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WET OP NYWERHEIDSVERSOENING, 1956

YSTER-, STAAL-, INGENIEURS- EN METALLURGIESE NYWERHEID.—SIEKTEBYSTANDSFONDS-OOREENKOMS

Ek, Stephanus Petrus Botha, Minister van Arbeid, verklaar hierby—

(a) kragtens artikel 48 (1) (a) van die Wet op Nywerheidsversoening, 1956, dat die bepalings van die Ooreenkoms wat in die Bylae hiervan verskyn en op die Yster-, Staal-, Ingenieurs- en Metallurgiese Nywerheid betrekking het, met ingang van die tweede Maandag na die datum van publikasie van hierdie kennisgewing en vir die tydperk wat op 30 November 1980 eindig, bindend is vir die werkgewersorganisasies en die vakverenigings wat genoemde Ooreenkoms aangegaan het en vir die werkgewers en werknemers wat lede van genoemde organisasies of verenigings is; en

(b) kragtens artikel 48 (3) (a) van genoemde Wet, dat die bepalings van genoemde Ooreenkoms, uitgesonderd dié vervat in klousules 1 (1), 2 en 9 van Deel I en Deel II, met ingang van die tweede Maandag na die datum van publikasie van hierdie kennisgewing en vir die tydperk wat op 30 November 1980 eindig, in die Republiek van Suid-Afrika *mutatis mutandis* bindend is vir alle Bantoes in diens in genoemde Nywerhede by dié werkgewers vir wie enigeen van genoemde bepalings ten opsigte van werknemers bindend is en vir daardie werkgewers ten opsigte van Bantoes in hul diens.

S. P. BOTHA, Minister van Arbeid.

BYLAE

OOREENKOMS

Gevolg die Wet op Nywerheidsversoening, 1956, gesluit deur n aangegaan tussen die

Automotive Parts Production Engineers' Association
Cape Engineers' and Founders' Association
Constructional Engineering Association
East London Engineers' and Founders' Employers' Association

Edge Hand and Small Tool Manufacturers' Association
Electrical Engineering and Allied Industries Association
Electronics and Telecommunications Industries Association
Engineers' and Founders' Association (Transvaal, Orange Free State and Northern Cape)

GOVERNMENT NOTICES

DEPARTMENT OF LABOUR

No. R. 8 6 January 1978
INDUSTRIAL CONCILIATION ACT, 1956

IRON, STEEL, ENGINEERING AND METALLURGICAL INDUSTRIES.—SICK PAY FUND AGREEMENT

I, Stephanus Petrus Botha, Minister of Labour, hereby—
(a) in terms of section 48 (1) (a) of the Industrial Conciliation Act, 1956, declare that the provisions of the Agreement which appears in the Schedule hereto and which relates to the Iron, Steel, Engineering and Metallurgical Industries, shall be binding, with effect from the second Monday after the date of publication of this notice and for the period ending 30 November 1980, upon the employers' organisations and the trade unions which entered into the said Agreement and upon the employers and employees who are members of the said organisations or unions; and

(b) in terms of section 48 (3) (a) of the said Act, declare that in the Republic of South Africa and with effect from the second Monday after the date of publication of this notice and for the period ending 30 November 1980, the provisions of the said Agreement, excluding those contained in clauses 1 (1), 2 and 9 of Part I and Part II, shall *mutatis mutandis* be binding upon all Bantu employed in the said Industries by the employers upon whom any of the said provisions are binding in respect of employees and upon those employers in respect of Bantu in their employ.

S. P. BOTHA, Minister of Labour.

SCHEDULE

AGREEMENT

in accordance with the provisions of the Industrial Conciliation Act, 1956, made and entered into between the

Automotive Parts Production Engineers' Association
Cape Engineers' and Founders' Association
Constructional Engineering Association
East London Engineers' and Founders' Employers' Association

Edge Hand and Small Tool Manufacturers' Association
Electrical Engineering and Allied Industries Association
Electronics and Telecommunications Industries Association
Engineers' and Founders' Association (Transvaal, Orange Free State and Northern Cape)

Gate and Fence Manufacturers' Association of the Transvaal
 Heavy Engineering Manufacturers' Association
 Iron and Steel Producers' Association of South Africa
 Lift Engineering Association of South Africa
 Light Engineering Industries Association of South Africa
 Materials Handling and Construction Plant Association of South Africa
 Natal Engineering Industries Association
 Non-Ferrous Metal Industries Association of South Africa
 Plastics Manufacturers' Association of South Africa
 Port Elizabeth Engineers' Association
 Precision Manufacturing Engineers' Association
 Radio Appliance and Television Association of South Africa
 Sheetmetal Industries Association of South Africa
 S.A. Agricultural and Irrigation Machinery Manufacturers' Association
 S.A. Association of Shipbuilders and Repairers
 S.A. Electroplating Industries Association
 S.A. Fasteners Manufacturers' Association
 S.A. Machine Tool Manufacturers' Association
 S.A. Production Founders' Association
 S.A. Reinforced Concrete Engineers' Association
 S.A. Tube Makers' Association
 S.A. Wire and Wire Rope Manufacturers' Association
 S.A. Wrought Non-Ferrous Metal Manufacturers' Association
 South African Industrial Refrigeration and Air Conditioning Contractors' Association
 South African Burglar Alarm Systems Association
 South African Radio Manufacturers' Association
 Transvaal and Orange Free State Foundry Association

(hierna die "werkgewers" of die "werkgewersorganisasies" genoem), aan die een kant, en die

Amalgamated Engineering Union of South Africa
 Amalgamated Society of Woodworkers of South Africa
 Electrical and Allied Trades Union of S.A.
 Engineering Industrial Workers' Union of S.A.
 Iron Moulders' Society of South Africa
 Radio, Television, Electronic and Allied Workers' Union
 S.A. Boilermakers', Iron and Steel Workers', Shipbuilders' and Welders' Society
 S.A. Electrical Workers' Association
 S.A. Engine Driver's, Firemen's and Operators' Association
 Suid-Afrikaanse Yster-, Staal- en Verwante Nywerhede-Unie

(hierna die "werknekmers" of die "vakverenigings" genoem), aan die ander kant,

wat die partye is by die Nasionale Nywerheidsraad vir die Yster-, Staal-, Ingenieurs- en Metallurgiese Nywerheid.

DEEL I

1. TOEPASSINGSBESTEK

(1) Hierdie Ooreenkoms is van toepassing en moet nagekom word oral in die Republiek van Suid-Afrika deur alle werkgewers en werknekmers in die Yster-, Staal-, Ingenieurs- en Metallurgiese Nywerheid wat lede is van onderskeidelik die werkgewersorganisasies en die vakverenigings.

(2) Indien die Nywerheidsooreenkoms gedurende die geldigheidstermyn van hierdie Ooreenkoms weens verloop van tyd verval of om enige ander rede gestaak word, word die klasse werk en lone in genoemde Nywerheidsooreenkoms gespesifiseer, geag die klasse werk en die minimum lone vir die toepassing van hierdie Ooreenkoms te wees.

2. GELDIGHEIDSDUUR

Hierdie Ooreenkoms tree in werking op dié datum wat die Minister van Arbeid kragtens artikel 48 van die Wet op Nywerheidsversoening, 1956, vasstel en bly van krag tot 30 November 1980 of vir dié tydperk wat die Minister bepaal.

3. WOORDOMSKRYWING

Enige uitdrukking wat in hierdie Ooreenkoms gebesig en in die Wet op Nywerheidsvoorsiening, 1956, omskryf word, het dieselfde betekenis as in daardie Wet, en waar daar van 'n wet melding gemaak word, word ook alle wysigings van sodanige wet bedoel; voorts, tensy onbestaanbaar met die samehang, beteken—

"vakleerling" 'n werknekmer wat diens doen ingevolge 'n skriftelike leerlingskontrak wat deur die Raad erken word of 'n leerlingskontrak wat ingevolge die Wet op Vakleerlinge, 1944, geregistreer is;

"Nywerheidsooreenkoms" enige loonooreenkoms wat in die Nywerheid van krag is, met inbegrip van enige latere ooreenkoms en/of enige verlengingen of wysigings daarvan;

Gate and Fence Manufacturers' Association of the Transvaal
 Heavy Engineering Manufacturers' Association
 Iron and Steel Producers' Association of South Africa
 Lift Engineering Association of South Africa
 Light Engineering Industries Association of South Africa
 Materials Handling and Construction Plant Association of South Africa
 Natal Engineering Industries Association
 Non-Ferrous Metal Industries Association of South Africa
 Plastic Manufacturers' Association of South Africa
 Port Elizabeth Engineers' Association
 Precision Manufacturing Engineers' Association
 Radio, Appliance and Television Association of South Africa
 Sheetmetal Industries Association of South Africa
 S.A. Agricultural and Irrigation Machinery Manufacturers' Association
 S.A. Association of Shipbuilders and Repairers
 S.A. Electroplating Industries Association
 S.A. Fasteners Manufacturers' Association
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 South African Industrial Refrigeration and Air Conditioning Contractors' Association
 South African Burglar Alarm Systems Association
 South African Radio Manufacturers' Association
 Transvaal and Orange Free State Foundry Association

(hereinafter referred to as the "employers" or the "employers' organisations"), of the one part, and the

Amalgamated Engineering Union of South Africa
 Amalgamated Society of Woodworkers of South Africa
 Electrical and Allied Trades Union of S.A.
 Engineering Industrial Workers' Union of S.A.
 Iron Moulders' Society of South Africa
 Radio, Television, Electronic and Allied Workers' Union
 S.A. Boilermakers', Iron and Steel Workers', Shipbuilders' and Welders' Society
 S.A. Electrical Workers' Association
 S.A. Engine Drivers', Firemen's and Operators' Association
 Suid-Afrikaanse Yster-, Staal- en Verwante Nywerhede-Unie

(hereinafter referred to as the "employees" or the "trade unions"), of the other part,

being parties to the National Industrial Council for the Iron, Steel, Engineering and Metallurgical Industry.

PART I

1. SCOPE OF APPLICATION

(1) The terms of this Agreement shall apply to and be observed throughout the Republic of South Africa by all employers and employees in the Iron, Steel, Engineering and Metallurgical Industries who are members of the employers' organisations and trade unions respectively.

(2) In the event of the expiry of the Industrial Agreements by effluxion of time or cessation for any other cause during the currency of this Agreement, the classes of work and rates of pay specified in the said Industrial Agreements shall be deemed to be the classes of work and minimum rates of pay for purposes of this Agreement.

2. PERIOD OF OPERATION

This Agreement shall come into operation on such date as may be fixed by the Minister of Labour in terms of section 48 of the Industrial Conciliation Act, 1956, and shall remain in force until 30 November 1980 or such date as may be determined by the Minister.

3. DEFINITIONS

Any expressions used in this Agreement which are defined in the Industrial Conciliation Act, 1956, shall have the same meaning as in that Act and any reference to an Act shall include any amendments to such Act; further, unless inconsistent with the context—

"apprentice" means an employee serving under a written contract of apprenticeship recognised by the Council, or a contract of apprenticeship registered under the Apprenticeship Act, 1944;

"Industrial Agreements" means any wage agreement operative in the Industries, including any succeeding agreements and/or extensions and/or amendments thereof;

"Yster-, Staal-, Ingenieurs- en Metallurgiese Nywerheid" of "Nywerhede" (behoudens die bepalings van die Afbakeningsvaststellings gepubliseer by Goewermentskennisgewing R. 1971 van 30 November 1962, R. 260 van 3 Maart 1967 en R. 2238 van 10 Desember 1971) die nywerhede betrokke by die produksie van yster en/of staal en/of legerings en/of die verwerking en/of herwinning en/of raffinering van metaal (uitgesonderd edelmetale) en/of legerings uit metaalskuim en/of -afval en/of residu's; die onderhoud, fabrisering, oprigting of montering, bou, verandering, vervanging of herstel van enige masjien, voertuig (uitgesonderd 'n motorvoertuig) of artikel wat hoofsaaklik uit metaal (uitgesonderd edelmetale) bestaan of dele of komponente daarvan en struktuurmetaalwerk, met inbegrip van staal-wapeningswerk; die vervaardiging van metaalgoedere hoofsaaklik uit sodanige yster en/of staal en/of ander metaal (uitgesonderd edelmetale) en/of legerings en/of die afwerking van metaalgoedere; die bou en/of verandering en/of herstel van bote en/of skepe, met inbegrip van die afskraap, afbik en/of afklop en/of verf van die rompe van bote en/of skepe en algemene houtwerk wat in verband met skeepsherstelwerk onderneem word, en omvat dit ook die Elektrotegniese Ingenieursnywerheid, Hyser- en Roltrapnywerheid en Plastieknywerheid, maar nie die Motornywerheid nie;

"Elektrotegniese Ingenieursnywerheid"

(a) die vervaardiging en/of montering, uit samestellende dele, van elektriese uitrusting, naamlik generators, motore, konvertors, skakel- en kontrole-uitrusting (met inbegrip van relës, kontaktors, elektriese instrumente en uitrusting wat daarmee in verband staan), elektriese verligtings-, verhittings-, kook-, bevriesings- en verkoelingsuitrusting, transformators, oonduitrusting, seinuitrusting, radio- of elektroniese uitrusting en ander uitrusting waarby gebruik gemaak word van die beginsels wat gevvolg word in verband met die bediening van radio- en elektroniese uitrusting, gloeilampe en elektriese kabels en huis-houdelike elektriese toestelle, en omvat dit die vervaardiging van samestellende dele van voornoemde uitrusting;

(b) die installering, onderhoud en herstel van die uitrusting bedoel in paragraaf (a) hierbo, in die provinsie Transvaal, maar nie ook die Elektrotegniese Aannemingsbedryf nie;

"Elektrotegniese Aannemingsbedryf" die ontwerp, voorbereiling (uitgesonderd vervaardiging vir verkoop) en oprigting van elektriese installasies wat 'n integrerende en permanente deel van geboue uitmaak en die herstel en/of onderhoud van sodanige installasies, met inbegrip van kabellaserwerk en elektriese bedrading wat daarmee in verband staan;

"Hyser- en Roltrapnywerheid" die vervaardiging en/of inname en/of installering en/of herstel van elektriese hysers en oltrappe;

"Plastieknywerheid" die vervaardiging van artikels of gedeeltes aan artikels geheel en al of hoofsaaklik uit plastiek, maar uitgesonderd die vervaardiging van die volgende artikels wat van plasticplaatmateriaal gemaak word, naamlik klerasie, sakke en handtakkie, stewels, skoene, oorskoeke, oortreksels en hortjieblindings van plastiek;

"plastiek" enigeen van die groep materiale wat 'n organiese stof met 'n groot molekulêre massa as 'n noodsaklike bestanddeel bevat of daaruit bestaan en wat, hoewel dit in die afgewerkte stadium solied is, in die een of ander stadium gedurende die vervaardiging daarvan geforseer is of geforseer kan word, d.w.s. gegiet, gekalandeer, uitgedruk of in verskillende vorms gegiet is of gegiet kan word deur middel van vloeiing, gewoonlik deur die oeding, het sy alleen gesamentlik, van hitte en druk;

"edelmetale" die edelmetale goud, silwer, platinum en/of palladium en/of enige legering wat genoemde edelmetale of enige larvan in sodanige verhouding tot 'n ander metaal bevat dat lit die grootste gedeelte van die waarde van sodanige legering uitmaak;

"Motornywerheid" die Motornywerheid soos omskryf in die Hoofoordekkings vir die Yster-, Staal-, Ingenieurs- en Metallurgiese Nywerheid gepubliseer by Goewermentskennisgewing R. 479 van 29 Maart 1974;

"Uitvoerende Komitee" die Uitvoerende Komitee van die Raad wat ooreenkomsdig sy konstitusie aangestel is;

"Raad" die Nasionale Nywerheidsraad vir die Yster-, Staal-, Ingenieurs- en Metallurgiese Nywerheid;

"Streekraad" 'n komitee wat as sodanig deur die Raad aangestel is ooreenkomsdig sy konstitusie;

"loongroep", in die geval van 'n werknaemer wie se klas werk n enigeen van die Nywerheidsooreenkomsie gelyis is, die werklike weekloon vir dié klas werk, uitgesonderd besoldiging vir oortydwerk, of enige ander besoldiging deur sodanige werknaemer ontvang, en in die geval van werknaemers wie se lone nie in enigeen van die Nywerheidsooreenkomsie gespesifieer word nie, die werklike loon van die werknaemer, uitgesonderd betaling vir oortydwerk of enige ander besoldiging;

"Streek A" die landdrosdistrikte Beaufort-Wes, Bellville, Bredasdorp, Caledon, Calvina, Die Kaap, Carnarvon, Clanwilliam, Ceres, Fraserburg, George, Goodwood, Heidelberg (Kaap), Hermanus, Hopefield, Knysna, Kuil's River, Ladismith (Cape), Laingsburg, Malmesbury, Montagu, Mossel Bay, Nama-

"Iron, Steel, Engineering and Metallurgical Industries" or "Industries" means (subject to the provisions of the Demarcation Determinations published under Government Notices R. 1971 of 30 November 1962, R. 260 of 3 March 1967 and R. 2238 of 10 December 1971) the industries concerned with the production of iron and/or steel and/or alloys and/or the processing and/or recovery and/or refining of metals (other than precious metals), and/or alloys from dross and/or scrap and/or residues; the maintenance, fabrication, erection or assembly, construction, alteration, replacement or repair of any machine, vehicle (other than a motor vehicle), or article consisting mainly of metal (other than a precious metal), or parts or components thereof and structural metal work, including steel re-inforcement work; the manufacture of metal goods principally from such iron and/or steel and/or other metals (other than precious metals), and/or alloys and/or the finishing of metal goods; the building and/or alteration and/or repair of boats and/or ships including the scraping, chipping and/or scaling and/or painting of the hulls of boats and/or ships and general wood-work undertaken in connection with ship repairs, and includes the Electrical Engineering Industry, Lift and Escalator Industry and Plastics Industry, but does not include the Motor Industry;

"Electrical Engineering Industry" means—

(a) the manufacture and/or assembly from component parts of electrical equipment, namely, generators, motors, converters, switch and control gear (including relays, contactors, electrical instruments and equipment associated therewith), electrical lighting, heating, cooking, refrigeration and cooling equipment, transformers, furnace equipment, signalling equipment, radio or electronic equipment and other equipment utilising the principles used in the operation of radio and electronic equipment, incandescent lamps and electric cables and domestic electrical appliances, and includes the manufacture of component parts of the aforementioned equipment;

(b) the installation, maintenance and repair of the equipment referred to in paragraph (a) above, in the Province of the Transvaal, but does not include the Electrical Contracting Industry;

"Electrical Contracting Industry" means the design, preparation (other than manufacture for sale) and erection of electrical installations forming an integral and permanent portion of buildings and the repair and/or maintenance of such installations, including any cable jointing and electrical wiring associated therewith;

"Lift and Escalator Industry" means the manufacture and/or assembly and/or installation and/or repair of electrical lifts and escalators;

"Plastics Industry" means the manufacture of articles or parts or articles wholly or mainly from plastics, but does not include the manufacture of the following articles made from plastic sheeting material, viz. wearing apparel, bags and handbags, boots, shoes, overshoes, upholstery coverings and plastic venetian blinds;

"plastics" means any one of the group of materials which consists of or contains as an essential ingredient an organic substance of a large molecular mass and which, while solid in the finished state, at some stage in its manufacture has been or can be forced, i.e. cast, calendered, extruded or moulded into various shapes by flow, usually through the application, singly or together, of heat and pressure;

"precious metals" means the precious metals, gold, silver, platinum and/or palladium and/or any alloy containing the said precious metals or any of these in such proportion with any other metal to be the greater part in value of such alloy;

"Motor Industry" means the Motor Industry as defined in the Main Agreement for the Iron, Steel, Engineering and Metallurgical Industries published under Government Notice R. 479 of 29 March 1974;

"Executive Committee" means the Executive Committee of the Council appointed in terms of its Constitution;

"Council" means the National Industrial Council for the Iron, Steel, Engineering and Metallurgical Industries;

"Regional Council" means any committee appointed as such by the Council in terms of its Constitution;

"wage group" means, in the case of an employee whose class of work is scheduled in any of the Industrial Agreements, the actual weekly wage for the class of work, excluding payment for overtime or any other remuneration received by such employee, and in the case of employees whose wages are not specified in any of the Industrial Agreements means the actual wage of the employee, excluding overtime payments or any other remuneration;

"Region A" means the Magisterial Districts of Beaufort West, Bellville, Bredasdorp, Caledon, Calvina, The Cape, Carnarvon, Clanwilliam, Ceres, Fraserburg, George, Goodwood, Heidelberg (Cape), Hermanus, Hopefield, Knysna, Kuil's River, Ladismith (Cape), Laingsburg, Malmesbury, Montagu, Mossel Bay, Nama-

Piketberg, Prins Albert, Riversdal, Robertson, Simonstad, Somerset-Wes, Stellenbosch, Strand, Sutherland, Swellendam, Tulbagh, Vanrhynsdorp, Victoria-Wes, Vredenburg, Vredendal, Wellington, Williston, Worcester en Wynberg, en ten opsigte van hierdie bepaalde gebiede is die adres van die Raad: Die Nasionale Nywerheidsraad vir die Yster-, Staal-, Ingenieurs- en Metallurgiese Nywerheid (Kaapse Streekraad), Posbus 6096, Roggebaai, 8012;

"Streek B" die landdrosdistrikte Albert, Aliwal-Noord, Barkly-Oos, Cathcart, Oos-Londen, Elliot, Fort Beaufort, Indwe, Keiskammahoek, King William's Town, Komga, Lady Grey, Maclear, Middeldrift, Molteno, Peddie, Queenstown, Sterkstroom, Stockenström, Stutterheim, Tarka, Victoria East and Wodehouse, en ten opsigte van hierdie bepaalde gebiede is die adres van die Raad: Die Nasionale Nywerheidsraad vir die Yster-, Staal-, Ingenieurs- en Metallurgiese Nywerheid (Grensstreekraad), Posbus 27, Oos-Londen, 5200;

"Streek C" die provinsie Natal, met inbegrip van die landdrosdistrik Mount Currie, en ten opsigte van hierdie bepaalde gebiede is die adres van die Raad: Die Nasionale Nywerheidsraad vir die Yster-, Staal-, Ingenieurs- en Metallurgiese Nywerheid (Natalse Streekraad), Posbus 10799, Marine Parade, 4056;

"Streek D" die landdrosdistrikte Aberdeen, Adelaide, Albany, Alexandria, Bathurst, Bedford, Calitzdorp, Colesberg, Cradock, Graaff-Reinet, Hankey, Hanover, Hofmeyr, Humansdorp, Jansenville, Joubertina, Kirkwood, Middelburg (Kaap), Murrayburg, Nieupoort, Oudtshoorn, Pearson, Port Elizabeth, Richmond (Kaap), Somerset-Oos, Steytlerville, Steynsburg, Uniondale, Uitenhage, Venterstad en Willowmore, en ten opsigte van hierdie bepaalde gebiede is die adres van die Raad: Die Nasionale Nywerheidsraad vir die Yster-, Staal-, Ingenieurs- en Metallurgiese Nywerheid (Middellandse Streekraad), Posbus 3127, Port Elizabeth, 6000;

"Streek E" die provinsie Transvaal, uitgesonderd die landdrosdistrikte Bloemhof, Christiana, Coligny, Delareyville, Klerksdorp, Lichtenburg, Potchefstroom, Schweizer-Reneke, Ventersdorp en Wolmaransstad, met inbegrip van die landdrosdistrikte Parys en Sasolburg, en ten opsigte van hierdie bepaalde gebiede is die adres van die Raad: Die Nasionale Nywerheidsraad vir die Yster-, Staal-, Ingenieurs- en Metallurgiese Nywerheid (Transvalse Streekraad), Posbus 3998, Johannesburg, 2000;

"Streek F" die provinsie die Oranje-Vrystaat, uitgesonderd die landdrosdistrikte Parys en Sasolburg, dog met inbegrip van die landdrosdistrikte Bloemhof, Christiana, Coligny, Delareyville, Klerksdorp, Lichtenburg, Potchefstroom, Schweizer-Reneke, Ventersdorp en Wolmaransstad in die provinsie Transvaal, en die landdrosdistrikte Barkly-Wes, Britstown, De Aar, Gordonia, Hartswater, Herbert, Hay, Hopetown, Kenhardt, Kimberley, Kuruman, Mafeking, Postmasburg, Philipstown, Prieska, Taung, Vryburg en Warrenton, en ten opsigte van hierdie bepaalde gebiede is die adres van die Raad: Die Nasionale Nywerheidsraad vir die Yster-, Staal-, Ingenieurs- en Metallurgiese Nywerheid (Oranje-Vrystaat en Noord-Kaaplandse Streekraad), Posbus 95, Welkom, 9460.

4. VOORTSETTING VAN SIEKTEBYSTANDSFONDS

(1) Die Nasionale Nywerheidsraad vir die Siektebystandsfonds van die Yster-, Staal-, Ingenieurs- en Metallurgiese Nywerheid (hierna die "Siektebystandsfonds" of die "Fonds" genoem), oorspronklik gepubliseer by Goewermentskennisgewing 1798 van 9 September 1955, word hierby voortgesit.

Die Fonds bestaan uit twee Skemas—Skema A en Skema B.

(2) Skema A bestaan uit—

- (a) alle geld en bates in die kredit van die Fonds op die datum van inwerkingtreding van hierdie Ooreenkoms;
- (b) alle bydraes wat werkgewers en lede ooreenkomstig klousule 2 van Deel II van hierdie Ooreenkoms in Skema A inbetaal;
- (c) alle rente verkry uit beleggings van enige geld van die Skema; en
- (d) alle ander geld waarop die Skema geregtig mag word.

(3) Skema B bestaan uit—

- (a) alle bydraes wat werkgewers en lede ooreenkomstig klousule 2 van Deel III van hierdie Ooreenkoms in Skema B inbetaal;
- (b) alle rente verkry uit beleggings van enige geld van die Skema; en
- (c) alle ander geld waarop die Skema geregtig mag word.

5. OOGMERKE

Die oogmerke van die Fonds is om voordele te verskaf soos

Simonstown, Somerset West, Stellenbosch, Strand, Sutherland, Swellendam, Tulbagh, Vanrhynsdorp, Victoria West, Vredenburg, Vredendal, Wellington, Williston, Worcester and Wynberg, and for the purposes of these particular areas the address of the Council shall be: The National Industrial Council for the Iron, Steel, Engineering and Metallurgical Industry (Cape Regional Council), P.O. Box 6096, Roggebaai, 8012;

"Region B" means the Magisterial Districts of Albert, Aliwal North, Barkly East, Cathcart, East London, Elliot, Fort Beaufort, Indwe, Keiskammahoek, King William's Town, Komga, Lady Grey, Maclear, Middeldrift, Molteno, Peddie, Queenstown, Sterkstroom, Stockenström, Stutterheim, Tarka, Victoria East and Wodehouse, and for the purposes of these particular areas the address of the Council shall be: The National Industrial Council for the Iron, Steel, Engineering and Metallurgical Industry (Border Regional Council), P.O. Box 27, East London, 5200;

"Region C" means the Province of Natal, including the Magisterial District of Mount Currie, and for the purposes of these particular areas the address of the Council shall be: The National Industrial Council for the Iron, Steel, Engineering and Metallurgical Industry (Natal Regional Council), P.O. Box 10799, Marine Parade, 4056;

"Region D" means the Magisterial Districts of Aberdeen, Adelaide, Albany, Alexandria, Bathurst, Bedford, Calitzdorp, Colesberg, Cradock, Graaff-Reinet, Hankey, Hanover, Hofmeyr, Humansdorp, Jansenville, Joubertina, Kirkwood, Middelburg (Cape), Murrayburg, Nieupoort, Oudtshoorn, Pearson, Port Elizabeth, Richmond (Cape), Somerste East, Steytlerville, Steynsburg, Elizabeth, Richmond (Cape), Somerset East, Steytlerville, Steynsburg, Uniondale, Uitenhage, Venterstad and Willowmore, and for the purposes of these particular areas the address of the Council shall be: The National Industrial Council for the Iron, Steel, Engineering and Metallurgical Industry (Midland Regional Council), P.O. Box 3127, Port Elizabeth, 6000;

"Region E" means the Province of the Transvaal, excluding the Magisterial Districts of Bloemhof, Christiana, Coligny, Delareyville, Klerksdorp, Lichtenburg, Potchefstroom, Schweizer-Reneke, Ventersdorp and Wolmaransstad and includes the Magisterial Districts of Parys and Sasolburg, and for the purposes of these particular areas the address of the Council shall be: The National Industrial Council for the Iron, Steel, Engineering and Metallurgical Industry (Transvaal Regional Council), P.O. Box 3998, Johannesburg, 2000;

"Region F" means the Province of the Orange Free State, excluding the Magisterial Districts of Parys and Sasolburg, and includes the Magisterial Districts of Bloemhof, Christiana, Coligny, Delareyville, Klerksdorp, Lichtenburg, Potchefstroom, Schweizer-Reneke, Ventersdorp and Wolmaransstad, in the Province of the Transvaal, and the Magisterial Districts of Barkly West, Britstown, De Aar, Gordonia, Hartswater, Herbert, Hay, Hopetown, Kenhardt, Kimberley, Kuruman, Mafeking, Postmasburg, Philipstown, Prieska, Taung, Vryburg and Warrenton, and for the purposes of these particular areas the address of the Council shall be: The National Industrial Council for the Iron, Steel, Engineering and Metallurgical Industry (Orange Free State and Northern Cape Regional Council), P.O. Box 95, Welkom, 9460.

4. CONTINUATION OF SICK PAY FUND

(1) The National Industrial Council for the Iron, Steel, Engineering and Metallurgical Industry Sick Pay Fund (hereinafter referred to as the "Sick Pay Fund" or the "Fund") originally published under Government Notice 1798 of 9 September 1955 is hereby continued.

The Fund shall be comprised of two Schemes—Scheme A and Scheme B.

(2) Scheme A shall consist of—

- (a) all moneys and assets standing to the credit of the Fund at the date of coming into operation of this Agreement;
- (b) all contributions paid by employers and members into Scheme A in accordance with section 2 of Part II of this Agreement;
- (c) all interest derived from investment of any moneys of the Scheme; and
- (d) any other moneys to which the Scheme may become entitled.

(3) Scheme B shall consists of—

- (a) all contributions paid by employers and members into Scheme B in accordance with section 2 of Part III of this Agreement;
- (b) all interest derived from investment of any moneys of the Scheme; and
- (c) any other moneys to which the Scheme may become entitled.

5. OBJECTS

The objects of the Fund shall be to provide benefits a-

6. ADMINISTRASIE

(1) Die beheer oor en die administrasie van die Fonds beraus by 'n Bestuurskomitee wat bestaan uit een lid benoem deur elke vakvereniging wat 'n party by hierdie Ooreenkoms is en 'n gelyke getal werkgewerslede wat deur die werkgewersorganisasies gesamentlik benoem is. Daar mag plaasvervangers benoem word indien die Komitee dit nodig ag. As die Bestuurskomitee om enige rede nie by die vermoë is om sy pligte uit te voer nie, moet die Uitvoerende Komitee sodanige pligte uitvoer en sy funksies en bevoegdheid uitoefen.

(2) Die Bestuurskomitee besit die bevoegdheid om reëls betreffende die administrasie van die Fonds op te stel en te wysig en om sodanige subkomitee(s) as wat hy goed ag, aan te stel om te help met die administrasie van die Fonds.

Kopieë van die reëls en van alle wysings daarvan, wat nie met die bepalings van hierdie Ooreenkoms of met enige wet onbestaanbaar mag wees nie, moet by die Sekretaris van Arbeid ingedien word.

7. FINANSIELE BEHEER

(1) Die Bestuurskomitee moet toesien dat volledige en ware rekenings van die Fonds gehou word met afsonderlike rekenings vir Skema A en Skema B.

(2) Die betaling van voordele ooreenkomsdig Skema A of Skema B, na gelang van die geval, moet opgeskort word wanneer die bedrag wat in die kredit van die onderskeie skema staan, tot minder as R6 000 daal, en uitbetalings mag nie hervat word nie totdat die bedrag wat in die kredit van daardie skema staan, R10 000, beloop: Met dien verstande dat, wanneer die betaling van voordele hervat word, eise wat gedurende sodanige tydperk van opskorting ingedien is, uit daardie skema betaal moet word in die volgorde waarin hulle ontvang is.

(3) Alle geld wat aan die Fonds betaal word, moet in die bankrekening gestort word wat geopen moet word by 'n bank en/of inrigting wat deur die Bestuurskomitee goedgekeur is.

(4) Alle betalings uit die Fonds moet geskied per tjeuk getrek op die rekening van die Fonds en onderteken deur twee lede wat behoorlik daartoe gemagtig is deur die Bestuurskomitee.

(5) Alle geld wat die Bestuurskomitee beskou as te veel vir die Fonds se onmiddellike vereistes, kan in 'n depositorekening by 'n bank of geregistreerde bouvereniging gestort of in Nasionale Spaarsertifikate of in effekte van die Regering van die Republiek van Suid-Afrika, met inbegrip van Nasionale Verdedigingsobligasies, of in effekte van plaaslike besture in verbande en/of verbandbeleggings belê word op dié voorwaarde wat die Bestuurskomitee van tyd tot tyd bepaal.

(6) Alle uitgawes wat in verband met die administrasie van die Fonds aangegaan word, moet teen die Fonds in rekening gebring word en moet toegewys word aan Skema A of Skema B op sodanige grondslag as wat die Bestuurskomitee bepaal.

(7) Die Bestuurskomitee moet elke drie maande by die Uitvoerende Komitee 'n verslag indien waarin 'n algemene oorsig gegee word van hoe die Fonds funksioneer en van die inkomste en uitgawes vir die tydperk waarop die verslag betrekking het.

(8) 'n Ouditeur of ouditeurs moet deur die Bestuurskomitee aangestel word. Sodanige ouditeur(s) moet ooreenkomsdig die Wet op Openbare Rekenmeesters en Ouditeurs, 1951, geregister wees.

(9) Die Bestuurskomitee moet so gou moontlik na 31 Desember elke jaar 'n rekening van die inkomste en uitgawes van die Fonds vir die 12 maande geëindig 31 Desember en 'n staat van die Fonds se bates en laste, wat deur die ouditeur gesertificeer moet word, opstel en dit saam met 'n verslag van die ouditeur daaroor aan die Uitvoerende Komitee voorlê vir deursending aan die Raad.

(10) Die gesertificeerde rekenings en staat en die verslag van die ouditeur daaroor moet op die hoofkantoor van die Raad ter insae lê. Die gesertificeerde rekening en staat, mede-ondersteken deur die Voorsitter van die Raad, tesame met die verslag van die ouditeur daaroor, moet binne drie maande na afloop van die tydperk waarop dit betrekking het, aan die Sekretaris van Arbeid gestuur word.

8. LIKWIDASIE EN BEREDDERING

(1) By verval van die Ooreenkoms weens verloop van tyd of om enige ander rede en tensy dit binne twee jaar hernieu of vervang word deur 'n ander ooreenkoms waarby die Fonds, of Skema A of Skema B daarvan, voortgesit word, of as die Raad nie die Fonds, of Skema A of Skema B daarvan, ooreenkomsdig klousule 11 aan 'n ander fonds oordra wat vir dieselfde doel gestig is nie, moet daar trustees aangestel word om betalings uit die Fonds voort te sit soos ooreenkomsdig Skema A en/of Skema B bepaal, asof die Ooreenkoms nog bestaan, d.w.s. om eise vir voordele ooreenkomsdig die verstreke Ooreenkoms, alle krediteure, administrasie- en likwidasieloste uit te betaal tot tyd en wyl die geld in die kredit van Skema A en/of Skema B.

6. ADMINISTRATION

(1) Control and administration of the Fund shall vest in a Management Committee which shall consist of one member nominated by each trade union which is a party to this Agreement and an equal number of employer members nominated by the employers' organisations jointly. Alternates may be appointed if deemed necessary by the Committee. Should the Management Committee be unable to perform its duties for any reason whatsoever the Executive Committee shall perform these duties and exercise its functions and powers.

(2) The Management Committee shall have the power to make and alter rules governing the administration of the Fund and to appoint such subcommittee/s as it may deem fit to assist in administration of the Fund. Copies of the Rules and any amendments thereto, which shall not be inconsistent with this Agreement or any Act, shall be lodged with the Secretary for Labour.

7. FINANCIAL CONTROL

(1) The Management Committee shall cause full and true accounts of the Fund to be kept with separate accounts for Scheme A and Scheme B.

(2) Benefits under Scheme A or Scheme B, as the case may be, shall be suspended whenever the amount standing to the credit of the respective scheme falls below R6 000 and payments shall not recommence until the amount standing to the credit of that scheme has reached the sum of R10 000: Provided that upon payment of benefits being resumed, claims made during such period of suspension shall be met from that scheme in the order in which they were received.

(3) All moneys paid to the Fund shall be deposited in the banking account to be opened at a bank and/or institution approved by the Management Committee.

(4) All payments from the Fund shall be by cheque drawn on the Fund's account and such cheques shall be signed by two persons duly authorised thereto by the Management Committee.

(5) All moneys regarded by the Management Committee as being surplus to the Fund's immediate requirements may be placed on deposit at a bank or registered building society or be invested in National Savings Certificates or in stock of the Government of the Republic of South Africa, including National Defence Bonds, or in local government stocks or in mortgage bonds and/or mortgage investments on such conditions as may be determined by the Management Committee from time to time.

(6) All expenses incurred in connection with the administration of the Fund shall form a charge upon the Fund and shall be allocated to Scheme A or Scheme B on such basis as the Management Committee may determine.

(7) The Management Committee shall furnish the Executive Committee with quarterly reports giving a general review of the operation of the Fund and on the income and expenditure for the period to which the report relates.

(8) Auditor(s) shall be appointed by the Management Committee. Such auditor(s) shall be registered in terms of the Public Accountants and Auditors Act, 1951.

(9) As soon as possible after 31 December in each year the Management Committee shall prepare an account of the revenue and expenditure of the Fund for the 12 months ended 31 December and a statement showing the Fund's assets and liabilities which shall be certified by the auditor and submitted together with any report by the auditor thereon to the Executive Committee for transmission to the Council.

(10) The certified accounts and statement and any report made by the auditor thereon shall be open for inspection at the Head Office of the Council. The certified accounts and statement countersigned by the Chairman of the Council, together with any report by the auditor shall be transmitted to the Secretary for Labour within three months of the close of the period covered thereby.

8. LIQUIDATION AND WINDING UP

(1) Upon expiry of the Agreement by effluxion of time or any other reason and unless within two years it is renewed or replaced by another agreement perpetuating the Fund, or Scheme A or Scheme B thereof, or if the Fund, or Scheme A or Scheme B thereof, is not transferred by the Council to any other fund constituted for the same purpose in accordance with the provisions of section 11, trustees shall be appointed to continue payments from the Fund as provided for under Scheme A and/or Scheme B as if the Agreement was still in existence, that is to say, to pay out claims to benefit in terms of the expired Agreement, any creditors, administration costs and liquidation expenses until such time

Komitee aangestel word, en as die Komitee nie daartoe in staat is nie of onwillig is om genoemde trustees aan te stel, kan die Registrateur trustees aanstel om met die Fonds te handel soos hierbo bepaal.

(2) Indien daar te eniger tyd omstandighede ontstaan wat na die mening van die Bestuurskomitee dit wenslik of nodig maak dat die Fonds, of Skema A, of Skema B, gelikwider word, moet die Bestuurskomitee met die afsonderlike goedkeuring van 'n eenvoudige meerderheid van die werkgewersorganisasies en 'n eenvoudige meerderheid van die vakverenigings, gemagtig word om die fonds, of Skema A, of Skema B, na gelang van die geval, te likwidieer, en in so 'n geval moet daar met die bates van Skema A, en/of Skema B, na gelang van die geval, wat meer is as die laste van die betrokke Skema gehandel word op die wyse wat die Bestuurskomitee, met die afsonderlike goedkeuring van 'n eenvoudige meerderheid van die werkgewersorganisasies en 'n eenvoudige meerderheid van die vakverenigings, mag bepaal.

9. AGENTE

Die Raad kan een of meer gespesifiseerde persone as agente aanstel om te help met die uitvoering van hierdie Ooreenkoms, en dit is die plig van elke werkewer en elke werkneumer om sodanige persone toe te laat om dié navrae te doen en af te handel en dié dokumente, boeke, loonstate, tydstede en betaalkaartjies te ondersoek en dié individue te ondervra en al dié stappe doen wat nodig mag wees ten einde vas te stel of hierdie Ooreenkoms nagekom word en niemand mag in die loop van sodanige agent se ondersoek 'n valse verklaring aan hom doen nie.

10. VERTONING VAN OOREENKOMS

Elke werkewer moet 'n leesbare eksemplaar van hierdie Ooreenkoms in albei ampelike tale van die Republiek van Suid-Afrika aanbring en aangebring hou in of op die plek waar sy werkneumers werk.

11. VERSTRYKING VAN DIE OOREENKOMS

(1) In enige ooreenkoms wat die Minister kragtens artikel 48 van die Wet op Nywerheidsversoening, 1956, as bindend verklaar en wat hierdie Ooreenkoms vervang of in die plek daarvan gestel word, mag voorsiening gemaak word vir die voortsetting en administrasie van die Fonds en/of Skema A en/of Skema B daarvan.

(2) Indien hierdie Ooreenkoms weens verloop van tyd of om 'n ander rede verval, moet die Fonds nog deur die Bestuurskomitee wat die laaste as sodanig diens gedoen het, geadministreer word totdat daarmee of ooreenkomstig klousule 8 gehandel is, of dit deur die Raad na 'n ander fonds oorgedra is wat vir dieselfde doel ingestel is as dié waarvoor hierdie Fonds gestig is: Met dien verstande dat daar ooreenkomstig hierdie subklousule met Skema A en Skema B afsonderlik gehandel kan word.

(3) Ingeval die Raad gedurende enige tydperk waarin hierdie Ooreenkoms bindend is, onbind word of ophou om ooreenkomstig artikel 34 (2) van die Wet te funksioneer, moet die Bestuurskomitee die Fonds verder administreer, en die lede van sodanige Komitee op die datum waarop die Raad ophou funksioneer of onbind word, word vir sodanige doel geag lede daarvan te wees: Met dien verstande egter dat alle vakature wat in sodanige Komitee ontstaan, deur die Registrateur gevul kan word uit die gelede van die werkewers of die werkneumers in die Yster-, Staal-, Ingenieurs- en Metallurgiese Nywerheid, ten einde te verseker dat daar ewe veel werkewers- en werkneumersverteenvoerders en plaasvervangers in die Komitee dien.

(4) Indien die Bestuurskomitee nie daartoe in staat is nie of onwillig is om sy pligte uit te voer, of ingeval dit voor 'n dooie punt te staan kom wat die administrasie van die Fonds of van Skema A of Skema B daarvan na die mening van die Registrateur ondoenlik of onwenslik maak, kan hy 'n trustee of trustees aanstel om die pligte van sodanige Komitee uit te voer, en sodanige trustee of trustees het vir hierdie doel die bevoegdhede van sodanige Komitee.

12. VOORDELE NIE VERVREEMBAAR OF VIR EKSEKUSIE VATBAAR NIE

Die voordele waarvoor die Fonds voorsiening maak, is nie oordraagbaar nie, en alle voordele wat 'n werkneumer uit die Fonds mag verkry, word onmiddellik vir 'n tydperk van drie maande opgeskort as sodanige werkneumer probeer om sy reg af te staan, oor te dra of op 'n ander manier te sedeer of te verpand of te verhipoteker.

13. EISE

(1) Eise om siektebystandsvoordele en/of spesiale siektebystandsvoordele uit die Fonds moet by die Fonds ingediend word op die vorm wat die Bestuurskomitee van tyd tot tyd voorskryf en moet vergesel gaan van 'n breedvoerige mediese ser-

Such trustees shall be appointed by the Executive Committee and if the Committee should be unable or unwilling to appoint the said trustees the Registrar may appoint trustees to deal with the Fund in the aforesaid manner.

(2) If circumstances arise at any time which in the opinion of the Management Committee render the winding up of the Fund, or of Scheme A, or of Scheme B, desirable or necessary, the Management Committee shall, with the separate approval of a simple majority of the employers' organisations and a simple majority of the trade unions be empowered to wind up the Fund, or Scheme A, or Scheme B, as the case may be, in which event the excess of assets over liabilities of Scheme A and/or Scheme B, as the case may be, shall be dealt with in such manner as the Management Committee, with the separate approval of a simple majority of the employers' organisations and a simple majority of the trade unions, may determine.

9. AGENTS

The Council may appoint one or more specified persons as agents to assist in giving effect to the terms of this Agreement, and it shall be the duty of every employer and every employee to permit such persons to institute and complete such inquiries and to examine such documents, books, wage sheets, time sheets and pay tickets and to interrogate such individuals and to do all such acts as may be necessary for the purpose of ascertaining whether the provisions of this Agreement are being observed and no person shall make a false statement to such agent during the course of his investigations.

10. EXHIBITION OF AGREEMENT

Every employer shall affix and keep affixed in or at the place where his employees are working, a legible copy of this Agreement in both the official languages of the Republic of South Africa.

11. EXPIRY OF THE AGREEMENT

(1) Any agreement declared by the Minister to be binding in terms of section 48 of the Industrial Conciliation Act, 1956 replacing or succeeding this Agreement, may make provision for the continuation and administration of the Fund and/or Scheme A and/or Scheme B thereof.

(2) Should this Agreement expire by effluxion of time or for any other reason, the Fund shall continue to be administered by the Management Committee last in office until it be either dealt with in terms of section 8 or is transferred by the Council to any other fund constituted for the same purpose as that for which this Fund was created: Provided that Scheme A and Scheme B may be dealt with separately in terms hereof.

(3) In the event of the dissolution of the Council or in the event of its ceasing to function in terms of section 34 (2) of the Act during any period within which this Agreement is binding, the Management Committee shall continue to administer the Fund and the members of such Committee at the date on which the Council ceases to function or is dissolved shall be deemed to be members thereof for such purpose: Provided however, that any vacancies occurring on such Committee may be filled by the Registrar from employers or employees in the Iron, Steel, Engineering and Metallurgical Industries to ensure an equality of employer and employee representatives and alternates in the membership of the Committee.

(4) In the event of the Management Committee being unable or unwilling to discharge its duties or a deadlock arising thereon which renders the administration of the Fund, or either Scheme A or Scheme B thereof, impracticable or undesirable in the opinion of the Registrar, he may appoint a trustee or trustees to carry out the duties of such Committee and who shall possess all the powers of such Committee for the purpose.

12. BENEFITS NOT ALIENABLE OR EXECUTABLE

The benefits provided for by the Fund shall not be transferable and any employee who attempts to assign, transfer or otherwise cede or pledge or hypothecate his right shall have all benefits from the Fund immediately suspended for a period of three months.

13. CLAIMS

(1) Claims for sick pay benefits and/or special sick pay benefit from the Fund shall be lodged with the Fund on the form prescribed by the Management Committee from time to time, and shall be accompanied by a detailed medical certificate in the

sertifikaat moet deur die betrokke werknemer gedra word: Met dien verstande egter dat die Bestuurskomitee 'n onafhanglike mediese ondersoek kan vereis waarvan die koste deur Skema A of Skema B van die Fonds, na gelang van die geval, gedra moet word.

(2) Geen eise word deur die Fondsoorweeg nie tensy dit binne 30 dae na die eerste dag waarop die werknemer weens siekte van die werk afwesig is, ingedien word, en geen eis word erken as die werknemer versuim het om volgens behoorlike mediese advies te handel nie; voorts word geen bedrag betaal ten opsigte van 'n tydperk van meer as drie dae voor dat die werkgever sy mediese praktisy vir die eerste maal geraadpleeg het nie.

(3) 'n Eis word geag afdoende betaal te wees as 'n tsek per gefrankeerde brief versend word na die adres wat aangegee word op die eisvorm soos deur die Bestuurskomitee voorgeskrif, en as 'n tsek wat aldus gestuur is, nie binne 18 maande vanaf die datum van uitreiking gewissel word nie, word die eis ten voordele van die Fonds verbeur: Met dien verstande dat die Bestuurskomitee die bevoegdheid besit om na goedvinde 'n ex gratia-betaling te doen ten opsigte van enige eis wat ingevolge hierdie subklousule verbeur is.

14. BEVOEGDHEDEN EN PLIGTE VAN DIE BESTUURSKOMITEE

Behoudens die algemene leiding van die Uitvoerende Komitee van die Raad en die bepalings van hierdie Ooreenkoms, het die Bestuurskomitee volle beheer oor die sake van die Fonds en kan hy in die besonder—

(a) werknemers in diens neem om te help met die administrasie van die Fonds, hul besoldiging vasstel en hul pligte omskryf;

(b) voordele geheel en al of gedeeltelik weier aan 'n werknemer wat gehandel het op 'n manier wat daarop bereken is om die belang van die Fonds te skaaf of na alle redelike waarskynlikheid so 'n uitwerking sal hé: Met dien verstande dat sodanige werknemer toegelaat moet word om voor die Bestuurskomitee te verskyn om sy saak te stel;

(c) uitgawes uit die Fonds goedkeur;

(d) stappe doen om die betaling van bydraes of van enige bedrag wat aan die Fonds verskuldig is, af te dwing;

(e) waar 'n werknemer, na die mening van die Bestuurskomitee, te veel voordele ontvang het, ondersoek laat instel en verdere voordele opskort vir dié tydperk wat hy mag bepaal.

15. ALGEMENE BEPALINGS BETREFFENDE BYDRAES EN BYSTAND

(1) Vir die betaling van bydraes deur die werkgever en enige werknemer en/of betaling van siektebystand ingevolge hierdie Ooreenkoms, moet die loongroep van die werknemer soos volg bepaal word:

Indien hy weekliks besoldig word—sy gewone weekloon; indien hy maandeliks besoldig word—sy maandloon gedeel deur vier en een derde.

(2) Die bedrag wat elke maand ingevolge klousule 2 (2) van Deel II en klousule 2 (2) van Deel III betaalbaar is, moet voor of op die 15de dag van die onmiddellik daaropvolgende maand aan die Raad gestuur word, en wel op die volgende wyse:

Alle werkgewers in Streek A: Aan die Sekretaris, Nasionale Nywerheidsraad vir die Yster-, Staal-, Ingenieurs- en Metallurgiese Nywerheid (Kaapse Streekraad), Posbus 6096, Roggebaai, 8012.

Alle werkgewers in Streek B: Aan die Sekretaris, Nasionale Nywerheidsraad vir die Yster-, Staal-, Ingenieurs- en Metallurgiese Nywerheid (Grensstreekraad), Posbus 27, Oos-Londen, 5200.

Alle werkgewers in Streek C: Aan die Sekretaris, Nasionale Nywerheidsraad vir die Yster-, Staal-, Ingenieurs- en Metallurgiese Nywerheid (Natalse Streekraad), Posbus 10799, Marine Parade, 4056.

Alle werkgewers in Streek D: Aan die Sekretaris, Nasionale Nywerheidsraad vir die Yster-, Staal-, Ingenieurs- en Metallurgiese Nywerheid (Middelandse Streekraad), Posbus 3127, Port Elizabeth, 6000.

Alle werkgewers in Streek E: Aan die Sekretaris, Nasionale Nywerheidsraad vir die Yster-, Staal-, Ingenieurs- en Metallurgiese Nywerheid (Transvaalse Streekraad), Posbus 3998, Johannesburg, 2000.

Alle werkgewers in Streek F: Aan die Sekretaris, Nasionale Nywerheidsraad vir die Yster-, Staal-, Ingenieurs- en Metallurgiese Nywerheid (Oranje-Vrystaatse en Noord-Kaaplandse Streekraad), Posbus 95, Welkom, 9460, O.V.S.

(3) Indien enige bedrag wat ingevolge klousule 2 (2) van Deel II en klousule 2 (2) van Deel III verskuldig is, teen die 15de dag van die maand wat volg op die maand waarvoor dit

borne by the employee concerned: Provided, however, that the Management Committee may require an independent medical examination, the cost of which shall be a charge upon Scheme A or Scheme B of the Fund as the case may be.

(2) No claims shall be recognised by the Fund if not submitted within 30 days after the first absence from employment on account of illness and if the employee has failed to act upon proper medical advice, nor shall payment be made for any prior period of more than three days before the employee first interviewed his medical practitioner.

(3) It shall be sufficient payment of any claim if a cheque is despatched by prepaid post to the address given in the claim form prescribed by the Management Committee, and if any cheque sent is not paid within 18 months of the date of issue, the claim shall be forfeited for the benefit of the Fund: Provided that the Management Committee shall have power in its discretion to make an ex gratia payment in respect of any claim forfeited in terms of this section.

14. POWERS AND DUTIES OF MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE

Subject to the general direction of the Executive Committee of the Council and the terms of this Agreement, the Management Committee shall have full control of the affairs of the Fund and in particular may—

(a) engage employees to assist in the administration of the Fund, fix their remuneration and define their duties;

(b) refuse any or all benefits to employees who have acted in the manner calculated or reasonably likely to injure the interests of the Fund: Provided that such employee shall be permitted to appear before the Management Committee to state his case;

(c) sanction expenditure from the Fund;

(d) take steps to enforce payment of contributions or any sums due to the Fund;

(e) where an employee has in its opinion drawn excessive benefits, cause an enquiry to be instituted and withhold such further benefits for such periods as it may determine.

15. GENERAL PROVISIONS RELATING TO CONTRIBUTIONS AND BENEFITS

(1) For purposes of the payment of contributions by the employer and any employee and/or payment of sick pay benefits in terms of this Agreement, the wage group of the employee shall be determined as follows:

If paid by the week—his ordinary weekly wage;

if paid by the month—his monthly salary divided by four and one-third.

(2) The amount payable each month in terms of section 2 (2) of Part II and section 2 (2) of Part III shall be forwarded to the Council by not later than the 15th day of the month immediately following, as follows:

Every employer in Region A: To the Secretary, National Industrial Council for the Iron, Steel, Engineering and Metallurgical Industries (Cape Regional Council), P.O. Box 6096, Roggebaai, 8012.

Every employer in Region B: To the Secretary, National Industrial Council for the Iron, Steel, Engineering and Metallurgical Industries (Border Regional Council), P.O. Box 27, East London, 5200.

Every employer in Region C: To the Secretary, National Industrial Council for the Iron, Steel, Engineering and Metallurgical Industries (Natal Regional Council), P.O. Box 10799, Marine Parade, 4056.

Every employer in Region D: To the Secretary, National Industrial Council for the Iron, Steel, Engineering and Metallurgical Industries (Midland Regional Council), P.O. Box 3127, Port Elizabeth, 6000.

Every employer in Region E: To the Secretary, National Industrial Council for the Iron, Steel, Engineering and Metallurgical Industries (Transvaal Regional Council), P.O. Box 3998, Johannesburg, 2000.

Every employer in Region F: To the Secretary, National Industrial Council for the Iron, Steel, Engineering and Metallurgical Industries (Orange Free State and Northern Cape Regional Council), P.O. Box 95, Welkom, 9460, O.F.S.

(3) Should any amount due in terms of section 2 (2) of Part II and section 2 (2) of Part III not be received by the Council by the 15th day of the month following the month in respect

as wat onbetaald oorbyl, bereken teen 1 persent per maand of gedeelte daarvan vanaf sodanige 15de dag tot op die dag waarop betaling in kontant werklik deur die betrokke Streeksraad ontvang word: Met dien verstande dat die Raad die regsvvoegdheid het om na sy eie absolute goedvindie die betaling van sodanige rente of 'n deel daarvan, kwyt te skeld.

(4) (a) Siektebystand word betaal ten opsigte van ongeskiktheid of afwesigheid van die werk weens siekte van minder as een werkweek. 'n Week bestaan uit vyf agtereenvolgende werkdae in die geval van werkemers wat vyf dae per week werk en ses agtereenvolgende werkdae in die geval van werkemers wat ses dae per week werk. Siektebystand vir dae afwesigheid weens siekte wat 'n volle week te bove gaan, word op 'n pro rata-grondslag betaal na gelang van die getal dae van sodanige afwesigheid.

(b) Ondanks paragrawe (a) en (e) van hierdie subklousule, wanneer 'n werkemmer van die werk afwesig is weens ongeskikheid waarop die bepalings van die Ongevallewet, 1941, van toepassing is, is spesiale siektebystand tot 'n maksimum van drie dae vir elke tydperk van sodanige afwesigheid (bereken volgens die gewone ure van die skof van die betrokke bedryfsinrigting, oortydwerk uitgesonderd) aan die werkemmer betaalbaar teen die werklike urlon wat die werkemmer ontvang het ten tyde van die ongeskiktheid: Met dien verstande dat—

(i) geen siektebystand betaal mag word nie ten opsigte van afwesigheid van die werk waaroor vergoeding kragtens die Ongevallewet, 1941 (Wet 30 van 1971), betaalbaar is;

(ii) die kwalifikasie vir spesiale siektebystand ingevolge hierdie subklousule dieselfde is as dié wat voorgeskryf word vir siekterverlof in subklousules (1) (a) en (b), (6) en (7) van klousule 35 van die Hooforeenkoms vir die Yster-, Staal-, Ingenieurs- en Metalurgiese Nywerheid, gepubliseer by Goewermentskennisgewing R. 479 van 29 Maart 1974, soos gewysig by Goewermentskennisgewings R. 1316 van 2 Augustus 1974, R. 947 van 16 Mei 1975 en R. 1099 van 25 Junie 1976;

(iii) geen betaling gedoen mag word ten opsigte van openbare vakansiedae met besoldiging soos gespesifieer in die Nywerheidsoreenkomsme of ten opsigte van enige gedeelte van die verlof met besoldiging waarvan in sodanige Ooreenkomsme melding gemaak word nie;

(iv) die werkemmer sodanige bewys moet lewer as wat die Fonds van tyd tot tyd mag vereis betreffende die tydperk waaroor vergoeding nie kragtens die Ongevallewet betaal is nie ten opsigte van enige besondere tydperk van afwesigheid van die werk weens ongeskiktheid waarop daardie Wet van toepassing is;

(v) waar 'n werkemmer 'n gedeelte van sy gewone skof werk het op die datum waarop die ongeskiktheid begin het, die spesiale siektebystand wat vir daardie dag betaalbaar is, pro rata verminder moet word.

(c) Geen siektebystand is betaalbaar ten opsigte van ongeskikheid of afwesigheid van die werk weens siekte van minder as een werkweek nie, uitgesonder ten opsigte van aanhouende afwesigheid soos hieronder bepaal:

(i) Afwesigheid van die werk vir twee werkdae of minder—die Fonds betaal geen siektebystand nie;

(ii) afwesigheid van die werk vir drie werkdae—siektebystand is op 'n pro rata-grondslag vir slegs die derde dag van afwesigheid betaalbaar;

(iii) afwesigheid van die werk vir vier werkdae—siektebystand is op 'n pro rata-grondslag vir slegs die derde en vierde dae van afwesigheid betaalbaar.

(d) Geen siektebystand is betaalbaar ten opsigte van openbare vakansiedae met besoldiging soos in die Ooreenkoms vir die Nywerheid gespesifieer, of ten opsigte van enige gedeelte van die vakansietydperk met besoldiging waaroor 'n werkemmer vakansiesbesoldiging ontvang nie. Indien 'n werkemmer op die dag waarop hy vir die eerste keer afwesig is, 'n gedeelte van die skof werk, tel dit as 'n dag afwesigheid weens siekte, en die Fonds moet betaal vir daardie gedeelte van die skof wat geag word 'n kwalifiserende skof te wees.

(e) Behoudens paragraaf (b), is geen bystand betaalbaar vir siekte of ongeskiktheid waarop die bepalings van die Ongevallewet, 1941, van toepassing is nie.

(f) Geen bystand is aan vroulike werkemers ten opsigte van afwesigheid van hul werk weens swangerskap en bevallings betaalbaar nie.

(g) Geen bystand is ten opsigte van die volgende betaalbaar nie:

(i) Alkoholisme of die gebruik van verdowingsmiddels;

(ii) deelname aan jag, wedrenne met voertuie op wiele of motorfiets, uitgesonderd dié gevalle waar motorfiets vir vervoer na en van die werkemmer se werklike werk gebruik word;

(iii) die pleging van 'n onwettige daad, diens in die Weermag, 'n vlug of gepoogde vlug in 'n vliegtuig, behalwe as 'n betalende passasier in 'n vliegtuig wat vir 'n gereelde lugdiens gebruik word;

(iv) dood of besering veroorsaak deur 'n militêre of usurpatormag, ongeag of daar oorlog verklaar is al dan nie, of besering-

at the rate of 1 per cent per month or part thereof from such 15th day until the day upon which payment in cash is actually received by the appropriate Regional Council: Provided that the Council shall be entitled in its absolute discretion to waive the payment of such interest or part thereof.

(4) (a) Sick pay benefits shall be paid for incapacity or absences from work on account of illness of not less than one working week. A week shall constitute five consecutive working days for five-day working week employees and six consecutive working days for six-day working week employees. Sick pay benefits for days of absence on account of sickness in excess of a completed week or weeks shall be paid pro rata to the number of days of such absences.

(b) Notwithstanding the provisions of paragraphs (a) and (e) of this subsection, where an employee is absent from work due to disablement falling within the provisions of the Workmen's Compensation Act, 1941, there shall be payable to the employee a special sick pay benefit up to a maximum of three days for each period of such absence (calculated on the ordinary hours of the shift of the establishment concerned, excluding overtime) at the actual hourly rate of pay which the employee was receiving at the time of the disablement: Provided that—

(i) no sick pay benefit shall be paid in respect of absences from work for which compensation is payable under the Workmen's Compensation Act, 1941 (Act 30 of 1941);

(ii) the qualification for special sick pay benefits under this subsection shall be as prescribed for sick leave in subsections (1) (a) and (b), (6) and (7) of section 35 of the Main Agreement for the Iron, Steel, Engineering and Metallurgical Industries published under Government Notice R. 479 of 29 March 1974, as amended by Government Notices R. 1316 of 2 August 1974, R. 947 of 16 May 1975 and R. 1099 of 25 June 1976;

(iii) no payment shall be made in respect of paid public holidays as specified in the Industrial Agreements or in respect of any portion of the paid leave referred to in such Agreements;

(iv) the employee shall produce such evidence as the Fund may from time to time require as to the period for which compensation has not been paid under the Workmen's Compensation Act in respect of any particular period of absence from work due to disablement falling within the provisions of that Act;

(v) where an employee worked for part of his ordinary shift on the date on which the disablement commenced, the special sick pay benefit payable for that day shall be reduced pro rata.

(c) No sick pay benefit shall be payable for incapacity or absence from work on account of illness for less than a working week except for continuous absences as hereinafter provided:

(i) Absence from work of two working days or less—no sick pay benefit shall be payable by the Fund;

(ii) absence from work of three working days—sick pay benefits shall be payable pro rata for the third day of absence only;

(iii) absence from work of four working days—sick pay benefits shall be payable pro rata for the third and fourth days of absence only.

(d) No sick pay benefits shall be payable in respect of paid public holidays specified in the Agreement for the Industry, or in respect of any portion of the paid holiday period for which an employee receives holiday pay. Where an employee works a portion of the shift on the day he is first absent, it shall count as a day of absence due to sickness, and that portion of the shift which is to be regarded as a qualifying shift shall be paid for by the Fund.

(e) No benefits shall be payable for any illness, disablement or death falling within the provisions of the Workmen's Compensation Act, 1941, except as provided for under paragraph (b).

(f) No benefits shall be payable to female employees in respect of absences from work due to pregnancy or confinement.

(g) No benefits shall be paid in respect of the following:

(i) alcoholism or the use of narcotics;

(ii) engaging in hunting, racing on wheels or motor-cycling other than motor-cycling to and from the employees' actual work;

(iii) the performance of any unlawful act, service in the armed forces, flight or attempted flight in any aircraft, except as a fare-paying passenger on a regular scheduled airline;

(iv) death or injury inflicted by any military or usurped power, whether or not there has been a declaration of war, or due to

(h) Geen bystand is aan werkemers wat werkloos word, betaalbaar gedurende die tydperk waarin hulle aanspraak het op werkloosheidsoordele wat binne die bestek van die Werkloosheidsversekeringswet val nie.

(i) Werkemers is nie op bystand geregtig totdat 13 agterenvolgende weke se bydraes tot die Fonds betaal is nie: Met dien verstaande dat bydraes wat beëindig is deur 'n tydperk van werkloosheid of 'n verandering van werkgever binne die Nywerheid, as kwalifiserende bydraes tel.

(j) Werkemers wat die Nywerheid verlaat en later na die Nywerheid terugkeer, kom vir bystand in aanmerking nadat 13 agterenvolgende weke se bydraes tot die Fonds betaal is.

(k) Geen bystand is ten opsigte van aaneenlopende tydperke van afwesigheid van meer as 30 weke betaalbaar totdat die werkemmer 'n verdere 26 weke diens voltooi het nie, en vir die toepassing van hierdie klousule word afwesigheid wat deur minder as 26 weke van mekaar geskei word, geag aaneenlopend te wees.

16. VOORBEHOUDSBEPALINGS

Ondanks andersluidende bepalings in hierdie Ooreenkoms—

(a) het die Bestuurskomitee die diskresionêre bevoegdheid om addisionele hulp aan werkemers te verleen in gevalle van nooddruf as gevolg van siekte, en hy kan deur middel van geldelike toelaes, lenings of andersins spesiale bystand aan werkemers verleen op dié voorwaardes wat hy van tyd tot tyd mag bepaal;

(b) kan die Bestuurskomitee vrystelling van enige van die bepalings van hierdie Ooreenkoms verleen op dié voorwaardes en vir dié tydperke wat hy mag bepaal. Aansoek om vrystelling moet gering word aan die Hoofsekretaris van die Raad, Posbus 9381, Johannesburg, 2000;

(c) kan die Bestuurskomitee voorskotte doen aan werkemers wat beserings in diens opdoen in gevalle waar sodanige besering by die Ongevallekommissaris aangemeld moet word ingevolge die Ongevallewet, 1941, en die voorwaardes stel waarop voorskotte gedoen kan word en die wyse waarop teruggetalings moet geskied, al na die Komitee van tyd tot tyd mag besluit.

DEEL II

SKEMA A

1. LIDMAATSKAP

(1) Lidmaatskap van Skema A is verpligtend vir—

(a) alle werkemers wat in diens is in enige van die klasse werk wat teen 'n tarief van minstens 92c per uur in die Nywerheidsooreenkoms gelys is;

(b) vakleerlinge, afgesien van hul lone; en

(c) alle werkemers wat in diens is in ambagswerkprosesse en 'n loon ontvang van minstens R1,48 per uur of wat 'n loon van minstens R66,60 per week of R288,60 per maand ontvang, uitgesonderd besoldiging vir oortydwerk.

(2) 'n Werkgever kan, ten opsigte van sy werkemers wat in die Nywerhede werkzaam is en wie se lone nie in die Nywerheidsooreenkoms vasgestel word nie, dog wat 'n loon ontvang van minstens 92c per uur of besoldig word teen minstens R41,40 per week of minstens R179,40 per maand, uitgesonderd enige besoldiging vir oortydwerk, by die Fonds aansoek doen om bydraes van hom en van sodanige werkemers (of enige van hulle) ooreenkostig klousule 2 van hierdie Deel aan te neem, mits daar onderling in dier voege ooreengekom is. By ontvangs van sodanige aansoek kan die Bestuurskomitee instem om bydraes van sodanige werkgever te ontvang, en die Ooreenkoms is daarna *mutatis mutandis* op die betrokke werkgever en werkemers van toepassing en moet deur hulle nagekom word asof dit by klousule 1 van Deel I op hulle van toepassing gemaak is.

2. BYDRAES

(1) Elke werkgever moet iedere week van die loon van elkeen van sy werkemers op wie hierdie Deel van die Ooreenkoms van toepassing is die bedrag aftrek wat in onderstaande tabel vir 'n werkemmer van daardie loongroep aangedui word:

Loongroep per week	Bedrag per week
Oor R99.....	26
Oor R81 en tot R99.....	24
Oor R67 en tot R81.....	22
Oor R52 en tot R67.....	19
R52 en minder.....	14

(2) By die bedrag aldus afgetrek moet die werkgever 'n gelyke bedrag voeg, en die totale bedrag vir elke maand aan die Raad stuur, tesame met 'n vorm soos die Bestuurskomitee van tyd tot

(h) No benefits shall be payable to employees who become unemployed during the period they are entitled to receive unemployment benefits falling within the scope of the Unemployment Insurance Act.

(i) Employees shall not be eligible for benefits until 13 consecutive weeks' contributions have been made to the Fund: Provided that contributions terminated by a period of unemployment or a change of employer within the Industry shall count as qualifying contributions.

(j) Employees leaving the Industry and subsequently returning to the Industry shall, after 13 consecutive weekly contributions have been made to the Fund, be eligible for benefits.

(k) No benefits shall be payable in respect of continuous periods of absence exceeding 30 weeks until such time as the employee shall have completed a further 26 weeks of employment, and for purposes of this section absence separated from each other by less than 26 weeks shall be deemed to be continuous.

16. RESERVATIONS

Notwithstanding anything contained in this Agreement—

(a) the Management Committee shall have discretionary power to grant additional assistance to employees in cases of hardship arising from illness and may grant special relief to employees by means of pecuniary grants, loans or otherwise on such conditions as it may from time to time determine;

(b) the Management Committee may grant exemption from any of the provisions of this Agreement under such terms and conditions and for such periods as it may determine. Application for exemption shall be made to the General Secretary of the Council, P.O. Box 9381, Johannesburg, 2000.

(c) the Management Committee may make advances to employees injured on duty in cases where such injury is reportable to the Workmen's Compensation Commissioner as required by the Workmen's Compensation Act, 1941, and lay down the terms and conditions under which advances shall be made and the manner in which recoveries shall be effected as it may from time to time decide.

PART II

SCHEME A

1. MEMBERSHIP

(1) Membership of Scheme A shall be compulsory for—

(a) all employees employed on any of the classes of work scheduled at a rate of not less than 92c per hour in the Industrial Agreements;

(b) apprentices, irrespective of their wage rates; and

(c) all employees employed in operative processes and receiving a rate of pay of not less than R1,48 per hour or paid at a rate of not less than R66,60 per week or R288,60 per month, excluding any payment for overtime.

(2) An employer may, in respect of his employees employed in the Industries whose wages are not specified in the Industrial Agreements but who are receiving remuneration at a rate of not less than 92c per hour or paid at a rate of not less than R41,40 per week or R179,40 per month, excluding any payment for overtime, by mutual agreement make application to the Fund to accept contributions from himself and those employees (or any of them) in accordance with the provisions of section 2 of this Part. Upon receipt of such application the Management Committee may agree to receive contributions from that employer and the provisions of the Agreement shall thereupon *mutatis mutandis* apply to the employer and the employees concerned and be observed by them as though applied by section 1 of Part I.

2. CONTRIBUTIONS

(1) Every employer shall each week deduct from the wages of each of his employees who fall within the provisions of this Part of the Agreement the amount indicated for an employee of that wage group in the following table:

Wage group per week	Amount per week
Over R99.....	26
Over R81 and up to R99.....	24
Over R67 and up to R81.....	22
Over R52 and up to R67.....	19
R52 and under.....	14

(2) To the amount thus deducted the employer shall add an equal amount and forward the total sum for each month to the Council together with a form to be supplied by the

3. BETALING VAN SIEKTEBYSTAND

Behoudens klosule 15 (4) van Deel I, is siektebystand soos volg aan lede betaalbaar:

Werklike loongroep per week	Siektebystand		
	1ste tot 4de week	5de tot 18de week	19de tot 30ste week
R per week	R per week	R per week	R per week
Oor R99.....	45	46	49
Oor R81 en tot R99.....	41	42	45
Oor R67 en tot R81.....	34	35	38
Oor R52 en tot R67.....	29	30	32
R50 en minder.....	24	25	27

4. BEGRAFNISBYSTAND

Indien 'n lid wat geregtig is op bystand uit die Fonds te sterwe kom, is, behoudens klosule 15 (4) van Deel I, bystand van R350 by indiening van sodanige bewys van afsterwe van die werknemer as wat die Bestuurskomitee van tyd tot tyd mag voorskryf of vereis, betaalbaar aan die langlewende gade of aan sodanige persoon as wat na die Bestuurskomitee se oordeel op die bystand geregtig is.

DEEL III

SKEMA B

1. LIDMAATSKAP

(1) Lidmaatskap van Skema B is verpligtend vir alle werknemers wat in diens is in enige van die klasse werk wat in die Nywerheidsooreenkoms gelys is en wat nie onder die bepalings van Deel II van hierdie Ooreenkoms val nie.

(2) 'n Werkewer mag, ten opsigte van sy werknemers wat in die Nywerheidsooreenkoms vasgestel word nie, en wat nie lede van Skema A is nie, by die Fonds aansoek doen om bydraes van hom en van sodanige werknemers (of enigeen van hulle) ooreenkombig klosule 2 van hierdie Deel aan te neem, mits daar onderling in dier voege ooreengeskou kan word. By ontvangs van sodanige aansoek kan die Bestuurskomitee instem om bydraes van sodanige werkewer te ontvang, en die Ooreenkoms is daarna *mutatis mutandis* op die betrokke werkewer en werknemers van toepassing en moet deur hulle nagekom word asof dit by klosule 1 van Deel I op hulle van toepassing gemaak is.

2. BYDRAES

(1) Elke werkewer moet iedere week van die loon van elkeen van sy werknemers op wie hierdie Deel van die Ooreenkoms van toepassing is, die bedrag aftrek wat in onderstaande tabel vir 'n werknemer van daardie loongroep aangedui word:

Loongroep per week	Bedrag per week
Oor R99.....	26
Oor R81 en tot R99.....	24
Oor R67 en tot R81.....	22
Oor R52 en tot R67.....	19
Oor R46 en tot R52.....	14
Oor R36 en tot R46.....	12
R36 en minder.....	10

(2) By die bedrag aldus afgetrek, moet die werkewer 'n gelyke bedrag voeg, en die totale bedrag vir elke maand aan die Raad stuur, tesame met 'n vorm soos die Bestuurskomitee van tyd tot tyd voorskryf.

3. BETALING VAN SIEKTEBYSTAND

(1) Behoudens klosule 15 (4) van Deel I, is siektebystand soos volg aan lede betaalbaar:

Werklike loongroep per week	Siektebystand		
	1ste tot 4de week	5de tot 18de week	19de tot 30ste week
R per week	R per week	R per week	R per week
Oor R99.....	45	46	49
Oor R81 en tot R99.....	41	42	45
Oor R67 en tot R81.....	34	35	38
Oor R52 en tot R67.....	29	30	32
Oor R46 en tot R52.....	24	25	27
Oor R36 en tot R46.....	16	17	18
R36 en minder.....	11	12	13

3. SICK PAY BENEFITS

Subject to section 15 (4) of Part I sick pay benefits shall be payable to members as follows:

Actual wage group per week	Sick pay benefits		
	1st to 4th week	5th to 18th week	19th to 30th week
R per week	R per week	R per week	R per week
Over R99.....	45	46	49
Over R81 and up to R99.....	41	42	45
Over R67 and up to R81.....	34	35	38
Over R52 and up to R67.....	29	30	32
R52 and under.....	24	25	27

4. FUNERAL BENEFIT

Subject to section 15 (4) of Part I, at death of a member entitled to benefit from the Fund, a funeral benefit of R350 shall be payable to the surviving spouse or to such person as the Management Committee may consider entitled to receive the benefit, on production of such proof of death of the employee as the Management Committee may from time to time prescribe or require.

PART III

SCHEME B

1. MEMBERSHIP

(1) Membership of Scheme B shall be compulsory for all employees employed on any of the classes of work scheduled in the Industrial Agreements and who do not fall within the provisions of Part II of this Agreement.

(2) An employer may, in respect of his employees employed in the Industries whose wages are not specified in the Industrial Agreements and who are not members of Scheme A, by mutual agreement make application to the Fund to accept contributions from himself and those employees (or any of them) in accordance with the provisions of section 2 of this Part. Upon receipt of such application the Management Committee may agree to receive contributions from that employer and the provisions of the Agreement shall thereupon *mutatis mutandis* apply to the employer and the employees concerned and be observed by them as though applied by section 1 of Part I.

2. CONTRIBUTIONS

(1) Every employer shall each week deduct from the wages of each of his employees who fall within the provisions of this Part of the Agreement the amount indicated for an employee of that wage group in the following table:

Wage group per week	Amount per week
Over R99.....	c
Over R81 and up to R99.....	26
Over R67 and up to R81.....	24
Over R52 and up to R67.....	22
Over R46 and up to R52.....	19
Over R36 and up to R46.....	14
R36 and under.....	12
	10

(2) To the amount thus deducted the employer shall add an equal amount and forward the total sum for each month to the Council, together with a form to be prescribed by the Management Committee from time to time.

3. SICK PAY BENEFITS

(1) Subject to section 15 (4) of Part I sick pay benefits shall be payable to members as follows:

Actual wage group per week	Sick pay benefits		
	1st to 4th week	5th to 18th week	19th to 30th week
R per week	R per week	R per week	R per week
Over R99.....	45	46	49
Over R81 and up to R99.....	41	42	45
Over R67 and up to R81.....	34	35	38
Over R52 and up to R67.....	29	30	32
Over R46 and up to R52.....	24	25	27
Over R36 and up to R46.....	16	17	18
R36 and under.....	11	12	13

(2) 'n Werkgever kan, indien hy die verlof van die Bestuurskomitee vooraf verky, en op sodanige voorwaardes as wat die Bestuurskomitee mag bepaal, betalings regstreeks aan 'n werknemer doen in plaas van die betaling van siektebystand waarop sodanige werknemer ooreenkomstig hierdie Skema geregty is. Indien 'n werkgever enige sodanige betaling(s) ooreenkomstig hierdie subklousule aan 'n werknemer gedoen het, moet die Fonds hom vergoed vir die bedrag/bedrae aldus betaal wanneer die werkgever aan die Fonds bewys lewer van sodanige betaling(s) aan die betrokke werknemer en die bedrag/bedrae waarmee die werkgever aldus vergoed is, aftrek van die bedrag van die bystand wat ooreenkomstig hierdie Skema aan die werknemer betaalbaar is: Met dien verstaande dat die bedrag/bedrae waarmee die werkgever ooreenkomstig hierdie subklousule vergoed is, nie meer mag wees nie as die bystand waarop die werknemer geregty is vir die betrokke tydperk van afwesigheid ooreenkomstig hierdie Skema.

4. BEGRAFNISBYSTAND

Indien 'n lid wat geregty is op bystand uit die Fonds te sterwe kom, is, behoudens klausule 15 (4) van Deel I, bystand by indiening van sodanige bewys van afsterwe van die werknemer as wat die Bestuurskomitee van tyd tot tyd mag voorskryf of vereis, betaalbaar aan die langslwendende gade of aan sodanige persoon as wat na die Bestuurskomitee se oordeel op die bystand geregty is.

Die begrafnisbystand betaalbaar ingevolge hiervan is soos volg:

<i>Werklike loongroep per week</i>	<i>Begrafnisbystand</i>
Oor R41.....	R350
R41 en minder.....	R200

Soos gemagtig, vir en namens die partye op hierdie 16de dag van Maart 1977 te Johannesburg onderteken.

W. BORNMAN, Voorsitter.

W. E. KIRKWOOD, Ondervoorsitter.

A. O. DE JAGER, Sekretaris.

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WET OP FABRIEKE, MASJINERIE EN BOUWERK, 1941

YSTER-, STAAL-, INGENIEURS- EN METALLURGIESE NYWERHEID. — VRYSTELLING VAN SIEKTEVERLOFBEPALINGS

Ek, Stephanus Petrus Botha, Minister van Arbeid, stel hierby, kragtens artikel 54 (1) van die Wet op Fabrieke, Masjinerie en Bouwerk, 1941, en met ingang van die tweede Maandag na die datum van publikasie van hierdie kennisgewing en vir sodanige tydperk of tydperke as wat die Ooreenkoms gepubliseer by Goewermentskennisgewing R. 8 van 6 Januarie 1978, kragtens die Wet op Nywerheidsversoening, 1956, bindend mag wees, alle werkgewers wat onderworpe is aan die bepalings van genoemde Ooreenkoms, vry van die vereistes van artikel 21A van eersgenoemde Wet, ten opsigte van werknemers wat ingevolge genoemde Ooreenkoms op siektebystand geregty is.

S. P. BOTHA, Minister van Arbeid.

No. R. 10

6 Januarie 1978

WET OP NYWERHEIDSVERSOENING, 1956

YSTER-, STAAL-, INGENIEURS- EN METALLURGIESE NYWERHEID. — INTREKKING VAN GOEWERMENTSKENNISGEWINGS

Ek, Stephanus Petrus Botha, Minister van Arbeid, trek hierby, kragtens artikel 48 (5) van die Wet op Nywerheidsversoening, 1956, Goewermentskennisgewings R. 2189 van 21 November 1975 en R. 2032 van 29 Oktober 1976 in met ingang van die tweede Maandag na die datum van publikasie van hierdie kennisgewing.

(2) An employer may, with the prior permission of the Management Committee and on such conditions as the Management Committee may determine, make payments direct to an employee in lieu of sick pay benefits to which such employee is entitled in terms of this Scheme. Where any such payment/s has/have been made by an employer to an employee in terms of this subsection, the Fund shall reimburse the employer with the amount/s so paid on production of evidence to the Fund by the employer of such payment to the employee concerned and shall set off such amount/s reimbursed against the amount of benefit payable to the employee in terms of this Scheme: Provided that the amount/s reimbursed to an employer under this subsection shall not exceed the entitlement of the employee to benefits for the period of absence concerned in terms of this Scheme.

4. FUNERAL BENEFIT

Subject to section 15 (4) of Part I, at death of a member entitled to benefit from the Fund, a funeral benefit shall be payable to the surviving spouse or to such person as the Management Committee may consider entitled to receive the benefit, on production of such proof of death of the employee as the Management Committee may from time to time prescribe or require.

The funeral benefit payable in terms hereof shall be as follows:

<i>Actual wagegroup per week</i>	<i>Funeral benefit</i>
Over R41.....	R350
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Signed at Johannesburg as authorised for and on behalf of the parties this 16th day of March 1977.

W. BORNMAN, Chairman.

W. E. KIRKWOOD, Vice-Chairman.

A. O. DE JAGER, Secretary.

No. R. 9

6 January 1978

FACTORIES, MACHINERY AND BUILDING WORK ACT, 1941

IRON, STEEL, ENGINEERING AND METALLURGICAL INDUSTRIES.—EXEMPTION FROM SICK LEAVE PROVISIONS

I, Stephanus Petrus Botha, Minister of Labour, hereby, in terms of section 54 (1) of the Factories, Machinery and Building Work Act, 1941, and with effect from the second Monday after the date of publication of this notice and for such period or periods as the Agreement published under Government Notice R. 8 of 6 January 1978, may be binding in terms of the Industrial Conciliation Act, 1956, exempt all employers who are subject to the provisions of the said Agreement from the requirements of section 21A of the firstmentioned Act, in respect of employees who are entitled to sick pay in terms of the said Agreement.

S. P. BOTHA, Minister of Labour.

No. R. 10

6 January 1978

INDUSTRIAL CONCILIATION ACT, 1956

IRON, STEEL, ENGINEERING AND METALLURGICAL INDUSTRIES. — CANCELLATION OF GOVERNMENT NOTICES

I, Stephanus Petrus Botha, Minister of Labour, hereby, in terms of section 48 (5) of the Industrial Conciliation Act, 1956, cancel Government Notices R. 2189 of 21 November 1975 and R. 2032 of 29 October 1976 with effect from the second Monday after the date of publication of this notice.

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