact person	
Telephone no.	

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<u>njury details</u>	
Description of injury	
Data inium a sumal	
Date injury occurred	
Tytomaion of time a	
Extension of time so	
Extension sought until	
State grounds on which the	worker submits that he or she will require major surgery in respect of the
injury in the extension peri	
	en taken by or on behalf of the worker to obtain medical evidence from a
medical practitioner who is	en taken by or on behalf of the worker to obtain medical evidence from a a specialist in a relevant field of medicine that the worker will require the injury in the extension period
medical practitioner who is	a specialist in a relevant field of medicine that the worker will require
medical practitioner who is	a specialist in a relevant field of medicine that the worker will require
medical practitioner who is	a specialist in a relevant field of medicine that the worker will require
medical practitioner who is	a specialist in a relevant field of medicine that the worker will require the injury in the extension period
medical practitioner who is major surgery in respect of	a specialist in a relevant field of medicine that the worker will require the injury in the extension period
medical practitioner who is major surgery in respect of	a specialist in a relevant field of medicine that the worker will require the injury in the extension period
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medical practitioner who is major surgery in respect of Signature of Worker	a specialist in a relevant field of medicine that the worker will require the injury in the extension period (attach separate sheet if insufficient room
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medical practitioner who is major surgery in respect of Signature of Worker Lodging this form This form should be lodged Director WorkCover WA Perth, Western Au	a specialist in a relevant field of medicine that the worker will require the injury in the extension period (attach separate sheet if insufficient room Date / / d with —

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Form 27

Granting of extension An extension of time to make an election	der section 93E(3)(b) of the Act	_
is granted until / /	R is not granted	
Signature of Director	Date	/ /

[Form 27 inserted in Gazette 14 Dec 1999 p. 6161-3; amended in Gazette 17 Nov 2000 p. 6321; 21 Jan 2005 p. 276; 28 Oct 2005 p. 4939; 18 Nov 2011 p. 4825.]

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Form 28

Form	28
	[r. 19N(3a)(a)]
Workers' Compensation and Inj	
APPLICATION FOR EXTENSION OF T NEEDED FOR REPORT BASED ON INVESTIGA	N TREATMENT OR MEDICAL
Worker's details	
Surname	Other names
Date of birth Sex	Occupation
Address	
	Postcode
Telephone no.	
Employer's details	
Name	
Address	
	Postcode
Telephone no.	WorkCover no. (if known)
Contact person	
Title	Telephone no.
Insurer's details	
Name	
Address	
	Postcode
Date weekly payments commenced	Claim no. (if known)
Contact person	
Telephone no.	

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	Form 2
<u>njury details</u>	
Description of inju	ry
Date injury occurre	:d
Extension of ti Extension sought u	
treatment or medica	eded to give sufficient time for the preparation of a specialist's report, based on al investigation of the worker, as to whether the worker will require major surgery ury in the extension period (see regulation 19N(1)). The treatment or medical scribe below):
	Date / /
Worker	
Worker Lodging this form	
Worker Lodging this form This form should be Director	e lodged with —
Worker Lodging this form This form should b Director WorkCove	e lodged with — er WA
WorkCove Perth, Wes You must also give indicating that a rep	e lodged with — er WA stern Australia to the Director medical evidence from a specialist in a relevant field of medicine port could not be satisfactorily prepared without the treatment or investigation d out, and that the extension sought is needed to give sufficient time for the
Worker Lodging this form This form should b Director WorkCove Perth, Wes You must also give indicating that a rep having been carried preparation of the r	e lodged with — er WA stern Australia to the Director medical evidence from a specialist in a relevant field of medicine port could not be satisfactorily prepared without the treatment or investigation out, and that the extension sought is needed to give sufficient time for the
Worker Lodging this form This form should b Director WorkCove Perth, Wes You must also give indicating that a rep having been carried preparation of the r <u>Granting o</u> An extension of tim	e lodged with — er WA stern Australia to the Director medical evidence from a specialist in a relevant field of medicine port could not be satisfactorily prepared without the treatment or investigation d out, and that the extension sought is needed to give sufficient time for the eport

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Form 28

Signature of Director			
Director	Date	/	/

[Form 28 inserted in Gazette 17 Nov 2000 p. 6317-19; amended in Gazette 21 Jan 2005 p. 276; 28 Oct 2005 p. 4939; 18 Nov 2011 p. 4825.]

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Form 29

[r. 16A(1)]

Workers' Compensation and Injury Management Act 1981

(Schedule 1 clause 1C(1), (5))

## NOTICE OF DEPENDANT'S ENTITLEMENT TO ELECT

#### Record No.

Other names
Postcode

As a dependant referred to in the Workers' Compensation and Injury Management Act 1981 Schedule 1 clause 1B(1)(a) or (c) you are entitled to elect to receive a child's allowance under that Act Schedule 1 clause 1A or an apportionment of the notional residual entitlement of

#### ..... (name of deceased worker)

You may, within 30 days of receiving this notification, elect to receive the amount of the apportionment or a child's allowance. A form for making the election is attached.

If an election is not made within 30 days of receiving this notification, and registered by the Director, you will receive a child's allowance. The Director may refuse to register the election if not satisfied that you have been independently advised of the financial consequences of the election.

Dated this ..... day of ..... 20..... .....

#### Director

[Form 29 inserted in Gazette 28 Oct 2005 p. 4939-40; amended in Gazette 18 Nov 2011 p. 4825.]

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Workers' Compensation and Injury Management Regulations	1982
Appendix I	

	Form 30
	[r. 10
	Workers' Compensation and Injury Management Act 1981
	(Schedule 1 clause 1C(4)(a), (5))
	NOTICE OF PROVISIONAL APPORTIONMENT
ec	cord No.
)	:
	Dependant's details
	Surname Other names
	Address
	Postcode
	As a dependant of
	(name of deceased worker)
	The notional residual entitlement in relation to
	has been apportioned between the worker's dependants under the <i>Workers</i> '
	Compensation and Injury Management Act 1981 Schedule 1 clause 1C(4)(a
	The amount provisionally apportioned to you is \$
	You may, within 30 days of receiving this notification, elect to receive the amount of the provisional apportionment or a child's allowance. A form for making the election is attached.
	If an election is not made within 30 days of receiving this notification, and registered by the Director, you will receive a child's allowance.
	The Director may refuse to register the election if not satisfied that you have been independently advised of the financial consequences of the election.

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## Form 31

	<b>31</b> [r. 17AD(
Workers' Compensation and Inj	
APPLICATION TO EXT	
[for extension under Sch	
<u>Worker's details</u>	
Surname	Other names
Summe	Other hames
Date of birth Sex	Occupation
Address	
Talanhana na	Postcode WorkCover claim number (WCCN)
Telephone no.	workcover chann humber (ween)
	(if not known, insurer can provide WCCN)
	(i) not known, insurer can provide weer()
Employer's details	
Name	
Address	
	De store de
	Postcode
Telephone no	WorkCover number (WCN)
Telephone no.	WorkCover number (WCN)
Contact person	WorkCover number (WCN)
	WorkCover number (WCN)
	WorkCover number (WCN) Telephone no.
Contact person	
Contact person	
Contact person Title	
Contact person Title Insurer's details	
Contact person Title Insurer's details	
Contact person Title Insurer's details Name	Telephone no.
Contact person Title Insurer's details Name Address	
Contact person Title Insurer's details Name Address Date the claim for compensation by way of weekly	Telephone no. Postcode
Contact person Title Insurer's details Name Address	Telephone no.
Contact person Title Insurer's details Name Address Date the claim for compensation by way of weekly	Telephone no.
Contact person Title Insurer's details Name Address Date the claim for compensation by way of weekly payments was made on employer	Telephone no. Postcode Claim number given by insurer (if known)
Contact person Title Insurer's details Name Address Date the claim for compensation by way of weekly payments was made on employer	Telephone no. Postcode Claim number given by insurer (if known)

## Form 31

'ina	l day			
1.	Did a dispute resolution question of liability to r		g under section 58(1) or (2) o payments claimed?	f the Act, determine the
	Yes		If so, answer question 2	2.
	No		If not, skip question 2.	
2.	Was the question detern way of weekly paymen		3 months after the day on wh	nich compensation by
	Yes		If so, on which date?	
	No			
3.		onths after the da	ty is accepted in respect of the y on which compensation by	
	Yes		If so, on which date?	
	No			
4.	Has the final day been of Act 1981 Schedule 1 cla		he Workers' Compensation a	nd Injury Management
	Yes		If so, to which date?	
	No			
Exte	nsion sought			
1.	Specify the reasons for	seeking the exter	nsion.	
	Specify the reasons for Has the worker, in acco	rdance with the	nsion. regulations and before the fin e worker's degree of permanc	
1.	Specify the reasons for Has the worker, in acco	rdance with the	regulations and before the fin	
1.	Specify the reasons for Has the worker, in accor approved medical speci	rdance with the	regulations and before the fin	
1.	Specify the reasons for Has the worker, in accc approved medical speci impairment?	rdance with the alist to assess the	regulations and before the fin e worker's degree of permane	
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1. 2.	Specify the reasons for Has the worker, in accc approved medical speci impairment? Yes No	rdance with the : alist to assess the D st.	regulations and before the fin e worker's degree of permane	
1. 2. Attac 3.	Specify the reasons for Has the worker, in acco approved medical speci impairment? Yes No h a copy of any such reque Specify date until which sought.	rdance with the : alist to assess the D st.	regulations and before the fin e worker's degree of permane	
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# Form 31

Section 93E(14) of the Workers' Compensation and Injury Management Act 1981 provides that a further additional sum has been allowed to a worker under Schedule 1 clause 18A(1b) of tha Act in relation to an injury that is compensable under the Act, damages are not to be awarded respect of the injury.	is not extended.  Signature of Director Date / / Date / Dat	The final day		_	
Signature of Director       Date       /       /         Opies of extension sent to	Signature of Director       Date       /       /         Opies of extension sent to	is exte	ended to / /		
Director       Date       / / /         Copies of extension sent to	Director       Date       / / /         Copies of extension sent to				<b></b>
worker Date Date / /	worker Date Date / /		•	Date	/ /
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<b>Solution</b> Section 93E(14) of the <i>Workers' Compensation and Injury Management Act 1981</i> provides that a further additional sum has been allowed to a worker under Schedule 1 clause 18A(1b) of tha Act in relation to an injury that is compensable under the Act, damages are not to be awarded respect of the injury. [Form 31 inserted in Gazette 28 Oct 2005 p. 4942-4; amended in	Note Section 93E(14) of the Workers' Compensation and Injury Management Act 1981 provides that a further additional sum has been allowed to a worker under Schedule 1 clause 18A(1b) of tha Act in relation to an injury that is compensable under the Act, damages are not to be awarded respect of the injury. [Form 31 inserted in Gazette 28 Oct 2005 p. 4942-4; amended in	employer	(signature of person sending copy)		
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Form 32

	Form 32
	[r.
Workers' Compen.	sation and Injury Management Act 1981
	ABOUT DEGREE OF PERMANENT WHOLE ( CRSON IMPAIRMENT
[recorded u	under section 93L(2) of the Act]
Record No.	
Vorker's details	
Surname	Other names
Date of birth	Sex Occupation
Address	
	Postcode
Telephone no.	WorkCover claim number (WCCN)
Name	
Name	Postcode
Address	Postcode WorkCover number (WCN)
Name Address Telephone no.	
Name Address Telephone no. Contact person	WorkCover number (WCN)
Name Address Telephone no. Contact person	
Employer's details Name Address Telephone no. Contact person Title	WorkCover number (WCN)
Name Address Telephone no. Contact person Title nsurer's details	WorkCover number (WCN)
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Name Address Telephone no. Contact person Title nsurer's details Name	WorkCover number (WCN)       Telephone no.

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Form 32

Injury details		
Description of injury		
Date injury occurred		
Due njuly occured		
Date the claim, if any, for compensation by way of		
	r given by insurer (if known	l)
Agreement		
It has been agreed that the worker's degree of permanent whole of person	impairment is —	
(a) at least 15%		
do not complete if "Yes" in paragraph (b)	Yes 🛛	
	No 🛛	
(b) at least 25%		
do not complete if "No" in paragraph (a)	Yes	
	No 🛛	
Recorded		
Signature of		
<b>Director</b> Date	/ /	
Copies of record sent		
To worker		
Date	/ /	
(signature of person sending copy)		
To employer		
Date	/ /	
(signature of person sending copy)		

[Form 32 inserted in Gazette 28 Oct 2005 p. 4944-6.]

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Form 33

For	m 33
	[r. 21]
Workers' Compensation and	Injury Management Act 1981
ASSESSMENT OF DEGREE OF PI	ERMANENT WHOLE OF PERSON
IMPAI	RMENT
[recorded under sect	ion 93L(2) of the Act]
Record No.	
 [	
Wankar's datails	
Worker's details	
Surname	Other names
Date of birth Sex	Occupation
Address	
T 1 1	Postcode
Telephone no.	WorkCover claim number (WCCN)
Employer's details	
Name	
Address	
Address	
	Postcode
Telephone no.	WorkCover number (WCN)
Contact person	
Title	Telephone no.
Insurer's details	
Name	
Address	
	Postcode
Contact person	Telephone no.

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<u>Injury details</u>			
Description of injury			
Date injury occurred			
L			
Date the claim, if any, weekly payments was	for compensation by way of made on employer	Claim number giv	en by insurer (if known)
weekly payments was	made on employer		
Assessment			
Assessment			
Name of approved me	dical specialist assessing	Di-tti	[
		Registration number	
Degree of permanent	vhole of person impairment		
L	%		
Copy provided of			
	given to the worker under section		_
	referred to in section 93N(1) of the evaluation was requested (only re-		
	special evaluation as defined in s		
Recorded			
Signature of			
Director		Date	/ /
Copies of record	sent to		
	<u>sent to</u>		
worker		Date	/ /
	(signature of person sending co	py)	
employer			
empioyei		Date	/ /
	(signature of person sending co	py)	
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orm 34	
	Form 34
	[r.
Workers' Compens	sation and Injury Management Act 1981
	ETAIN RIGHT TO SEEK DAMAGES
[made und Registration No.	der section 93K(4) of the Act]
Worker's details	
Surname	Other names
bullante	
Date of birth S	Sex Occupation
Address	
Address	
	Postcode
Telephone no.	WorkCover claim number (WCCN)
	(if not known, insurer can provide WCCN)
Employer's details	(9.000 million (9.000
Name	
Name	
Address	
Telephone no.	Postcode WorkCover number (WCN)
relephone no.	
Contact person	
Title	Telephone no.
nsurer's details	
Name	
Address	
	Postcode

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Form 34	
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Inju	ry details				
Desci	ription of injury				
Date	injury occurred				
	the claim, if any, for compet ly payments was made on er		of	Claim number giv	en by insurer (if known)
Degre	ee of permanent whole of pe	rson impairmen	ıt		
	%				
	Director has, under section 9 er's degree of permanent wh				
Reco	rd Number				
Tern	nination day				
1.	Did a dispute resolution question of liability to m				of the Act, determine the
	Yes		If s	o, answer question 2	2.
	No		If r	ot, skip question 2.	
2.	Was the question determ way of weekly payments		3 month	s after the day on wl	hich compensation by
	Yes		If s	o, on which date?	
	No				
3.	Was the worker first not claimed more than 3 mor payments was claimed?				
	Yes		If s	o, on which date?	
	No				
4.	Has the termination day	been extended u	under sec	tion 93M(4) of the	Act?
	Yes		It	so, to which date?	
	No				
made Regis	ection cannot be withdrawn in respect of the same injur- stration of an election may at <i>bensation and Injury Manage</i>	after the Direct y or injuries (see ffect your entitle ement Act 1981)	e section ement to	ers it and a subseque 93L(6) of the Act). statutory compensat	tion under the Workers'
	You should seek app	propriate indep	oendent a	advice before lodgi	ng this form.

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orm 34			
Advice of cons	equences of election		
I have been properly	advised of the consequences of making the	is election.	
Signature of			
worker		Date	/ /
Registration of	this election		
This election form v	vas lodged under regulation 22 and registered	ed on the day	shown below.
Signature of			
Director		Date	/ /
Copies of electi	ion form sent to		
•			
worker			
worker		Date	/ /
	(signature of person sending copy)		·
employer			
	(signature of person sending copy)	Date	/ /
	(signature of person sending copy)		

[Form 34 inserted in Gazette 28 Oct 2005 p. 4948-50.]

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	Form 35
	[r.
Workers' Compen	nsation and Injury Management Act 1981
APPLICATION	TO EXTEND TERMINATION DAY
[for extensio	n under section 93M(4) of the Act]
Vorker's details	
Surname	Other names
Date of birth	Sex Occupation
Address	
	Postcode
Telephone no.	WorkCover claim number (WCCN)
E <b>mployer's details</b> Name	(if not known, insurer can provide WCCN
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Name Address	Postcode
Name	
Name Address	Postcode
Name Address Telephone no.	Postcode
Name Address Telephone no. Contact person	Postcode WorkCover number (WCN)
Name Address Telephone no. Contact person	Postcode WorkCover number (WCN)
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Da		- J				
Da	te injury occurr	ed	7			
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		le on employer	ay or wee	кіу	Claim number giv	en by insurer (if known)
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<b>Го</b> т	rmination of	lov				
1.		resolution authority ability to make the v			on $58(1)$ or $(2)$ of the	Act, determine the
	question of na	Yes		-	o, answer question 2	
		No			ot, skip question 2.	
2.			re than 3 i			compensation by way o
	weekly paym	ents was claimed?				
		Yes		If	so, on which date?	
		No				
3.					in respect of the we ation by way of week	ekly payments claimed dy payments was
		Yes		If s	o, on which date?	
		No				
4.	Has the termi	nation day been ext	ended und	ler section	93M(4) of the Act?	
		Yes		If s	o, to which date?	
		No				
7-1-1	toncion con	aht				
	tension sou					
1.						inces described in —
		tion 93M(4)(a) of A		·	s condition has not st	,
		tion 93M(4)(b) of A				rith section 930 of Act)
		tion 93M(4)(c) of A				ocuments to worker)
	□ sec	tion 93M(4)(d)(i) o	f Act		ent requested but doe ecified time — not s	cuments not available pecial evaluation)
	□ sec	tion 93M(4)(d)(ii) o	of Act		ent requested but doo ecified time — spec	cuments not available ial evaluation)
	Specify date u	until which extensio	n sought.			
2.						
Si	gnature 'worker				Date	/ /

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How to loo	dge this form		
1. This	form should be lodged with: Director WorkCover WA Perth, WA		
	EN LODGING THIS FORM ALSO GULATION 23 REQUIRES YOU T	) PROVIDE ANYTHING ELSE THAT 'O PROVIDE.	
Extension	given or refused		
-	ion day s extended to /	/	
Signatur Director	e of	Date / /	
Copies of	extension sent to		
worker	(signature of person sen	Date / /	
employer	(signature of person sen	Date / /	

[Form 35 inserted in Gazette 28 Oct 2005 p. 4951-3; amended in Gazette 18 Nov 2011 p. 4825.]

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Workers' Compensation and Injury Management Act 1981

#### NOTICE TO WORKER ABOUT TERMINATION DAY FOR ELECTION [under section 930 of the Act]

Date on which notice given (insert date) (Insert name of worker) (Insert address of worker) WorkCover claim number (WCCN) (insert number) Date of injury (insert date) Date when claim for compensation made on employer: (insert date)

#### IMPORTANT INFORMATION

Section 93O of the Workers' Compensation and Injury Management Act 1981 entitles you to notice of certain things that may affect the damages you could recover in court.

If your cause of action arises on or after 14 November 2005, a court will not be able to award damages for your injury if you do not elect under section 93K of the Act to retain the right to seek damages and have the election registered by WorkCover's Director.

On the other hand, registering your election may affect your entitlement to statutory compensation. You should seek advice on whether or not to make an election.

One rule about electing is that, if you claim compensation by way of weekly payments because of your injury, you cannot elect after the termination day (there are exceptions to this rule for AIDS and specified industrial diseases).

Your termination day for this injury is ..... (specify date), which is about 6 months away.

You may be able to apply for the termination day to be extended but an extension can only be given in limited circumstances (see section 93M(4) and (8) of the Act).

Also, before you can elect, an agreement (between you and your employer) or assessment (by an approved medical specialist you select — see the register kept by the Director) about the level of your degree of permanent whole of person impairment has to be made and recorded by the Director. The level agreed or assessed has to be 15% or more.

If you request an assessment, the approved medical specialist can reasonably be expected to take 6 weeks from when you make the request to give you the

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documents about the outcome of the assessment. In some cases 7 weeks is relevant (see section 93M(4)(d)(ii) of the Act). You need to allow for this time.

This notice is a standard document and is not meant to be relied on instead of obtaining appropriate advice.

### **Employer's details**

Name	
Address	
	Postcode
Telephone no.	WorkCover number (WCN)
Contact person	
Title	Telephone no.

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Workers'	Compensation and	Injury Management Act 1981
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		IPAIRMENT
[recon	rded under section	a 158B(1)(a)(i) of the Act]
<u>Record No.</u>		
<u>Vorker's details</u>		
Surname		Other names
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Date of birth	Sex	Occupation
Address		
		D ( 1
		Postcode
Telephone no.		Postcode WorkCover claim number (WCCN)
Employer's details		
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Employer's details		
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ber given by	y insurer (if known)
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Yes	
No	
	_
No	
ite	/ /
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ite	/ /
	Yes No Yes No tte

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Workers' Compensation and Injury Management Act 1981 RECORD OF AGREEMENT ABOUT RETRAINING CRITERIA [recorded under section 158B(1)(b)(i) of the Act]		
Workers' Compensation and Injury Management Act 1981         RECORD OF AGREEMENT ABOUT RETRAINING CRITERIA [recorded under section 158B(1)(b)(i) of the Act]         Record No.	Forn	n 38
RECORD OF AGREEMENT ABOUT RETRAINING CRITERIA [recorded under section 158B(1)(b)(i) of the Act]         Record No.       Other names		[r. 47(4)(b)]
RECORD OF AGREEMENT ABOUT RETRAINING CRITERIA [recorded under section 158B(1)(b)(i) of the Act]         Record No.       Other names	Workers' Compensation and I	Injury Management Act 1981
Record No.         Worker's details         Surname       Other names         Date of birth       Sex       Occupation         Date of birth       Sex       Occupation         Address       Postcode       Postcode         Telephone no.       WorkCover claim number (WCCN)       Postcode         Fmplover's details       Postcode       Postcode         Telephone no.       WorkCover number (WCN)       Postcode         Telephone no.       WorkCover number (WCN)       Postcode         Telephone no.       Postcode       Postcode         Telephone no.       WorkCover number (WCN)       Postcode         Telephone no.       Postcode       Postcode         Mame       Postcode       Postcode         Mame       Postcode       Postcode         Mame       Postcode       Postcode	RECORD OF AGREEMENT AB	OUT RETRAINING CRITERIA
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Surname Other names   Date of birth Sex   Occupation     Address     Telephone no.   WorkCover claim number (WCCN)     Employer's details   Name   Address     Postcode     Telephone no.   WorkCover number (WCN)     Contact person   Title   Telephone no.     Postcode     Insurer's details     Name     Address	Record No.	
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Postcode         Telephone no.       WorkCover claim number (WCCN)         Employer's details         Name         Address         Telephone no.         Postcode         Telephone no.         Contact person         Title         Title         Telephone no.         MorkCover number (WCN)         Insurer's details         Name         Address         Postcode		
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Postcode         Telephone no.       WorkCover number (WCN)         Contact person	Name	
Postcode         Telephone no.       WorkCover number (WCN)         Contact person		
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Name Address Postcode	Insurer's details	
Address Postcode		
Postcode		
	Address	
Contact person Telephone no.		
	Contact person	Telephone no.

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<u>Injury details</u>			
Description of injury			
Date injury occurred			
	for compensation by way of	<u></u>	
weekly payments was	made on employer	Claim number give	n by insurer (if known)
L		L	
Agreement			
It has been agreed that Act.	t the worker satisfies all of the retu	raining criteria defined	in section 158(1) of the
<b>Recorded</b>			
Signature of		_	
Director		Date	/ /
Copies of record	<u>l sent</u>		
To worker			
	(signature of person sending co	Date	/ /
	(Signature of person schuling co	PJ/	
To employer		Date	
	(signature of person sending co		/ /
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	Form 39
	[r. 4
Workers' Compense	ation and Injury Management Act 1981
	ON TO EXTEND FINAL DAY under section 158B(4) of the Act]
Worker's details	
Surname	Other names
Date of birth S	ex Occupation
Address	
. Iddress	
	Postcode
Telephone no.	WorkCover claim number (WCCN)
Telephone no.	
	WorkCover claim number (WCCN) (if not known, insurer can provide WCCN)
Employer's details	
Emplover's details Name	
Employer's details	
Emplover's details Name	(if not known, insurer can provide WCCN)
Emplover's details Name	
Employer's details Name Address	(if not known, insurer can provide WCCN) Postcode
Employer's details Name Address	(if not known, insurer can provide WCCN) Postcode
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Employer's details Name Address Telephone no.	(if not known, insurer can provide WCCN) Postcode
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Emplover's details Name Address Telephone no. Contact person Title Insurer's details	(if not known, insurer can provide WCCN)  Postcode WorkCover number (WCN)
Emplover's details Name Address Telephone no. Contact person Title Insurer's details Name	(if not known, insurer can provide WCCN)  Postcode WorkCover number (WCN)
Emplover's details Name Address Telephone no. Contact person Title Insurer's details Name	(if not known, insurer can provide WCCN)  Postcode WorkCover number (WCN)

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Form 39

Injury details
Description of injury
Date injury occurred
Sate Mary Secured
Date the claim for compensation by way of weekly
payments was made on employer Claim number given by insurer (if known
Final day under section 158B of the Act
1. Did a dispute resolution authority, acting under section 58(1) or (2) of the Act, determine the question of liability to make the weekly payments claimed?
Yes $\Box$ If so, answer question 2.
No $\Box$ If not, skip question 2.
2. Was the question determined more than 3 months after the day on which compensation by way weekly payments was claimed?
Yes  If so, on which date?
No
3. Was the worker first notified that liability is accepted in respect of the weekly payments claimed more than 3 months after the day on which compensation by way of weekly payments was claimed?
Yes If so, on which date?
No
4. Has the final day been extended under section 158B(4) of the Act?
Yes  If so, to which date?
No 🗆
Extension sought
1. This application is for the final day to be extended under section 158B(4) of the Act.
2. Specify date until which extension sought.
Signature of worker Date / /
How to lodge this form
1. This form should be lodged with: Director WorkCover WA Perth, WA
2. WHEN LODGING THIS FORM ALSO PROVIDE ANYTHING ELSE THAT REGULATION 48 REQUIRES YOU TO PROVIDE.

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Extension giver	n or refused	<u>1</u>			
The final day					
is extend	led to	/ /			
is not ex	tended.				
Signature of					
Director			Date	/	/
Copies of exten	cion cont to				
Jopies of exten	sion sent u	<u>)</u>			
worker			Date	/	/
	(signatur	e of person sending c	copy)	·	
amplayar					
employer			Date	/	/
	(signatur	e of person sending c	copy)		

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Form 40

Form 40				
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<del>Wor</del>	kers' Compensation	and Injury Manageme	<del>ent Act 1981</del>	
	Infrir	<del>agement notice</del>	Serial No. Date/	
Workers' Con		jury Management	Infringement	
INI	<u>Act 1981</u> FRINGEMENT N	OTICE	notice no.	
Alleged offender	Name	UTICE		
	Address			
Details of alleged	Date or period			
offence	Place			
	Written law contravened			
	Details of offence			
Date	Date of notice			
Authorised	Name			
officer	Signature			
Modified penalty	<u>\$</u>			

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Due date for payment of modified penalty	/ /20 (Within 28 days after the giving of the notice)

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Form 40

TAKE	<del>To: (1)</del>	Inserted Cells
NOTICE	of C	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
		<b>-</b>
	It is alleged that on at or about <sup>(3)</sup>	
	at <sup>(4)</sup>	
		<b>T</b>
	the alleged offender named above you have committed the following above offence—.	
		-
	contraryIf you do not want to section. <sup>(5)</sup> of the Workers' Compensation and Injury Management Act 1981.	
	The be prosecuted in court for the offence, pay the modifie penalty for this offence is \$ to an authorised officer by the above due date.	
	If you need more time to pay the modified penalty, you should contact an authorised officer* at the address below.	
	Paying the modified penalty will not be regarded as an admission for the purposes of any civil or criminal court case	
	If you want this matter to be dealt with by prosecution in court, sign and date here:	
	/ /20 and post this notice to an authorised officer* at the address below within 28 days after the date of this notice.	
	If you consider that you have good reason to have this notice withdrawn, you can write to an authorised officer* at the address below requesting that this notice be withdrawn and	
	setting out the reasons why you consider that this notice should be withdrawn.	

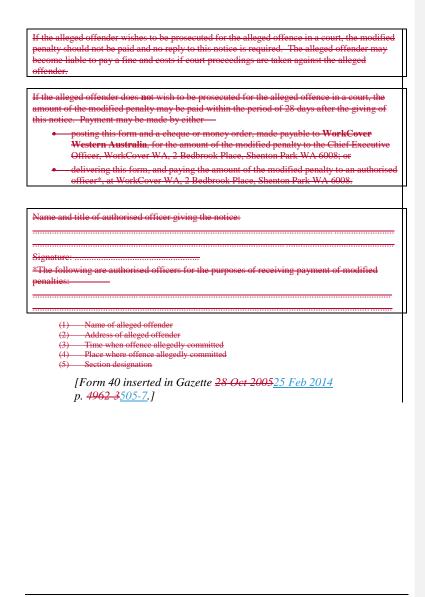
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How to pay	<u>By post</u>	Tick the relevant box below and post this notice         to:         Workcover WA         [Insert address]
		<ul> <li>I want to pay the modified penalty.</li> <li>A cheque or money order (payable to [insert details of authorised officer*]) for the modified penalty is enclosed.</li> </ul>
		□ I want to pay the modified penalty by credit card. Please debit my credit card account.
		Card type Cardholder name
		<u>Card number</u>
		Expiry date of card / /
		Signature
	Direct deposit	[Insert details]
	Electronic transfer	[Insert details]
*The followin payment of m		sed officers for the purposes of receiving ties:
Method of service		Date of service

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Date ...../..../....

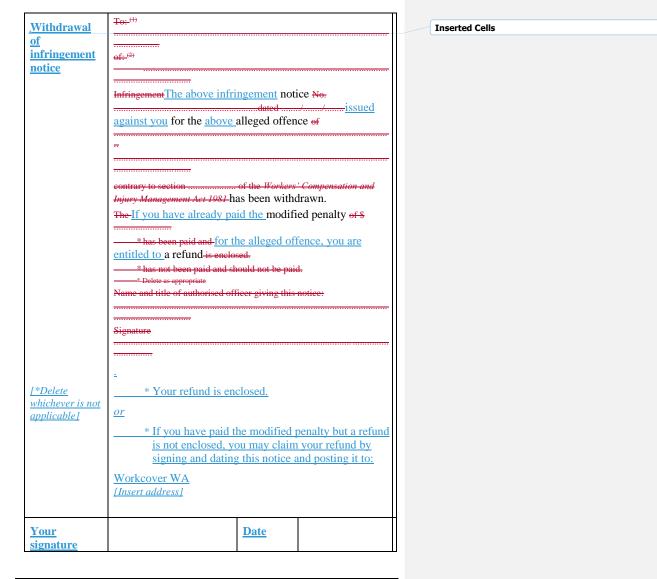
Workers' Compensation and Injury Management Act 1981

Withdrawal of infringement notice

	Act	<u>jury Management</u> <u>1981</u> EMENT NOTICE	<u>Withdrawal no.</u>
Alleged offender	Name		
	Address		
Details of infringement	Infringement notice no.		
notice	Date of issue		
<b>Details of</b>	Date or period		
alleged	Place		
offence	Written law contravened		
	Details of offence		
Signature of authorised officer	Name		
onicer	Signature		
Date	Date of withdrawal		

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# Form 41



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(1) Name of alleged offender given the infringement notice (2) Address of alleged offender

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# Appendix II

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[Heading deleted in Gazette 21 Jan 2005 p. 277.]

Table showing present values of \$1.00 per annum payable weekly assuming an effective earning rate of 3% per annum

1 0 2 1 3 2 4 3		1 \$ 0.019 22 1.003 75 1.959 59 2.887 60	\$         \$													
1 0 2 1 3 2 4 3	0.985 09 1.941 48 2.870 02 3.771 51	1.003 75 1.959 59		0.057.62	\$	\$	\$	\$		\$						
2 1 3 2 4 3	1.941 48 2.870 02 3.771 51	1.959 59	1 022 20	0.057.63	0.076 81	0.095 99	0.115 16	0.134 31	0.153 45	0.172 59	0.191 71	0.210 82	0.229 92			
3 2 4 3	2.870 02 3.771 51												1.208 31			
4 3	3.771 51		1.977 70 2.905 18	1.995 80 2.922 75	2.013 88 2.940 31	2.031 96 2.957 86	2.050 02 2.975 40	2.068 08 2.992 93	2.086 12 3.010 45	2.104 16 3.027 96	2.122 18 3.045 46	2.140 20 3.062 94	2.158 20 3.080 42			
		3.788 58	3.805 65	3.822 71	3.839 76	3.856 79	3.873 82	3.890 84	3.907 85	3.924 85	3.941 84	3.958 82	3.975 79			
		4.663 32	4.679 89	4.696 45	4.713 00	4.729 55	4.746 08	4.762 60	4.779 11	4.795 62	4.812 11	4.828 60	4.845 07			
	5.496 49	5.512 58	5.528 67	5.544 75	5.560 82	5.576 88	5.592 93	5.608 97	5.625 00	5.641 02	5.657 04	5.673 04	5.689 04			
	6.321 48	6.337 11	6.352 73	6.368 34	6.383 94	6.399 53	6.415 11	6.430 69	6.446 25	6.461 81	6.477 36	6.492 89	6.508 42			
	7.122 44 7.900 08	7.137 62 7.914 81	7.152 78 7.929 53	7.167 94 7.944 25	7.183 08 7.958 95	7.198 22 7.973 65	7.213 35 7.988 34	7.228 47 8.003 02	7.243 58 8.017 69	7.258 69 8.032 35	7.273 78 8.047 01	7.288 87 8.061 65	7.303 94 8.076 29			
	7.900 08 8.655 07	7.914 81 8.669 37	7.929 53 8.683 66		7.958 95 8.712 22	8.726 49	7.988 34 8.740 75	8.003 02 8.755 00	8.017 69 8.769 25			8.061 65	8.076 29 8.826 15			
11 9	9,388 06	9,401 95	9.415 82	9,429 69	9,443 55	9.457 41	9.471 25	9,485 09	9,498 92	9.512 74	9,526 55	9,540 36	9.554 16			
12 10	0.099 71	10.113 19	10.126 66	10.140 13	10.153 58	10.167 03	10.180 48	10.193 91	10.207 34	10.220 76	10.234 17	10.247 57	10.260 97			
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											11.588 16					
											12.235 73					
											12.864 43					
											13.474 83					
											14.067 44 14.642 79					
											15.201 39					
											15.743 72					
											16.270 25					
											16.781 44					
											17.277 75					
25 17	7.668 04	17.677 22	17.686 39	17.695 56	17.704 72	17.713 88	17.723 04	17.732 18	17.741 33	17.750 46	17.759 60	17.768 72	17.777 85			
	8.138 52	18.147 43	18.156 34	18.165 24	18.174 14	18.183 03	18.191 92	18.200 80	18.209 67	18.218 55	18.227 41	18.236 27	18.245 13			
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											20.369 87 20.761 66					
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35 21	1.801 74	21.808 57	21.815 40	21.822 22	21.829 04	21.835 86	21.842 67	21.849 48	21.856 28	21.863 08	21.869 87	21.876 67	21.883 45			
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44 24	4.609 30	24.614 54	24.619 77	24.625 00	24.630 22	24.635 45	24.640 67	24.645 88	24.651 10	24.656 31	24.661 52	24.666 72	24.671 93			
45 24	4.877 61	24.882 69	24.887 77	24.892 85	24.897 92	24.903 00	24.908 06	24.913 13	24.918 19	24.923 25	24.928 31	24.933 36	24.938 41			
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						We	eks								
Years	13 \$	14 \$	15 \$	16 \$	17 \$	18 \$	19 \$	20 \$	21 \$	22 \$	23 \$	24 \$	25 \$		
0	0.249 01	0.268 09	0.287 15	0.306 21	0.325 26	0.344 29	0.363 32	0.382 33	0.401 33	0.420 32	0.439 30	0.458 27	0.477 23		
1	1.226 84	1.245 36	1.263 88	1.282 38	1.300 87	1.319 35	1.337 82	1.356 28	1.374 73	1.393 17	1.411 59	1.430 01	1.448 42		
2	2.176 19	2.194 18	2.212 15	2.230 11	2.248 06	2.266 01	2.283 94	2.301 86		2.337 67	2.355 56	2.373 45	2.391 32		
3 4	3.097 89 3.992 75	3.115 35 4.009 70	3.132 80 4.026 64	3.150 24 4.043 57	3.167 67 4.060 49	3.185 09 4.077 41	3.202 50 4.094 31	3.219 90 4.111 20		3.254 67 4.144 96	3.272 04 4.161 82	3.289 40 4.178 68	3.306 75 4.195 52		
5	4.861 54	4.878 00	4.894 44	4.910 88	4.927 31	4.943 73	4.960 14	4.976 54	4.992 94	5.009 32	5.025 69	5.042.05	5.058 41		
6	5,705 03	5,721 00	5,736 97	5,752 93	5,768 88	5,784 82	5.800 76	5.816 68		5.848 50	5.864 40	5.880 28	5.896 16		
7	6.523 95	6.539 46	6.554 96	6.570 46	6.585 94	6.601 42	6.616 89	6.632 35	6.647 80	6.663 24	6.678 67	6.694 10	6.709 51		
8	7.319 01	7.334 07	7.349 13	7.364 17	7.379 20	7.394 23	7.409 25	7.424 26		7.454 25	7.469 23	7.484 21	7.499 18		
9	8.090 92	8.105 55	8.120 16			8.163 95	8.178 53	8.193 10		8.222 22	8.236 77	8.251 31	8.265 84		
10	8.840 35	8.854 55	8.868 73	8.882 91	8.897 09	8.911 25	8.925 41	8.939 55	8.953 69	8.967 83	8.981 95	8.996 06	9.010 17		
11	10.960 19 10.973 18 10.986 16 10.999 14 11.012 11 11.025 07 11.038 03 11.050 97 11.063 91 11.076 85 11.089 77 11.102 69 11.115														
12 13	10.960 19 10.973 18 10.986 16 10.999 14 11.012 11 11.025 07 11.038 03 11.050 97 11.063 91 11.076 85 11.089 77 11.102 69 11.115 11.626 05 11.638 66 11.651 26 11.663 86 11.676 45 11.689 04 11.701 62 11.714 19 11.726 75 11.739 30 11.751 85 11.764 39 11.776														
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15	12.900 14 12.912 03 12.923 91 12.935 79 12.947 66 12.959 52 12.971 37 12.983 22 12.995 06 13.006 90 13.018 73 13.030 55 13.042														
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18	13.509 49 13.521 04 13.532 57 13.544 10 13.555 63 13.567 14 13.578 65 13.509 16 13.601 65 13.613 14 13.624 63 13.6361 01 13.6 14.101 10 14.112 31 14.123 51 14.134 70 14.145 89 14.157 07 14.168 24 14.179 41 14.190 57 14.201 73 14.212 88 14.224 02 14.2														
19	13.509 49 13.521 04 13.532 57 13.544 10 13.555 63 13.567 14 13.578 65 13.590 16 13.601 65 13.613 14 13.624 63 13.636 10 13.														
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21 22			15.795 02 16.320 06												
22			16.320 06 16.829 80												
24			17.324 70												
25	17.786 96	17.796 08	17.805 18	17.814 28	17.823 38	17.832 47	17.841 56	17.850 64	17.859 71	17.868 79	17.877 85	17.886 91	17.895 97		
26			18.271 67												
27			18.724 57												
28 29	19.147 61		19.164 28 19.591 18												
30			20.005 65								20.068 33		20.083 96		
31			20.408 05												
32			20.408 03												
33	21.164 64	21.170 83	21.178 02	21.185 21	21.192 39	21.199 56	21.206 74	21.213 90	21.221 07	21.228 23	21.235 39	21.242 54	21.249 69		
34	21.532 31	21.539 29	21.546 27	21.553 25	21.560 22	21.567 19	21.574 15	21.581 11	21.588 06	21.595 02	21.601 96	21.608 91	21.615 85		
35			21.903 79												
36			22.250 90												
37 38			22.587 91 22.915 09												
39			23.232 75												
40			23.541 15												
41	23.829 22	23.834 89	23.840 57	23.846 24	23.851 91	23.857 58	23.863 24	23.868 90	23.874 55	23.880 20	23.885 85	23.891 50	23.897 14		
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43			24.413 50												
44 45			24.687 51 24.953 55												
46 47			25.211 83 25.462 59												
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49	25.933 45	25.937 93	25.942 41	25.946 89	25.951 36	25.955 84	25.960 31	25.964 77	25.969 24	25.973 70	25.978 16	25.982 62	25.987 07		
50	26.163 19	26.167 54	26.171 89	26.176 24	26.180 58	26.184 93	26.189 27	26.193 60	26.197 94	26.202 27	26.206 60	26.210 93	26.215 25		

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						Wee	eks								
Years	26 \$	27 \$	28 \$	29 \$	30 \$	31 \$	32 \$	33 \$	34 \$	35 \$	36 \$	37 \$	38 \$		
0	0.496 18	0.515 12	0.534 05	0.552 96	0.571 87	0.590 76	0.609 65	0.628 52	0.647 38	0.666 24	0.685 08	0.703 91	0.722 73		
1	1.466 82	1.485 20	1.503 58	1.521 94	1.540 30	1.558 64	1.576 98	1.595 30	1.613 61	1.631 92	1.650 21	1.668 49	1.686 76		
2	2.409 18	2.427 03	2.444 87	2.462 70	2.480 52	2.498 33	2.516 13	2.533 92	2.551 70	2.569 47	2.587 23	2.604 98	2.622 72		
3	3.324 09	3.341 42	3.358 74	3.376 06	3.393 36	3.410 65	3.427 93		3.462 46	3.479 72	3.496 96	3.514 19	3.531 41		
4 5	4.212 36 5.074 75	4.229 19 5.091 09	4.246 00 5.107 42	4.262 81 5.123 73	4.279 61 5.140 04	4.296 39 5.156 34	4.313 17 5.172 63	4.329 94 5.188 91	4.346 70 5.205 18	4.363 45 5.221 44	4.380 19 5.237 70	4.396 92 5.253 94	4.413 64 5.270 17		
6	5.912 03	5.927 89	5.943 74	5.959 58	5.975 42	5.991 24	6.007 06	6.022 86	6.038 66	6.054 45	6.070 23	6.086.00	6.101 76		
7 8	6.724 92 7.514 14	6.740 32 7.529 08	6.755 71 7.544 03	6.771 09	6.786 46	6.801 83 7.588 80	6.817 18	6.832 53	6.847 86	6.863 19	6.878 51 7.663 25	6.893 82	6.909 12 7.692 97		
8 9	7.514 14 8.280 36	7.529 08 8.294 88	7.544 03 8.309 38	7.558 96 8.323 88	7.573 88 8.338 37	7.588 80 8.352 85	7.603 71 8.367 32	7.618 60 8.381 79	7.633 50 8.396 25	7.648 38 8.410 69	7.663 25 8.425 13	7.678 12 8.439 57	8.453 99		
10	9.024 27	9.038 36			9.080 59	9.094 65		9.122 74	9.136 78	9.150 81	9.164 83	9.178 84			
11 12	9.746 51	9.760 19	9.773 87 10.474 28	9.787 53		9.814 84	9.828 48		9.855 75	9.869 36					
12			10.474 28			11.192 91									
14			11.814 49												
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16	6 13.054 17 13.065 97 13.077 77 13.089 56 13.101 34 13.113 11 13.124 88 13.136 64 13.148 40 13.160 14 13.171 89 13.183 62 13.195 3 7 13.659 04 13.670 50 13.681 95 13.693 39 13.704 83 13.716 26 13.727 69 13.739 11 13.750 52 13.761 92 13.773 32 13.784 72 13.796 1														
17	13.659         04         13.670         50         13.681         95         13.693         39         13.704         83         13.716         26         13.727         69         13.739         11         13.750         52         13.761         92         13.771         32         13.771         13.711         94         14.324         92         14.257         14         14.268         14.279         64         14.290         75         14.301         84         14.312         94         14.324         02         14.346         18         14.357         24         14.368         14.335         10         14.346         18         14.357         24         14.368         14.375														
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20	15.369 97	15.380 46	15.390 94	15.401 41	15.411 88	15.422 34	15.432 79	15.443 24	15.453 69	15.464 13	15.474 56	15.484 98	15.495 40		
21	15.907 39	15.917 57	15.927 74	15.937 91	15.948 07	15.958 23	15.968 38	15.978 53	15.988 67	15.998 80	16.008 93	16.019 05	16.029 17		
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30			20.107 37												
31			20,506 80												
32			20.306 80												
33			21.271 11												
34	21.622 78	21.629 72	21.636 64	21.643 57	21.650 49	21.657 41	21.664 32	21.671 23	21.678 13	21.685 03	21.691 93	21.698 82	21.705 71		
35	21.978 08	21.984 81	21.991 54	21.998 26	22.004 98	22.011 69	22.018 40	22.025 11	22.031 81	22.038 51	22.045 21	22.051 90	22.058 59		
36	22.323 03	22.329 56	22.336 09	22.342 62	22.349 14	22.355 66	22.362 18	22.368 69	22.375 20	22.381 70	22.388 20	22.394 70	22.401 19		
37			22.670 61												
38			22.995 39												
39			23.310 70												
40	23.605 23	23.611 03	23.616 84	23.622 64	23.628 43	23.634 22	23.640 01	23.645 80	23.651 58	23.65/36	23.663 14	23.668 91	25.674.68		
41			23.914 05												
42			24.202 61												
43 44			24.482 77 24.754 76												
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						We	eks						
Years	39	40	41	42	43	44	45	46	47	48	49	50	51
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
0	0.741 54	0.760 34	0.779 12	0.797 90	0.816 67	0.835 42	0.854 17	0.872 90	0.891 63	0.910 34	0.929 04	0.947 73	0.966 41
1	1.705 02	1.723 27	1.741 52	1.759 75		1.796 17	1.814 37	1.832 56	1.850 74	1.868 91	1.887 07	1.905 21	1.923 35
2	2.640 45		2.675 88	2.693 58		2.728 94		2.764 27	2.781 92	2.799 56			2.852 42
3 4	3.548 63 4.430 35		3.583 02 4.463 75	3.600 21 4.480 43		3.634 55 4.513 77	3.651 70 4.530 42	3.668 84 4.547 07	3.685 98 4.563 71	3.703 10 4.580 33		3.737 33 4.613 56	3.754 42 4.630 15
4 5	4.430 35 5.286 40		4.463 /5 5.318 82	4.480 43 5.335 02		4.513 // 5.367 39	4.530 42 5.383 56		4.563 /1 5.415 87	4.580 33 5.432 01	4.596 95 5.448 14		4.630 15 5.480 38
6	6.117 51		6.148 99	6.164 72		6.196 14	6.211 84	6.227 53	6.243 21	6.258 88			6.305 84
7	6.924 42		6.954 98	6.970 25		7.000 75	7.016 00	7.031 23	7.046 45	7.061 67	7.076 88		7.107 26
8	7.707 82		7.737 49	7.752 31		7.781 93			7.826 30	7.841 07			7.885 34
9	8.468 41	8.482 81	8.497 21	8.511 60	8.525 99	8.540 36	8.554 73	8.569 09	8.583 44	8.597 78	8.612 11	8.626 44	8.640 76
10	9.206 84	9.220 83	9.234 81	9.248 78	9.262 74	9.276 70	9.290 65	9.304 59	9.318 52	9.332 44	9.346 36	9.360 27	9.374 17
11	9.923 76	9.937 34	9.950 92	9.964 48	9.978 04	9.991 59	10.005 13	10.018 66	10.032 19	10.045 71	10.059 22	10.072 72	10.086 22
12			10.646 17										
13			11.321 17										
14			11.976 51										
15			12.612 77										
16			13.230 49										
17			13.830 22										
18 19			14.412 49 14.977 79										
20			15.526 63										
20			16.059 48										
21			16.576 82										
23			17.079 08										
24			17.566 72										
25	18.022 20	18.031 18	18.040 15	18.049 12	18.058 08	18.067 04	18.075 99	18.084 94	18.093 88	18.102 82	18.111 75	18.120 68	18.129 60
26	18.482 37	18.491 08	18.499 79	18.508 50	18.517 20	18.525 90	18.534 59	18.543 28	18.551 96	18.560 64	18.569 31	18.577 98	18.586 64
27			18.946 05										
28			19.379 31										
29			19.799 95										
30			20.208 34										
31			20.604 83										
32 33			20.989 77										
33 34			21.363 51 21.726 35										
35			22.078 63										
36	22 407 68	22 414 17	22.420 65	22 427 13	22 433 60	22 440 08	22 446 54	22 453 01	22 459 47	22 465 92	22 472 38	22 478 83	22 485 27
37			22.752 71										
38			23.075 09										
39			23.388 09										
40	23.680 44	23.686 21	23.691 97	23.697 72	23.703 48	23.709 22	23.714 97	23.720 71	23.726 45	23.732 19	23.737 92	23.743 65	23.749 38
41			23.986 99										
42			24.273 43										
43 44			24.551 52 24.821 51										
44 45			24.821 51 25.083 64										
46 47			25.338 14 25.585 22										
47 48			25.585 22 25.825 10										
40 49			26.058 00										
50			26.284 11										

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# **Appendix III**

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Appendix 3

#### Binaural tables for determining percentage loss of hearing

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It is recommended that the following procedure be used to assess binaural percentage loss of hearing.

- 1. Measure the hearing threshold levels (HTLs) of the person at the audiometric frequencies 500, 1000, 1500, 2000, 3000 and 4000 Hz.
- 2. Determine the better and worse ears at each of these frequencies. At a particular frequency, the better ear is the ear with the smaller HTL. The better ear at one frequency may be the worse at another.
- 3. Using the HTLs of the better and worse ears, read the percentage loss of hearing (PLH) at each frequency from the appropriate table (Table RB-500, RB-1000, RB-1500, RB-2000, RB-3000 or RB-4000) and add these 6 values together to obtain the overall binaural PLH.

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Example           HEARING THRESHOLD LEVELS           Frequency         Right Ear         Left Ear         Better Ear         Worse Ear         PLH           500         40         10         10         40         1.7           1000         45         25         25         45         4.2           1500         50         40         40         50         7.1           2000         55         55         55         8.4           3000         60         70         60         70         6.5           4000         65         85         65         85         7.1											
		HEARING T	THRESHOLD	LEVELS							
Frequency	0				PLH						
500	40	10	10	40	1.7						
1000	45	25	25	45	4.2						
1500	50	40	40	50	7.1						
2000	55	55	55	55	8.4						
3000	60	70	60	70	6.5						
4000	65	85	65	85	7.1						
				Overall	Binaural PLH = 3	35.0%					

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### Table RB — 500

Values of percentage loss of hearing corresponding to given hearing threshold levels in the better and worse ears at 500 Hz

### HTL – BETTER EAR

	≤15	20	25	30	35	40	45	50	55	60	65	70	75	80	85	90	≤95	
≤15	0																	
20	0.4	0.6																н
25	0.6	1.0	1.4															Т
30	1.0	1.4	2.0	2.8														L
35	1.3	1.8	2.5	3.4	4.5													
40	1.7	2.2	3.0	3.9	5.1	6.4												W
45	2.0	2.6	3.4	4.3	5.5	6.8	8.1											0
50	2.3	2.9	3.7	4.7	5.8	7.1	8.4	9.7										R
55	2.5	3.2	4.0	5.0	6.1	7.3	8.6	9.9	11.2									s
60	2.7	3.4	4.2	5.2	6.3	7.5	8.8	10.0	11.3	12.6								Е
65	2.8	3.5	4.4	5.4	6.5	7.7	8.9	10.2	11.5	12.7	14.0							
70	2.9	3.7	4.5	5.5	6.6	7.8	9.1	10.3	11.6	12.9	14.2	15.5						Е
75	3.0	3.8	4.7	5.7	6.8	8.0	9.2	10.5	11.8	13.1	14.5	15.7	16.9					A
80	3.1	3.9	4.8	5.8	6.9	8.1	9.3	10.6	12.0	13.3	14.7	16.0	17.2	18.2				R
85	3.2	4.0	4.9	5.9	7.0	8.2	9.4	10.7	12.1	13.5	14.9	16.2	17.4	18.4	19.1			
90	3.4	4.1	5.0	6.0	7.1	8.3	9.5	10.8	12.2	13.6	15.0	16.3	17.6	18.5	19.2	19.7		
≤95	3.4	4.2	5.1	6.1	7.1	8.3	9.5	10.8	12.2	13.6	15.0	16.4	17.6	18.6	19.3	19.7	20.0	

Table RB — 1000

Values of percentage loss of hearing corresponding to given hearing threshold levels in the better and worse ears at 1000 Hz

# HTL – BETTER EAR

	≤15	20	25	30	35	40	45	50	55	60	65	70	75	80	85	90	≤95	
≤15	0																	
20	0.5	0.8																
25	0.8	1.2	1.8															н
30	1.2	1.7	2.5	3.5														Т
35	1.7	2.3	3.1	4.3	5.7													L
40	2.1	2.8	3.7	4.9	6.3	8.0												
45	2.5	3.3	4.2	5.4	6.9	8.5	10.2											W
50	2.8	3.6	4.7	5.9	7.3	8.8	10.5	12.1										0
55	3.1	3.9	5.0	6.2	7.6	9.1	10.7	12.4	14.0									R
60	3.3	4.2	5.3	6.5	7.9	9.4	11.0	12.6	14.2	15.7								s
65	3.5	4.4	5.5	6.7	8.1	9.6	11.2	12.8	14.4	15.9	17.5							Е
70	3.7	4.6	5.7	6.9	8.3	9.8	11.3	12.9	14.6	16.2	17.8	19.4						
75	3.8	4.7	5.8	7.1	8.5	10.0	11.5	13.1	14.8	16.4	18.1	19.7	21.1					Е
80	3.9	4.9	6.0	7.3	8.6	10.1	11.7	13.3	15.0	16.7	18.4	20.0	21.5	22.7				Α
85	4.1	5.0	6.2	7.4	8.8	10.3	11.8	13.4	15.1	16.9	18.6	20.3	21.7	23.0	23.9			R
90	4.2	5.2	6.3	7.5	8.9	10.3	11.9	13.5	15.2	17.0	18.7	20.4	21.9	23.2	24.1	24.6		

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≤95 4.3 5.3 6.4 7.6 8.9 10.3 11.9 13.5 15.2 17.0 18.7 20.5 22.0 23.3 24.2 24.7 25.0

### Table RB — 1500

Values of percentage loss of hearing corresponding to given hearing threshold levels in the better and worse ears at 1500 Hz

### HTL – BETTER EAR

	≤15	20	25	30	35	40	45	50	55	60	65	70	75	80	85	90	≤95	
≤15	0																	
20	0.4	0.6																
25	0.6	1.0	1.4															н
30	1.0	1.4	2.0	2.8														Т
35	1.3	1.8	2.5	3.4	4.5													L
40	1.7	2.2	3.0	3.9	5.1	6.4												
45	2.0	2.6	3.4	4.3	5.5	6.8	8.1											W
50	2.3	2.9	3.7	4.7	5.8	7.1	8.4	9.7										0
55	2.5	3.2	4.0	5.0	6.1	7.3	8.6	9.9	11.2									R
60	2.7	3.4	4.2	5.2	6.3	7.5	8.8	10.0	11.3	12.6								s
65	2.8	3.5	4.4	5.4	6.5	7.7	8.9	10.2	11.5	12.7	14.0							Е
70	2.9	3.7	4.5	5.5	6.6	7.8	9.1	10.3	11.6	12.9	14.2	15.5						
75	3.0	3.8	4.7	5.7	6.8	8.0	9.2	10.5	11.8	13.1	14.5	15.7	16.9					Е
80	3.1	3.9	4.8	5.8	6.9	8.1	9.3	10.6	12.0	13.3	14.7	16.0	17.2	18.2				Α
85	3.2	4.0	4.9	5.9	7.0	8.2	9.4	10.7	12.1	13.5	14.9	16.2	17.4	18.4	19.1			R
90	3.4	4.1	5.0	6.0	7.1	8.3	9.5	10.8	12.2	13.6	15.0	16.3	17.6	18.5	19.2	19.7		
≤95	3.4	4.2	5.1	6.1	7.1	8.3	9.5	10.8	12.2	13.6	15.0	16.4	17.6	18.6	19.3	19.7	20.0	

Table RB — 2000

Values of percentage loss of hearing corresponding to given hearing threshold levels in the better and worse ears at 2000 Hz

### HTL – BETTER EAR

	≤15	20	25	30	35	40	45	50	55	60	65	70	75	80	85	90	≤95	
≤15	0																	
20	0.3	0.5																
25	0.5	0.7	1.1															н
30	0.7	1.0	1.5	2.1														Т
35	1.0	1.4	1.9	2.5	3.4													L
40	1.3	1.7	2.2	2.9	3.8	4.8												
45	1.5	1.9	2.5	3.3	4.1	5.1	6.1											w
50	1.7	2.2	2.8	3.5	4.4	5.3	6.3	7.3										0
55	1.9	2.4	3.0	3.7	4.6	5.5	6.4	7.4	8.4									R
60	2.0	2.5	3.1	3.9	4.7	5.6	6.6	7.5	8.5	9.4								s
65	2.1	2.6	3.3	4.0	4.9	5.7	6.7	7.6	8.6	9.6	10.5							Е
70	2.2	2.7	3.4	4.1	5.0	5.9	6.8	7.8	8.7	9.7	10.7	11.6						
75	2.3	2.8	3.5	4.3	5.1	6.0	6.9	7.9	8.9	9.9	10.8	11.8	12.7					Е
80	2.4	2.9	3.6	4.4	5.2	6.1	7.0	8.0	9.0	10.0	11.0	12.0	12.9	13.6				Α
85	2.4	3.0	3.7	4.4	5.3	6.1	7.1	8.1	9.1	10.1	11.1	12.1	13.0	13.8	14.3			R
90	2.5	3.1	3.8	4.5	5.3	6.2	7.1	8.1	9.1	10.2	11.2	12.2	13.2	13.9	14.4	14.8		

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≤95 2.6 3.2 3.8 4.6 5.4 6.2 7.1 8.1 9.1 10.2 11.3 12.3 13.2 14.0 14.5 14.8 15.0

### Table RB — 3000

Values of percentage loss of hearing corresponding to given hearing threshold levels in the better and worse ears at 3000 Hz

## HTL – BETTER EAR

	≤15	20	25	30	35	40	45	50	55	60	65	70	75	80	85	90	≤95	
≤15	0																	
20	0.2	0.3																
25	0.3	0.5	0.7															н
30	0.5	0.7	1.0	1.4														т
35	0.7	0.9	1.2	1.7	2.3													L
40	0.8	1.1	1.5	2.0	2.5	3.2												
45	1.0	1.3	1.7	2.2	2.7	3.4	4.1											w
50	1.1	1.4	1.9	2.3	2.9	3.5	4.2	4.8										о
55	1.2	1.6	2.0	2.5	3.0	3.6	4.3	4.9	5.6									R
60	1.3	1.7	2.1	2.6	3.1	3.7	4.4	5.0	5.6	6.3								s
65	1.4	1.8	2.2	2.7	3.2	3.8	4.4	5.1	5.7	6.4	7.0							Е
70	1.5	1.8	2.3	2.8	3.3	3.9	4.5	5.2	5.8	6.5	7.1	7.7						
75	1.5	1.9	2.3	2.8	3.4	4.0	4.6	5.2	5.9	6.6	7.2	7.8	8.4					Е
80	1.6	2.0	2.4	2.9	3.4	4.0	4.7	5.3	6.0	6.6	7.3	8.0	8.6	9.1				Α
85	1.6	2.0	2.5	3.0	3.5	4.1	4.7	5.4	6.0	6.7	7.4	8.1	8.7	9.2	9.5			R
90	1.7	2.1	2.5	3.0	3.5	4.1	4.7	5.4	6.1	6.8	7.5	8.2	8.8	9.2	9.6	9.8		
≤95	1.7	2.1	2.6	3.0	3.6	4.1	4.7	5.4	6.1	6.8	7.5	8.2	8.8	9.3	9.6	9.8	10.0	

Table EB — 4000

Values of percentage loss of hearing corresponding to given hearing threshold levels in the better and worse ears at 4000 Hz

### HTL – BETTER EAR

	≤20	25	30	35	40	45	50	55	60	65	70	75	80	85	90	≤95	
≤20	0																
25	0.1	0.2															н
30	0.2	0.3	0.5														Т
35	0.3	0.4	0.6	0.9													L
40	0.4	0.5	0.8	1.0	1.5												1
45	0.5	0.7	0.9	1.2	1.6	2.1											W
50	0.6	0.8	1.0	1.4	1.7	2.2	2.6										0
55	0.6	0.8	1.1	1.5	1.8	2.2	2.7	3.1									R
60	0.7	0.9	1.2	1.5	1.9	2.3	2.7	3.2	3.6								s
65	0.7	1.0	1.3	1.6	2.0	2.4	2.8	3.2	3.6	4.0							Е
70	0.8	1.0	1.3	1.6	2.0	2.4	2.8	3.2	3.7	4.1	4.5						
75	0.8	1.1	1.4	1.7	2.1	2.5	2.9	3.3	3.7	4.1	4.5	4.9					Е
80	0.9	1.1	1.4	1.7	2.1	2.5	2.9	3.3	3.8	4.2	4.6	5.0	5.3				Α
85	0.9	1.2	1.4	1.8	2.1	2.5	2.9	3.4	3.8	4.3	4.7	5.1	5.4	5.7			R
90	0.9	1.2	1.5	1.8	2.2	2.6	3.0	3.4	3.8	4.3	4.7	5.1	5.5	5.7	5.9		
≤95	1.0	1.2	1.5	1.8	2.2	2.6	3.0	3.4	3.9	4.3	4.8	5.2	5.5	5.7	5.9	6.0	

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#### Table EB — 6000

Values of percentage loss of hearing corresponding to given hearing threshold levels in the better and worse ears at 6000 Hz

#### HTL – BETTER EAR

	≤25	30	35	40	45	50	55	60	65	70	75	80	85	90	≤95	
≤25	0															
30	0.1	0.2														н
35	0.2	0.3	0.4													Т
40	0.3	0.4	0.5	0.7												L
45	0.3	0.4	0.6	0.8	1.0											1
50	0.4	0.5	0.7	0.9	1.1	1.3										w
55	0.4	0.5	0.7	0.9	1.1	1.3	1.5									0
60	0.4	0.6	0.7	0.9	1.1	1.4	1.6	1.8								R
65	0.5	0.6	0.8	1.0	1.2	1.4	1.6	1.8	2.0							s
70	0.5	0.6	0.8	1.0	1.2	1.4	1.6	1.8	2.0	2.2						Е
75	0.5	0.7	0.8	1.0	1.2	1.4	1.7	1.9	2.1	2.3	2.5					
80	0.6	0.7	0.9	1.1	1.3	1.5	1.7	1.9	2.1	2.3	2.5	2.7				Е
85	0.6	0.7	0.9	1.1	1.3	1.5	1.7	1.9	2.1	2.3	2.5	2.7	2.8			А
90	0.6	0.7	0.9	1.1	1.3	1.5	1.7	1.9	2.2	2.4	2.6	2.7	2.8	2.9		R
≤95	0.6	0.8	0.9	1.1	1.3	1.5	1.7	1.9	2.2	2.4	2.6	2.7	2.8	2.9	3.0	

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#### Appendix 7

#### Binaural extension tables

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These tables replace Table RB-4000 in the binaural tables given in Appendix 3 when it is necessary to determine binaural PLH over the range 500 to 8000 Hz. The weighting of 10% given to 4000 Hz in Appendix 3 has been split between 4000, 6000 and 8000 Hz, with 4000 Hz receiving 6%, 6000 Hz 3% and 8000 Hz 1%. When determining binaural PLH over the range 500 to 8000 Hz, the appropriate tables from Appendix 3 are used for the frequencies 500, 1000, 1500, 2000 and 3000 Hz and the relevant tables given in this Appendix are used for the frequencies 4000, 6000 and 8000 Hz.

	Example							
	Hearing Threshold Levels							
Frequency	Right	Left	Better	Worse	PLH			
	Ear	Ear	Ear	Ear				
500	40	10	10	40	1.7			
1000	45	25	25	45	4.2			
1500	50	40	40	50	7.1			
2000	55	55	55	55	8.4			
3000	60	70	60	70	6.5			
4000	65	85	65	85	4.3			
6000	55	75	55	75	1.7			
8000	45	65	45	65	0.4			
			Ove	rall Binaural P	PLH = 34.3%			

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#### Table EB — 8000

Values of percentage loss of hearing corresponding to given hearing threshold levels in the better and worse ears at 8000 Hz

#### HTL – BETTER EAR

$\leq 30$	35	40	45	50	55	60	65	70	75	80	85	≤90	
0													н
0.1	0.1												Т
0.1	0.2	0.2											L
0.1	0.2	0.3	0.3										
0.2	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.4									w
					0.5								0
						0.6							R
							0.7						s
								0.7					Ē
													-
0.2	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.5	0.5	0.6	0.7	0.8	0.8				
0.2	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.5	0.6	0.6	0.7	0.8	0.8	0.9			Е
0.2	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.5	0.6	0.6	0.7	0.8	0.8	0.9	0.9		Α
0.2	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.5	0.6	0.6	0.7	0.8	0.8	0.9	0.9	1.0	R
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# Appendix IV — Registered agents code of conduct

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[Heading inserted in Gazette 28 Oct 2005 p. 4964.]

#### 1. Duties of registered agent

It is the duty of a registered agent -----

- (a) to comply with the provisions of the Act, any subsidiary legislation made under the Act and the conditions of registration; and
- (b) not to engage in conduct which is illegal or dishonest or which may otherwise bring registered agents into disrepute or which is prejudicial to the administration of the workers' compensation and injury management system; and
- (c) to be competent as a registered agent.

[Clause 1 inserted in Gazette 28 Oct 2005 p. 4964.]

#### 2. Integrity and diligence

- (1) A registered agent must not attempt to further a client's case by unethical or dishonest means.
- (2) A registered agent must not knowingly assist or seek to induce another person to breach this code of conduct.
- (3) A registered agent must treat clients fairly and in good faith, giving due regard to a client's position of dependence upon the agent, and the high degree of trust which a client is entitled to place on the agent.
- (4) A registered agent must always be completely frank and open with a client and with all others so far as the interests of the client permit and must at all times give a client a candid opinion on any matter in which the agent acts for that client.
- (5) A registered agent must take such action consistent with the agent's retainer as is necessary and reasonably available to protect and advance a client's interests.
- (6) A registered agent must at all times use his or her best endeavours to complete work on behalf of a client as soon as is reasonably possible,

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and if a registered agent accepts instructions and it is, or becomes, apparent to the agent that the work cannot be done within a reasonable time, the agent must so inform the client.

- (7) A registered agent must not take unnecessary steps or do work in such a manner as to increase proper costs to the client.
- (8) If it is in the best interests of the client of a registered agent to do so, the agent must endeavour to reach a solution by settlement rather than commence or continue proceedings.

[Clause 2 inserted in Gazette 28 Oct 2005 p. 4964-5.]

# 3. Confidentiality

- (1) A registered agent must strive to establish and maintain a relationship of trust and confidence with clients.
- (2) A registered agent must impress upon a client that the agent cannot adequately serve the client without knowing everything that might be relevant to the client's interests and that the client should not withhold information that the client might think is embarrassing or harmful to the client's interests.
- (3) A registered agent must not, without the client's consent, directly or indirectly reveal a client's confidence, or use the confidence in any way detrimental to the interests of that client, or lend or reveal the contents of the confidence in any brief or instructions to any person except to the extent —
  - (a) required by law, rules of court or court order; or
  - (b) necessary for replying to or defending any charge or complaint of criminal conduct or misconduct contrary to this code brought against the agent.
- (4) A registered agent's duties under this clause towards a particular client continue after the agent has ceased to act for the client.

[Clause 3 inserted in Gazette 28 Oct 2005 p. 4965-6.]

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#### 4. Conflict of interest

- (1) A registered agent must at all times make a full and frank disclosure to a client of any conflict of interest that the registered agent has or may have in any matter concerning that client.
- (2) A registered agent must not act or continue to act on behalf of a client if to do so would or may give rise to a conflict of interest adverse to the client unless the client has been fully informed of the nature and implications of the conflict and consents to the registered agent acting or continuing to act on behalf of the client.
- (3) A registered agent must not give advice or guidance to a person where the registered agent knows that the interests of that person are in conflict or likely to be in conflict with the interests of the agent's client, other than advice to secure the services of another representative.

[Clause 4 inserted in Gazette 28 Oct 2005 p. 4966.]

#### 5. Proceedings

- (1) Subject to this code of conduct, a registered agent must provide advice and conduct each case and matter in the manner the agent considers most advantageous to the agent's client.
- (2) A registered agent must not knowingly deceive or mislead the Director, the Registrar, an officer of the Conciliation Service or the Arbitration Service or any other officer of WorkCover WA, a client or any other person involved in a matter in respect of which the agent has been retained.
- (3) A registered agent must at all times
  - (a) act with due courtesy to the Director, the Registrar, officers of the Conciliation Service and the Arbitration Service and other officers of WorkCover WA, legal practitioners, other registered agents, their own clients and other parties to the dispute; and
  - (b) use his or her best endeavours to avoid unnecessary expense and waste of a dispute resolution authority's time; and
  - (c) when so requested, inform the Director or Registrar of the probable length of a proceeding; and

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- (d) inform the Director or Registrar of the possibility of a settlement provided the agent can do so without revealing the existence or content of "without prejudice" communications; and
- (e) subject to this code of conduct, inform the Director or Registrar of any development that affects the information already before a dispute resolution authority.
- (4) In cross examination which goes to a matter in issue, a registered agent may put questions suggesting fraud, misconduct or the commission of an offence provided that the agent is satisfied that the matters suggested are part of the case of the agent's client and the agent has no reason to believe that they are only put forward for the purpose of impugning the witness's character.
- (5) Questions which affect the credibility of a witness by attacking the witness's character, but which are otherwise not relevant to the actual inquiry, must not be put in cross examination unless there are reasonable grounds to support the imputation conveyed by such questions.

[Clause 5 inserted in Gazette 28 Oct 2005 p. 4966-7; amended in Gazette 18 Nov 2011 p. 4826.]

#### 6. Advertising

A registered agent must not engage in promotional conduct or advertising about the agent's skills, experience, fees or results in a manner which is misleading or deceptive, or likely to mislead or deceive.

[Clause 6 inserted in Gazette 28 Oct 2005 p. 4967.]

#### 7. Withdrawal

- A registered agent must recognise that a client is entitled to change representative at any time without giving a reason and must take all reasonable steps to facilitate such a change should a client so request.
- (2) If a client engages another registered agent in a matter and that agent is of the opinion that the conduct of a preceding representative in the matter warrants the making of a complaint, the agent must so advise the client.

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- (3) A registered agent may withdraw from representing a client
  - (a) at any time and for any reason if withdrawal will cause no significant harm to the client's interests and the client is fully informed of the consequences of withdrawal and voluntarily assents to it; or
  - (b) if the registered agent reasonably believes that continued engagement in the case or matter would be likely to have a seriously adverse effect upon the agent's health; or
  - (c) if the client, without lawful excuse, refuses or fails to comply with a written agreement regarding fees or expenses; or
  - (d) if the client made material misrepresentations about the facts of the case or matter to the agent; or
  - (e) if the agent has an interest in any case or matter which the agent is concerned may be adverse to that of the client; or
  - (f) if such action is necessary to avoid the agent breaching this code of conduct; or
  - (g) if any other good cause exists.
- (4) If a registered agent withdraws from representing a client the agent must take reasonable care to avoid foreseeable harm to the client including
  - (a) giving due notice to the client; and
  - (b) allowing reasonable time for the substitution of a new agent; and
  - (c) cooperating with the new agent; and
  - (d) promptly turning over all papers and property and paying to the client any moneys to which the client is entitled.
- (5) If a registered agent withdraws from representing a client the agent must give written notice of the withdrawal to the Director and other parties to the proceeding.

[Clause 7 inserted in Gazette 28 Oct 2005 p. 4967-9.]

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#### 8. Fees

- (1) A registered agent must before commencing to act for a client inform the client in writing of the maximum costs the registered agent can charge and the basis for calculation of the costs of the agent.
- (2) Upon receiving the advice the client must sign an acknowledgment of the information.
- (3) During the course of a retainer, a registered agent must promptly advise the client of any circumstances likely to have a substantial effect on the amount, or basis of calculation, of such costs or any disbursements.
- (4) A registered agent must issue appropriate receipts for services provided to a client.
- (5) A registered agent must not charge more than is reasonable for his or her services, having regard to the complexity of the matter, the time and skill involved, and any costs determination published under section 273 of the Act.

[Clause 8 inserted in Gazette 28 Oct 2005 p. 4969.]

#### 9. Records

- (1) A registered agent must keep adequate records of
  - (a) moneys received on behalf of clients; and
  - (b) disbursement made on behalf of clients; and
  - (c) time spent on cases.
- (2) Records kept under this clause must be available for inspection by WorkCover WA.

[Clause 9 inserted in Gazette 28 Oct 2005 p. 4969.]

#### 10. Trust moneys

A registered agent must not hold for or on behalf of a client or other party any moneys in trust without the written authorisation of that person.

[Clause 10 inserted in Gazette 28 Oct 2005 p. 4970.]

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#### 11. Costs

- (1) A registered agent must not, in the course of his or her business give, or agree to give, an allowance in the nature of an introduction fee or spotter's fee to any person for introducing business to him or her and must not receive any similar allowance from any person for introducing or recommending clients to that person.
- (2) A registered agent must, as soon as practicable after being requested by a client, render a bill of costs covering all work performed for the client to which the request relates.

[Clause 11 inserted in Gazette 28 Oct 2005 p. 4970.]

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# Appendix V — Prescribed offences and modified penalties

# [r. 50, 51]

Item	Section of Act	Description of offence	Modified penalty
1A.	57A(2A)	Failing to claim under policy of insurance	\$200.00
1.	57A(3)	Failing to provide notice	\$200.00
2.	57A(4)	Failing to cause notification to be accompanied by means for conveying information in machine-readable form	\$200.00
3A.	57A(8A)	Failing to make weekly payment	\$400.00
3B.	57A(8)	Failing to make weekly payment having received payment from insurer	\$400.00
3.	57B(2)	Failing to make first weekly payment or give notice	\$200.00
4.	57B(2b)	Failing to notify WorkCover WA of having declined to indemnify employer	\$200.00
5.	57B(3)	Failing to cause notification to be accompanied by means for conveying information in machine-readable form	\$200.00
6A.	57B(8)	Failing to make weekly payment	\$400.00
6.	57C(2)	Failing to notify WorkCover WA after weekly payments commenced	\$200.00
7.	57C(4)	Failing to notify WorkCover WA of discontinuance of weekly payments	\$200.00
8.	61(2a)(a)	Failing to give notice of intention to discontinue or reduce weekly payments	\$400.00
9.	61(2a)(b)	Failing to give notice that complies with section 61(2) of the Act	\$400.00

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Item	Section of Act	Description of offence	Modified penalty
10.	70(2)	Failing to furnish worker with copy of report	\$400.00
11.	75(2)	Giving notice contrary to section 75(1) of the Act	\$200.00
12.	103A(2)	Furnishing WorkCover WA with false information or return	\$400.00
13.	109(3)	Failing to pay contribution or instalment	\$400.00
14.	109(4b)	Failing to send particulars to WorkCover WA	\$400.00
15.	109(6)	Failing to send return or statutory declaration to WorkCover WA	\$400.00
16.	152	Charging a premium rate loading of more than 75% without permission	\$200.00
17.	155D(3)	Failing to take reasonable action to discharge and comply with employer's obligations	\$400.00
18.	160(3)	Failing to insure employer for full amount of liability to pay compensation	\$400.00
19.	160(3a)	Failing to notify employer of cancellation of insurance	\$200.00
20.	160(5)	Declining to indemnify employer	\$400.00
21.	162(1a)	Issuing or renewing policy in respect of certain industrial diseases	\$200.00
22.	165(5)	Failing to give securities to State as directed by Minister	\$200.00

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Item	Section of Act	Description of offence	Modified penalty
<u>23.</u>	<u>170(1)(a)</u>	Failure to keep a current policy of insurance under section 160(1) of the Act	\$400.00 in respect of each worker to whom the alleged offence relates
<u>24.</u>	<u>170(1)(a)</u>	Failing to comply with section 160(2)(a) or (b) of the Act	<u>\$400.00</u>
<del>23</del> 25	171(1)	Failing to transmit to WorkCover WA statements and means for conveying information in machine-readable form	\$200.00
<u>26.</u>	<u>175D(1)(a)</u>	Obstructing or interfering with inspector performing functions	<u>\$500.00</u>
<u>27.</u>	<u>175D(1)(b)</u>	Contravening requirement made by inspector	<u>\$500.00</u>
<u>28.</u>	<u>175D(1)(c)</u>	Providing answer or information to inspector that is false or misleading in a material particular	<u>\$500.00</u>
<u>29.</u>	<u>175D(1)(d)</u>	Giving false or misleading information in a certificate under section 175B(1)(f) of the Act	<u>\$500.00</u>
<u>30.</u>	<u>175D(1)(e)</u>	Preventing another person from complying with a requirement under the Act	<u>\$500.00</u>
<del>24<u>31</u></del>	180(5)	Failing to comply with request to provide copy of relevant document	\$200.00

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#### Notes

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Gazettal	Commencement
8 Apr 1982 p. 1229-50 (corrigendum 23 Apr 1982 p. 1384)	3 May 1982 (see r. 2 and <i>Gazette</i> 8 Apr 1982 p. 1205)
14 May 1982 p. 1519	14 May 1982
27 Aug 1982 p. 3427-9	27 Aug 1982
30 Dec 1983 p. 5121	30 Dec 1983
25 Jul 1986 p. 2484-5	25 Jul 1986 (see r. 2 and <i>Gazette</i> 25 Jul 1986 p. 2453)
22 May 1987 p. 2193	22 May 1987 (see r. 2 and Gazette 22 May 1987 p. 2167)
19 Jun 1987 p. 2410	1 Jul 1987 (see r. 2)
2 Sep 1988 p. 3464	2 Sep 1988
22 Sep 1989 p. 3490-1	22 Sep 1989
26 Feb 1991 p. 931-56	1 Mar 1991 (see r. 2 and <i>Gazette</i> 1 Mar 1991 p. 967)
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Workers' Compensation and Assistance Amendment Regulations (No. 2) 1991	8 Mar 1991 p. 1071-6	8 Mar 1991 (see r. 2 and <i>Gazette</i> 8 Mar 1991 p. 1030)
Workers' Compensation and Rehabilitation Amendment Regulations (No. 3) 1991	28 Jun 1991 p. 3291-4	1 Jul 1991 (see r. 2)
Workers' Compensation and Rehabilitation Amendment Regulations (No. 4) 1991	6 Dec 1991 p. 6118-19	6 Dec 1991
Workers' Compensation and Rehabilitation Amendment Regulations (No. 2) 1992	3 Apr 1992 p. 1540-1	3 Apr 1992
Workers' Compensation and Rehabilitation Amendment Regulations 1992	3 Apr 1992 p. 1541-5	3 Apr 1992
Reprint of the Workers' Compensation 30 Apr 1992 (includes amendments list		ation Regulations 1982 as at
Workers' Compensation and Rehabilitation Amendment Regulations (No. 4) 1992	16 Oct 1992 p. 5201	16 Oct 1992
Workers' Compensation and Rehabilitation Amendment Regulations 1993	5 Feb 1993 p. 1059-60	5 Feb 1993 (see r. 2 and <i>Gazette</i> 5 Feb 1993 p. 975)
Workers' Compensation and Rehabilitation Amendment Regulations (No. 3) 1993	17 Sep 1993 p. 5182	17 Sep 1993
Workers' Compensation and Rehabilitation Amendment Regulations (No. 2) 1993	29 Oct 1993 p. 5929-30	29 Oct 1993
Workers' Compensation and Rehabilitation Amendment Regulations (No. 4) 1993	24 Dec 1993 p. 6844-50	24 Dec 1993 (see r. 2 and <i>Gazett</i> 24 Dec 1993 p. 6795)
Workers' Compensation and Rehabilitation Amendment Regulations 1994	18 Feb 1994 p. 660-4	1 Mar 1994 (see r. 2)
Workers' Compensation and Rehabilitation Amendment Regulations (No. 2) 1994	31 Mar 1994 p. 1444	31 Mar 1994

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Workers' Compensation and Rehabilitation Amendment Regulations (No. 3) 1994	24 Jun 1994 p. 2888-9	24 Jun 1994
Workers' Compensation and Rehabilitation Amendment Regulations (No. 4) 1994	23 Aug 1994 p. 4394-5	23 Aug 1994
Reprint of the Workers' Compensation 14 Feb 1995 (includes amendments list		ation Regulations 1982 as at
Workers' Compensation and Rehabilitation Amendment Regulations 1995	25 Aug 1995 p. 3885-7	25 Aug 1995
Workers' Compensation and Rehabilitation Amendment Regulations (No. 2) 1995	15 Sep 1995 p. 4358	15 Sep 1995
Workers' Compensation and Rehabilitation Amendment Regulations 1996	17 Jan 1997 p. 444	17 Jan 1997
Workers' Compensation and Rehabilitation Amendment Regulations 1997	12 Aug 1997 p. 4568	12 Aug 1997
Workers' Compensation and Rehabilitation Amendment Regulations 1998	12 Jun 1998 p. 3205	1 Jul 1998 (see r. 2)
Workers' Compensation and Rehabilitation Amendment Regulations 1999	13 Apr 1999 p. 1529-41 (correction 16 Apr 1999 p. 1598)	3 May 1999 (see r. 2)
Workers' Compensation and Rehabilitation Amendment Regulations (No. 3) 1999	22 Jun 1999 p. 2692-3	1 Jul 1999 (see r. 2)
Workers' Compensation and Rehabilitation Amendment Regulations (No. 4) 1999	15 Oct 1999 p. 4890-8	15 Oct 1999 (see r. 2)
Workers' Compensation and Rehabilitation Amendment Regulations (No. 5) 1999	15 Oct 1999 p. 4899	15 Oct 1999 (see r. 2 and <i>Gazet</i> 15 Oct 1999 p. 4889)
Workers' Compensation and Rehabilitation Amendment Regulations (No. 6) 1999	15 Oct 1999 p. 4900-2	15 Oct 1999 (see r. 2 and <i>Gazet</i> 15 Oct 1999 p. 4889)

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Workers' Compensation and Rehabilitation Amendment Regulations (No. 8) 1999	15 Oct 1999 p. 4904	15 Oct 1999 (see r. 2 and <i>Gazette</i> 15 Oct 1999 p. 4889)
Workers' Compensation and Rehabilitation Amendment Regulations (No. 9) 1999	15 Oct 1999 p. 4905	15 Oct 1999 (see r. 2 and <i>Gazette</i> 15 Oct 1999 p. 4889)
Workers' Compensation and Rehabilitation Amendment Regulations (No. 10) 1999	15 Oct 1999 p. 4906-12	15 Oct 1999 (see r. 2)
Workers' Compensation and Rehabilitation Amendment Regulations (No. 11) 1999	14 Dec 1999 p. 6145-63	14 Dec 1999
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Workers' Compensation and Rehabilitation Amendment Regulations 2003	16 Sep 2003 p. 4103-4	16 Sep 2003
Workers' Compensation and Rehabilitation Amendment Regulations 2004	8 Apr 2004 p. 1177	8 Apr 2004
Workers' Compensation and Rehabilitation Amendment Regulations (No. 2) 2004	26 Oct 2004 p. 4895-913	26 Oct 2004 (see r. 2)

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Workers' Compensation and Rehabilitation Amendment Regulations 2005	21 Jan 2005 p. 275-7	21 Jan 2005
Workers' Compensation and Injury Management Amendment Regulations (No. 2) 2005	28 Oct 2005 p. 4853-972	14 Nov 2005 (see r. 2)
Workers' Compensation and Injury Management Amendment Regulations (No. 3) 2005	9 Dec 2005 p. 5891-7	9 Dec 2005
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Workers' Compensation and Injury Management Amendment Regulations 2006	4 Aug 2006 p. 2855-6	4 Aug 2006
Workers' Compensation and Injury Management Amendment Regulations (No. 2) 2006	15 Dec 2006 p. 5636-7	15 Dec 2006
Workers' Compensation and Injury Management Amendment Regulations 2007	2 Nov 2007 p. 5933-4	r. 1 and 2: 2 Nov 2007 (see r. 2(a)); Regulations other than r. 1 and 2: 3 Nov 2007 (see r. 2(b))
Workers' Compensation and Injury Management Amendment Regulations 2008	17 Dec 2008 p. 5331-4	r. 1 and 2: 17 Dec 2008 (see r. 2(a)); Regulations other than r. 1 and 2: 18 Dec 2008 (see r. 2(b))
Reprint 6: The Workers' Compensation 14 Aug 2009 (includes amendments lis		<i>lanagement Regulations 1982</i> as at
Workers' Compensation and Injury Management Amendment Regulations 2010	19 Mar 2010 p. 1038-9	r. 1 and 2: 19 Mar 2010 (see r. 2(a)); Regulations other than r. 1 and 2: 20 Mar 2010 (see r. 2(b))
Workers' Compensation and Injury Management Amendment Regulations (No. 2) 2010	10 Sep 2010 p. 4351-7	r. 1 and 2: 10 Sep 2010 (see r. 2(a)); Regulations other than r. 1 and 2: 1 Oct 2010 (see r. 2(b))

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Workers' Compensation and Injury Management Amendment Regulations 2012	27 Jul 2012 p. 3664-6	r. 1 and 2: 27 Jul 2012 (see r. 2(a)); Regulations other than r. 1 and 2 1 Aug 2012 (see r. 2(b) and <i>Gazette</i> 27 Jul 2012 p. 3663)
Workers' Compensation and Injury Management Amendment Regulations (No. 2) 2012	14 Dec 2012 p. 6209-12	r. 1 and 2: 14 Dec 2012 (see r. 2(a)); Regulations other than r. 1 and 2: 15 Dec 2012 (see r. 2(b))

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- <sup>2</sup> Formerly referred to the Workers' Compensation and Assistance Act 1981 the short title of which was changed to the Workers' Compensation and Rehabilitation Act 1981 by the Workers' Compensation and Assistance Amendment Act 1990 s. 5 and then to the Workers' Compensation and Injury Management Act 1981 by the Workers' Compensation Reform Act 2004 s. 5. The reference was changed under the Reprints Act 1984 s. 7(3)(gb).
- <sup>3</sup> Repealed by the *Workers' Compensation and Injury Management Amendment Act 2011* s. 77 as at 1 Dec 2011 (see *Gazette 8* Nov 2011 p. 4673).
- <sup>4</sup> The Standards Association of Australia has changed its corporate status and its name. It is now Standards Australia International Limited (ACN 087 326 690). It also trades as Standards Australia.
- <sup>5</sup> Now known as the *Workers' Compensation and Injury Management Regulations 1982*; citation changed (see note under r. 1).

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