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Planning and Environment Act 1987
BOROONDARA PLANNING SCHEME
Notice of Approval of Amendment
Amendment L61

The Minister for Planning and Local Government has approved Amendment L61 to the Boroondara Planning Scheme.

The Amendment comes into operation on the date this notice is published in the Government Gazette.

The Amendment inserts a site specific clause (Clause 130-7B) enabling the temporary use and development of land forming part of Paterson Reserve (and currently used as a car park), fronting the west side of Auburn Road and north of Toorak Road, Hawthorn, for an office associated with Transurban City Link, without the need for a planning permit. The temporary use and development must be generally in accordance with Concept Plan Drawing No. CSK01 and must cease to operate no later than 31 July 2000.

A copy of the Amendment can be inspected, free of charge, during office hours, at the Department of Infrastructure, Customer Service Centre, Upper Plaza, Nauru House, 80 Collins Street, Melbourne and at the offices of the Boroondara City Council, 8 Inglesby Road, Camberwell.

LEIGH PHILLIPS
Director, Planning Operations
Planning, Heritage
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Department of Infrastructure

Accident Compensation (WorkCover Insurance) Act 1993
WORKCOVER INSURANCE PREMIUMS ORDER (NO. 6) 1998/99

In accordance with item 8(3) of Schedule 1 to the WorkCover Insurance Premiums Order (No. 6) 1998/99, notice is given that all rates per centum per annum determined by the Victorian WorkCover Authority for the purposes of Item 8(1)(b) of that Schedule are the same as the rates per centum per annum in Schedule 9 to the Order corresponding to the relevant WorkCover industry classifications in Schedule 9.

Accident Compensation (WorkCover Insurance) Act 1993

WORKCOVER INSURANCE PREMIUMS ORDER (NO. 6) 1998/99

Under and for the purposes of clause 8(4) of the WorkCover Insurance Premiums Order (No. 6) 1998/99, the Victorian WorkCover Authority has determined that the value of F_R , for the purposes of calculating any adjusted premium payable after the policy period has expired where the policy period expired at 4.00 p.m. on 30 June 1999, is 1.000000.

Road Transport (Dangerous Goods) Act 1995

ROAD TRANSPORT REFORM (DANGEROUS GOODS) ACT 1995 OF THE COMMONWEALTH

Appointment of Authorised Officer

The Victorian WorkCover Authority, a Competent Authority within the meaning of section 13 of the Road Transport Reform (Dangerous Goods) Act 1995 of the Commonwealth, applying as a law of Victoria by virtue of section 5 of the Road Transport (Dangerous Goods) Act 1995, under section 14 of the Road Transport Reform (Dangerous Goods) Act 1995 of the Commonwealth, similarly applying as a law of Victoria, appoints Barry Thomas Pratt to be an authorised officer.

This appointment to be an authorised officer is subject to the restriction that the power to serve an infringement notice under regulation 21.1 of the Road Transport Reform (Dangerous Goods) Regulations of the Commonwealth is not exercisable by the officer.

Dated the 25th day of June 1999

The COMMON SEAL of the)
VICTORIAN WORKCOVER)
AUTHORITY)
was hereunto duly affixed in) (L.S.)
accordance with section 18 of the)
Accident Compensation Act 1985)
in the presence of:)

ROBERT R. OFFICER
Director
ANDREW LINDBERG
Director

Accident Compensation Act 1985**NOTICE OF INDEXED BENEFIT LEVELS AND OTHER AMOUNTS IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 100 OF THE ACCIDENT COMPENSATION ACT 1985**

Section 100 (1) of the **Accident Compensation Act 1985** stipulates that amounts in Part IV and in Section 5A of the Act are varied on 1 July each year in line with the movement in the average weekly earnings for all employees in Victoria between the two previous December quarters, using the latest figures published by the Australian Statistician as at 30 May following the previous December quarter. Weekly payments are indexed on the anniversary of the entitlement to weekly payments as detailed in Section 100(2) of the Act.

The average weekly earnings for all employees in Victoria between the December quarter of 1997 and the December quarter 1998 increased from \$600.60 to \$602.40 which is an increase of 0.3%.

Following legislative changes in December 1997 some sections are indexed by the rise in Consumer Price Index (CPI). The CPI between the December quarter of 1996 and the December quarter of 1997 decreased by 0.08% but, in accordance with the legislation, the amount remained the same. The CPI between the December quarter of 1997 and the December quarter of 1998 increased from 119.8 to 120.8 which is an increase of 0.8%. The rates applicable from 1st July 1999 has taken into account the negative movement.

Section	Provision	Rate before 1 July 99	Rate from 1 July 99
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COMPENSATION FOR DEATH OF A WORKER (CPI)**Revised compensation for death of worke**

92A(4)	For a dependent spouse or spouses in equal shares	\$175,000	\$176,310
92A(5)	For an orphan child or orphan children in equal shares	\$175,000	\$176,310
92A(6)(a)	For a dependent spouse(s) where there is one dependent child	\$157,000	\$158,180
92A(6)(b)	For the dependent child	\$17,500	\$17,640
92A(7)	For a dependent spouse(s) where there are more than one dependent child but not more than 5 dependent children payable in the following shares: total amount of	\$175,000	\$176,310
92A(7)(a)	To each dependent child	\$8,750	\$8,810
92A(7)(b)	To spouse/spouses	Balance	Balance
92A(8)	For a dependent spouse(s) where there is more than 5 dependent children payable in the following shares: total amount of	\$175,000	\$176,310
92A(8)(a)	To spouse/spouses	\$131,250	\$132,230
92A(8)(b)	To each dependent child in equal shares	\$43,750	\$44,070
92A(9)	Maximum lump sum for any other dependants if no dependent spouse or dependent child	\$175,000	\$176,310

WEEKLY PENSIONS FOR DEPENDENTS OF WORKER WHO DIES (AWE)**During the first 13 weeks**

92B(3)(a)(ii)	Maximum weekly pension for a dependent spouse	\$884	\$887
92B(4)(a)(ii)	Maximum weekly pension for 2 or more dependent spouses in equal shares	\$884	\$887

Section	Provision	Rate before 1 July 99	Rate from 1 July 99
92B(5)(a)(ii)	Maximum weekly pension for one orphan child	\$884	\$887
92B(6)(a)(ii)	Maximum weekly pension for 2 or more orphan children in equal shares	\$884	\$887
	After first 13 weeks until the end of 3 years		
92B(3)(b)(i)	Maximum weekly pension for a dependent spouse	\$884	\$887
92B(3)(b)(ii)	Weekly pension calculation for a dependent spouse where there are not more than 5 dependent children and overall cap applies	\$884	\$887
92B(3)(b)(iii)	Weekly pension for a dependent spouse where there are more than 5 dependent children and overall cap applies	\$590	\$592
92B(4)(b)(i)	Maximum weekly pension for 2 or more dependent spouses in equal shares	\$884	\$887
92B(4)(b)(ii)	Weekly pension calculation for 2 or more dependent spouses, where there are not more than 5 dependent children and overall cap applies	\$884	\$887
92B(4)(b)(iii)	Weekly pension for 2 or more dependent spouses, where there are more than 5 dependent children and overall cap applies in equal shares	\$590	\$592
	After first 13 weeks until child ceases to be eligible		
92B(5)(b)(ii)	Maximum weekly pension for one orphan child	\$884	\$887
92B(6)(b)(ii)	Maximum weekly pension for 2 or more orphan children in equal shares	\$884	\$887
92B(7)(b)	Weekly pension calculation for each dependent child where there are not more than 5 dependent children and overall cap applies	\$884	\$887
92B(8)(b)	Weekly pension for dependent children where there are more than 5 dependent children and overall cap applies in equal shares	\$294	\$295
92B(11)	Total amount of weekly pensions	\$884	\$887

WEEKLY PAYMENTS (AWE)

	First 26 weeks incapacity		
	Where worker has no current work capacity		
93A(2)(a)(ii)	Maximum weekly payment	\$707	\$709
	Where worker has a current work capacity		
93A(2)(b)(ii)	Maximum weekly payments - less notional earnings	\$707	\$709
	After 26 weeks incapacity		
	Worker has a serious injury		
93B(1)(a)(ii)	Maximum weekly payment is - less 90% of notional earnings	\$707	\$709
	Worker does not have a serious injury but has no current work capacity		
93B(1)(b)(ii)	Maximum weekly payments	\$707	\$709

Section	Provision	Rate before 1 July 99	Rate from 1 July 99
Worker does not have a serious injury but has a current work capacity			
93B(1)(c)(ii)	Maximum weekly payment is - less 60% of notional earnings	\$424	\$425
GRANDFATHER PROVISIONS (AWE)			
93C(5)(c)(iii)	Minimum earnings for a worker who has a current work capacity after 104 weeks of payments	\$104	\$104
93C(11)(b)(iii)	Minimum earnings for a worker who has a current work capacity after 104 weeks of payments	\$104	\$104
WEEKLY PAYMENTS (AWE)			
Weekly payments for First Entitlement Period (first 13 weeks)			
93CA(2)(a)(ii)	Maximum weekly payment where worker has no current work capacity	\$884	\$887
93CA(2)(b)(ii)	Maximum weekly payment where worker has a current work capacity - less notional earnings	\$884	\$887
Weekly payments for Second Entitlement Period (13-104 weeks)			
93CB(2)(a)(ii)	Maximum weekly payment where worker has no current work capacity	\$884	\$887
93CB(2)(b)(ii)	Maximum weekly payment where worker has a current work capacity - less 60% of notional earnings	\$530	\$532
Weekly payment after the expiry of the second entitlement period			
93CC(2)(b)	Maximum weekly payment where worker has been assessed as having no current work capacity and likely to continue indefinitely to have no current work capacity	\$884	\$887
93CD(3)(a)	Minimum earnings for a worker who has returned to work	\$104	\$104
93CD(5)(b)	Maximum weekly payment where Authority or self-insurer has made a determination - less 60% of worker's current weekly earnings	\$530	\$532
COMPENSATION FOR NON-ECONOMIC LOSS (CPI)			
Permanent Impairment - Calculations of Amounts of Non-economic Loss			
98C(2)(b)	Where worker's degree of impairment is not less than 10% and not more than 30%	\$5,000 \$2,000	\$5,040 \$2,020
98C(2)(c)	Where worker's degree of impairment is more than 30% and not more than 70%	\$45,000 \$3,250	\$45,340 \$3,280
98C(2)(d)	Where worker's degree of impairment is more than 70% and not more than 80%	\$175,000 \$12,500	\$176,310 \$12,590
98C(2)(e)	Where worker's degree of impairment is more than 80%	\$300,000	\$302,250
Psychiatric Impairment - Calculations of Amounts of Non-economic Loss			
98C(3)(b)	Where worker's degree of impairment is not less than 30%	\$10,000	\$10,070

Section	Provision	Rate before 1 July 99	Rate from 1 July 99
	and not more than 50%	\$3,250	\$3,280
98C(3)(c)	Where worker's degree of impairment is not less than 50% and not more than 70%	\$75,000 \$5,000	\$75,570 \$5,040
98C(3)(d)	Where worker's degree of impairment is not less than 70% and not more than 80%	\$175,000 \$12,500	\$176,310 \$12,590
98C(3)(e)	Where worker's degree of impairment is more than 80%	\$300,000	\$302,250
	Other non-economic loss		
98C(4)	Loss of a foetus or loss of more than one foetus	\$45,000	\$45,340
98C(7)	Maximum amount of compensation for more than one injury suffered on the same occasion	\$300,000	\$302,250
98C(8)	Maximum amount of compensation for more than one kind of non-economic loss for the same injury	\$300,000	\$302,250

NO DISADVANTAGE - COMPENSATION TABLE (AWE)

98E	Total loss of the sight of both eyes	\$167,850	\$168,350
	Total loss of the sight of an only eye	\$167,850	\$168,350
	Loss of both hands	\$167,850	\$168,350
	Loss of both feet	\$167,850	\$168,350
	Loss of a hand and a foot	\$167,850	\$168,350
	Total loss of the right arm or of the greater part of the right arm	\$134,280	\$134,680
	Total loss of the left arm or of the greater part of the left arm	\$125,880	\$126,260
	Total loss of the right hand or of five fingers of the right hand, or of the lower part of the right arm	\$117,490	\$117,840
	Total loss of the left hand or of five fingers of the left hand, or of the lower part of the left arm	\$109,100	\$109,430
	Total loss of a leg	\$125,880	\$126,260
	Total loss of a foot	\$109,100	\$109,430
	Total loss of the lower part of the leg	\$117,490	\$117,840
	Total loss of the sight of one eye, together with the serious diminution of the sight of the other eye	\$125,880	\$126,260
	Total loss of hearing	\$109,100	\$109,430
	Total loss of the sight of one eye	\$67,140	\$67,340
	Loss of binocular vision	\$67,140	\$67,340
	Loss of eyeball (in addition to compensation for loss of sight of an eye)	\$36,930	\$37,040
	Total loss of power of speech	\$100,710	\$101,010
	Total loss of sense of taste or smell	\$28,530	\$28,620
	Total loss of senses of both taste and smell	\$57,070	\$57,240
	Total loss of male sexual organs	\$78,890	\$79,130

Section	Provision	Rate before 1 July 99	Rate from 1 July 99
	Total loss of penis	\$78,890	\$79,130
	Total loss of one testicle	\$16,780	\$16,830
	Total loss of two testicles or an only testicle	\$78,890	\$79,130
	Total loss of female sexual organs	\$78,890	\$79,130
	Total loss of both breasts	\$78,890	\$79,130
	Total loss of one breast	\$50,350	\$50,500
	Total loss of the thumb of the right hand	\$50,350	\$50,500
	Total loss of the thumb of the left hand	\$43,640	\$43,770
	Total loss of the forefinger of the right hand	\$35,250	\$35,360
	Total loss of the forefinger of the left hand	\$30,210	\$30,300
	Total loss of two joints of the forefinger of the right hand	\$26,850	\$26,930
	Total loss of two joints of the forefinger of the left hand	\$20,140	\$20,200
	Total loss of a joint of the thumb	\$26,850	\$26,930
	Total loss of the first joint of the forefinger of the right hand	\$16,780	\$16,830
	Total loss of the first joint of the forefinger of the left hand	\$15,110	\$15,160
	Total loss of the first joint of the middle or little or ring finger of either hand	\$10,070	\$10,100
	Total loss of the middle finger of either hand	\$20,140	\$20,200
	Total loss of the little or ring finger of either hand	\$18,460	\$18,520
	Total loss of two joints of the middle finger of either hand	\$16,780	\$16,830
	Total loss of two joints of the little or ring finger of either hand	\$15,110	\$15,160
	Total loss of the great toe of either foot	\$36,930	\$37,040
	Total loss of a joint of the great toe of either foot	\$16,780	\$16,830
	Total loss of any other toe	\$10,070	\$10,100
	Total loss of a joint of any other toe	\$3,360	\$3,370
	Quadriplegia	\$167,850	\$168,350
	Paraplegia	\$167,850	\$168,350
	Total impairment of spine	\$167,850	\$168,350

MEDICAL AND LIKE SERVICES (CPI)
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99(1)(aa)	Maximum Family Counselling expenses	\$1,570	\$1,580
99(5)	Employer's Liability	\$426	\$430
125(1)(a)(iii)	Employer's initial liability for medical and like services	\$426	\$430
125A(3)(c)	Employer's initial liability for medical and like services	\$426	\$430

LIABILITY OF PRIOR INSURER (AWE)

129B (7)	Minimum payments for contribution injury	\$8,800	\$8,830
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ACTIONS FOR DAMAGES			
Pecuniary Loss (AWE)			
135A(7)(a)(i)	Threshold	\$35,020	\$35,120
135A(7)(a)(ii)	Maximum	\$788,250	\$790,610
Pain and Suffering (CPI)			
135A(7)(b)(i)	Threshold	\$33,670	\$33,920
135A(7)(b)(ii)	Maximum	\$341,640	\$344,210
Damages under Part III of the Wrongs Act 1958 (AWE)			
135C(2)	Death of a person	\$520,000	\$521,560
PRE-INJURY AVERAGE WEEKLY EARNINGS (AWE)			
5A (8)	Where no rate applicable	\$884	\$887
5A(9)(b)	Deemed Pre-injury Average Weekly Earnings for a full-time student at time of completion of course	\$884	\$887
5A(11)(b)	Deemed Pre-injury Average Weekly earnings for a full-time student at a primary or secondary school at time of completion of secondary school	\$707	\$709

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