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THE WORKERS' COMPENSATION ORDER 1963, AMENDMENT NO. 3

ARTHUR PORRITT, Governor-General ORDER IN COUNCIL

At the Government House at Wellington this 23rd day of September 1968

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL

PURSUANT to the Workers' Compensation Act 1956, His Excellency the Governor-General, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council, hereby makes the following order.

ORDER

- 1. Title, commencement, and application—(1) This order may be cited as the Workers' Compensation Order 1963, Amendment No. 3, and shall be read together with and deemed part of the Workers' Compensation Order 1963* (hereinafter referred to as the principal order).
- (2) This order shall come into force on the seventh day after the date of its notification in the Gazette.
- (3) This order shall apply with respect to compensation payable after the commencement of this order for any period after the commencement of this order in respect of accidents happening before or after the commencement of this order.
- 2. Compensation for total or partial incapacity—(1) The principal order is hereby amended by revoking clauses 3 and 4 (as substituted by clause 2 of the Workers' Compensation Order 1963, Amendment No. 2), and substituting the following clauses:

"Compensation for Total Incapacity

- "3. For the purposes of subsection (1) of section 14 of the Act,—
- "(a) The minimum amount shall be \$5.70 a week: "(b) The maximum amount shall be \$25.00 a week.
 - *S.R. 1963/31 Amendment No. 1: S.R. 1964/135 (Revoked by S.R. 1966/197) Amendment No. 2: S.R. 1966/197

"Compensation for Partial Incapacity

- "4. For the purposes of subsection (3) of section 14 of the Act, the maximum amount shall be \$25.00 a week."
- 3. Revocation—Clause 2 of the Workers' Compensation Order 1963, Amendment No. 2, is hereby revoked.

P. J. BROOKS, Clerk of the Executive Council.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

This note is not part of the order, but is intended to indicate its general effect.

This order increases the maximum and minimum weekly payments of workers' compensation, following upon the recent general order of the Court of Arbitration increasing rates of remuneration.

The minimum weekly payment for total incapacity is increased from \$5.40 to \$5.70 a week and the maximum amount from \$23.75 to \$25.00 a week. The maximum weekly payment for partial incapacity is increased from \$23.75 to \$25.00 a week.

Issued under the authority of the Regulations Act 1936. Date of notification in *Gazette*: 26 September 1968. This order is administered in the Department of Labour.