

Work Injury Compensation (Saving and Transitional Provisions) Regulations 2020

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**WORK INJURY COMPENSATION ACT 2019
(ACT 27 OF 2019)**

**WORK INJURY COMPENSATION
(SAVING AND TRANSITIONAL PROVISIONS)
REGULATIONS 2020**

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 84(5) of the Work Injury Compensation Act 2019, the Minister for Manpower makes the following Regulations:

Citation and commencement

1. These Regulations are the Work Injury Compensation (Saving and Transitional Provisions) Regulations 2020 and come into operation on 1 September 2020.

Definitions

2. In these Regulations —

“deemed approved policy” means an insurance policy that is deemed to be an approved policy under regulation 3;

“interim policy” means —

- (a) an approved policy for which the insurance cover commences before 1 January 2021 and ends before 1 January 2022; or
- (b) a deemed approved policy;

“licensed insurer” means a licensed insurer under the Insurance Act (Cap. 142), whether or not designated under section 31 of the Act.

Deemed approved policy

3. An insurance policy (not being an approved policy) that satisfies all of the following requirements is deemed to be an approved policy for the purposes of the Act:

- (a) the insurance policy is not subject to any conditions, exclusions or exceptions prohibited by regulations made under the repealed Act as in force immediately before 1 September 2020;
- (b) the insurance cover commences, on or after 1 September 2020 but before 1 January 2021;
- (c) the insurance cover of the insurance policy ends before 1 January 2022.

Deemed compliance with section 24(1) of Act

4. An employer is deemed to comply with section 24(1) of the Act during any period before 1 January 2022 when the employer insures and maintains insurance under one or more of the following policies with one or more designated insurers or licensed insurers (as the case may be) against all liabilities that the employer may incur under the Act in respect of every employee of the employer:

- (a) an approved policy provided by a designated insurer;