

Workers Compensation (Indexation) Amendment (No 2) Order 2019

under the

Workers Compensation Act 1987

I, the chief executive of State Insurance Regulatory Authority, in pursuance of sections 79, 82, 82A and 82BA of the *Workers Compensation Act 1987*, make the following Order.

Dated, this tenth day of September 2019.

CARMEL DONNELLY Chief executive of State Insurance Regulatory Authority

Explanatory note

The object of this Order is to declare increases in index numbers and adjustable amounts for the purposes of calculating various entitlements under the *Workers Compensation Act 1987*, the *Workplace Injury Management and Workers Compensation Act 1998* and the *Workers' Compensation (Dust Diseases) Act 1942*

This Order is made under sections 79 (definition of *latest index number*), 82(1), 82A(4) and 82BA(3) of the *Workers Compensation Act 1987*.

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1 Name of Order

This Order is the Workers Compensation (Indexation) Amendment (No 2) Order 2019.

2 Commencement

This Order commences on the day on which it is published on the NSW legislation website.

Schedule 1 Amendment of Workers Compensation (Indexation) Order 2019

[1] Clause 4 Meaning of "latest index number"

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Table

Column 1	Column 2
Adjustment date	Latest index number
1 April 2019	284.8
1 October 2019	287.2

[2] Clause 5 Adjustable amounts—Workers compensation Acts

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Column 1	Column 2	Column 3
Adjustable amount	Adjustment date	Adjusted amount
\$750,000 (section 25(1)(a) of the 1987	1 April 2019	\$810,050
Act)	1 October 2019	\$816,850
\$66.60 (section 25(1)(b) of the 1987 Act)	1 April 2019	\$145
	1 October 2019	\$146.20
\$425,000 (section 25(1)(a) of the 1987 Act, as in force before its amendment by the <i>Workers Compensation Amendment</i> Act 2015)	1 April 2019	\$570,700
	1 October 2019	\$575,500
\$1,838.70 (section 34(1) of the 1987	1 April 2019	\$2,177.40
Act)	1 October 2019	\$2,195.70
\$1,000 (section 35(1) of the 1987 Act, as	1 April 2019	\$2,177.40
in force before its amendment by the Workers Compensation Legislation Amendment Act 2012)	1 October 2019	\$2,195.70
\$235.20 (section 37(1)(a)(i) of the 1987 Act, as in force before its amendment by the Workers Compensation Legislation Amendment Act 2012)	1 April 2019	\$512.10
	1 October 2019	\$516.40
\$187.10 (section 37(1)(a)(ii) of the 1987 Act, as in force before its amendment by the Workers Compensation Legislation Amendment Act 2012)	1 April 2019	\$407.40
	1 October 2019	\$410.80
\$170 (section 37(1)(a)(iii) of the 1987 Act, as in force before its amendment by the Workers Compensation Legislation Amendment Act 2012)	1 April 2019	\$370.20
	1 October 2019	\$373.30

Column 1	Column 2	Column 3
Adjustable amount	Adjustment date	Adjusted amount
\$153 (section 37(1)(a)(iii) of the 1987	1 April 2019	\$333.10
Act, as in force before its amendment by the Workers Compensation Legislation Amendment Act 2012)	1 October 2019	\$335.90
\$62 (section 37(1)(b) of the 1987 Act, as	1 April 2019	\$135
in force before its amendment by the Workers Compensation Legislation Amendment Act 2012)	1 October 2019	\$136.10
\$44.30 (section 37(1)(c)(i) of the 1987	1 April 2019	\$96.50
Act, as in force before its amendment by the Workers Compensation Legislation Amendment Act 2012)	1 October 2019	\$97.30
\$99.10 (section 37(1)(c)(i) of the 1987	1 April 2019	\$215.80
Act, as in force before its amendment by the Workers Compensation Legislation Amendment Act 2012)	1 October 2019	\$217.60
\$164.16 (section 37(1)(c)(i) of the 1987	1 April 2019	\$357.40
Act, as in force before its amendment by the Workers Compensation Legislation Amendment Act 2012)	1 October 2019	\$360.40
\$230.90 (section 37(1)(c)(i) of the 1987	1 April 2019	\$502.80
Act, as in force before its amendment by the Workers Compensation Legislation Amendment Act 2012)	1 October 2019	\$507.00
\$66.60 (section 37(1)(c)(i) of the 1987	1 April 2019	\$145
Act, as in force before its amendment by the Workers Compensation Legislation Amendment Act 2012)	1 October 2019	\$146.20
\$1,000 (section 40(2A)(a) and (b) of the	1 April 2019	\$2,177.40
1987 Act, as in force before its amendment by the <i>Workers</i> Compensation Legislation Amendment Act 2012)	1 October 2019	\$2,195.70
\$76,700 (clause 2(2) of Part 3 of	1 April 2019	\$167,050
Schedule 6 to the 1987 Act)	1 October 2019	\$168,450
\$38.30 (clause 2(3)(b) of Part 3 of	1 April 2019	\$83.40
Schedule 6 to the 1987 Act)	1 October 2019	\$84.10
\$44.80 (clause 4(1)(b)(i) of Part 4 of	1 April 2019	\$97.50
Schedule 6 to the 1987 Act)	1 October 2019	\$98.40
\$22.50 (clause 4(1)(b)(ii) of Part 4 of	1 April 2019	\$49
Schedule 6 to the 1987 Act)	1 October 2019	\$49.40
\$196 (clause 4A(2)(a) of Part 4 of Schedule 6 to the 1987 Act)	1 April 2019	\$426.80
	1 October 2019	\$430.40
\$155.90 (clause 4A(2)(b) of Part 4 of Schedule 6 to the 1987 Act)	1 April 2019	\$339.50
Schedule 0 to the 1987 Act)	1 October 2019	\$342.30

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Adjustable amount	Adjustment date	Adjusted amount
\$141.60 (clause 4A(2)(c) of Part 4 of Schedule 6 to the 1987 Act)	1 April 2019	\$308.30
	1 October 2019	\$310.90
\$127.50 (clause 4A(2)(c) of Part 4 of Schedule 6 to the 1987 Act)	1 April 2019	\$277.60
	1 October 2019	\$280.00
\$341.30 (clause 7(2)(a) of Part 4 of Schedule 6 to the 1987 Act)	1 April 2019	\$743.10
	1 October 2019	\$749.40
\$906.25 (clause 2 of Part 19H of Schedule 6 to the 1987 Act)	1 April 2019	\$1,073.20
	1 October 2019	\$1,082.20
\$7,500 (section 297(2) of the 1998 Act)	1 April 2019	\$9,389
	1 October 2019	\$9,468.10

[3] Clause 6 Adjustable amounts—Workers' Compensation (Dust Diseases) Act 1942

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Column 1	Column 2	Column 3
Adjustable amount	Adjustment date	Adjusted amount
\$311,050 (section 8(2B)(b)(i)(C) of the	1 April 2019	\$362,500
Workers' Compensation (Dust Diseases) Act 1942)	1 October 2019	\$365,550
\$137.30 (section 8(2B)(b)(ii) of the	1 April 2019	\$299
Workers' Compensation (Dust Diseases) Act 1942)	1 October 2019	\$301.50
\$69.40 (section 8(2B)(b)(iii) of the	1 April 2019	\$151.10
Workers' Compensation (Dust Diseases) Act 1942)	1 October 2019	\$152.40

[4] Clause 7 Variation of weekly payments

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Table

Column 1	Column 2
Review date	Number equating to factor $\frac{\mathrm{B}}{\mathrm{C}}$
1 April 2019	1.0105
1 October 2019	1.0061

[5] Clause 8 Indexation—compensation amount for workers with highest needs: section 82BA

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Table

Column 1	Column 2
Review date	Amount
1 April 2019	\$840
1 October 2019	\$845