

Hon. Mr. Anderson.

WORKERS' COMPENSATION AMENDMENT.

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A BILL INTITULED

AN ACT to amend the Workers' Compensation Act, 1922.

Title.

BE IT ENACTED by the General Assembly of New Zealand in Parliament assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:—

1. (1.) This Act may be cited as the Workers' Compensation Amendment Act, 1926, and shall be read together with and deemed part of the Workers' Compensation Act, 1922 (hereinafter referred to as the principal Act).

Short Title and commencement.

(2.) This Act shall come into force on the first day of January, nineteen hundred and twenty-seven.

2. Paragraph (a) of subsection one of section four of the principal Act is hereby amended as follows:—

Increased compensation payable in respect of injury resulting in death of worker.

(a.) By omitting the words "one hundred and fifty-six," and substituting the words "two hundred and eight";

(b.) By omitting the words "two hundred," and substituting the words "three hundred"; and

(c.) By omitting the words "seven hundred and fifty," and substituting the words "one thousand."

3. Section five of the principal Act is hereby amended as follows:—

Increased compensation payable in respect of injury resulting in total or partial incapacity of worker.

(a.) By omitting from subsection five the words "fifty-eight per centum," and substituting the words "sixty-six and two-thirds per centum"; and by omitting from the same subsection the words "three pounds fifteen shillings," and substituting the words "four pounds":

(b.) By omitting from subsection six the words "fifty-eight per centum," and substituting the words "sixty-six and two-thirds per centum"; and by adding to that subsection the words "but not exceeding four pounds a week."

(c.) By omitting from subsection eight the words "seven hundred and fifty pounds," and substituting the words "one thousand pounds."