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GOVERNMENT NOTICE

DEPARTMENT OF LABOUR

No. 275

30 March 2015

**COMPENSATION FOR OCCUPATIONAL INJURIES AND DISEASES ACT,
1993
(ACT No. 130 OF 1993), AS AMENDED****MINIMUM LEVEL OF PENSION ON THE COMPENSATION FUND**

The Minister of Labour intends to increase the amount of earnings under Section 83 (8) of the Compensation for Occupational Injuries and Diseases Act, 1993 (Act No. 130 of 1993), the minimum level of pensions of R1 500.00 per month to all existing pensioners, R1 245.00 per month to all spouses and R623.00 per month to a child with effect from 1 April 2015.

Any person, who wishes to comment on the proposed amendments, should submit such comments in writing to the Compensation Commissioner, P O Box 955, Pretoria, 0001 or email to dingaen.basimane@labour.gov.za not later than 31 March 2015.


N M OLIPHANT

MINISTER OF LABOUR

26/03/2015

No. 276

30 March 2015

**COMPENSATION FOR OCCUPATIONAL INJURIES AND DISEASES ACT,
1993 (ACT No. 130 OF 1993), AS AMENDED
MINIMUM LEVEL OF PENSION ON THE COMPENSATION FUND**

The Minister of Labour intends to increase all monthly pensions in terms of Section 57(1) of the Compensation for Occupational Injuries and Diseases Act, 1993 (Act No 130 of 1993), the monthly pensions payable in terms of Sections 39(1) (c) and (d) and 40(1)(a), (b), (c) and (d) of the Workmen's Compensation Act, 1941 (Act No. 30 of 1941), and in terms of Sections 49(1)(a) and 54(1)(a), (b), (c) and (d)(i) of the Compensation for Occupational Injuries and Diseases Act, 1993 (Act No. 130 of 1993), with effect from 1 April 2015 as follows:

- Minimum level of monthly pensions of R1 500.00 per month to all existing pensioners (excluding spouse and children pensioners).
- Minimum monthly pension of R1245.00 per month for spouses and R623.00 per month for a child where the employee is deceased.
- Where the existing pensioner (excluding spouse and children) has commuted his/her pension the minimum pension of R1 500.00 should be reduced with the same proportion.
- Where the existing spouse has commuted his/her pension the minimum pension of R1 245.00 should be reduced with the same proportion.

**N M OLIPHANT****MINISTER OF LABOUR***26/03/2015*