

**Central Provident Fund (MediShield Scheme) (Amendment No. 3) Regulations
2005**

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CENTRAL PROVIDENT FUND ACT

(CHAPTER 36)

CENTRAL PROVIDENT FUND (MEDISHIELD SCHEME) (AMENDMENT NO. 3)
REGULATIONS 2005

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 57 of the Central Provident Fund Act, the Minister for Manpower hereby makes the following Regulations:

Citation and commencement

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Central Provident Fund (MediShield Scheme) (Amendment No. 3) Regulations 2005 and shall come into operation on 1st January 2006.

Amendment of regulation 2

2. Regulation 2 of the Central Provident Fund (MediShield Scheme) Regulations 2005 (G.N. No. S 427/2005) (referred to in these Regulations as the principal Regulations) is amended by deleting paragraph (d) of the definition of “insured out-patient medical treatment” and substituting the following paragraph:

“(d) administration of immunosuppressants for organ transplant;”.

Amendment of regulation 3

3. Regulation 3 of the principal Regulations is amended by deleting the words “80 years” in paragraphs (1) (a) and (2) and substituting in each case the words “85 years”.

Amendment of regulation 6

4. Regulation 6 of the principal Regulations is amended —

- (a) by deleting the words “1st December 2001” in paragraph (2)(a) and substituting the words “1st January 2006”;
- (b) by deleting the words “75 years” in paragraph (2)(b) and substituting the words “80 years”;
- (c) by inserting, immediately after paragraph (4), the following paragraphs:

“(4A) Every person —

- (a) who was insured under the Scheme in this Division, or in Division 3 in force immediately before 1st October 2005; and
- (b) whose insurance cover had expired on the ground that he had attained the age of 80 years on or after

1st December 2001 but before 1st January 2006,

may apply to the Board to be issued with a new cover under the Scheme in this Division.

(4B) The Board may approve any application under paragraph (4A) subject to such terms and conditions as the Board may impose.”; and

(d) by inserting, immediately after the words “paragraph (4)” in paragraph (5), the words “or (4A)”.

Amendment of regulation 8

5. Regulation 8 (1) of the principal Regulations is amended by deleting the words “Part I or II” in sub-paragraph (a) and substituting the words “Part I, II or III”.

Amendment of regulation 9

6. Regulation 9 (1) of the principal Regulations is amended by deleting the words “(2) or (4)” in sub-paragraph (b) and substituting the words “(2), (4) or (4A)”.

Amendment of regulation 10

7. Regulation 10 of the principal Regulations is amended —

- (a) by deleting the word “and” at the end of paragraph (2)(a);
- (b) by deleting the full-stop at the end of sub-paragraph (b) of paragraph (2) and substituting the word “; and”, and by inserting immediately thereafter the following sub-paragraph:

“(c) in the case of a person insured pursuant to regulation 6 (4A), any previous claim made under his expired insurance cover under the Scheme in this Division, or in Division 3 in force immediately before 1st October 2005 since the date of commencement of the insurance cover.”; and

- (c) by deleting the words “Part I, II or III” in paragraph (13) and substituting the words “Part I, II, III or IV”.

Amendment of regulation 21

8. Regulation 21 (1) of the principal Regulations is amended by deleting the words “Part I or II” and substituting the words “Part I, II or III”.

Amendment of First Schedule

9. Item (1) in the First Schedule to the principal Regulations is amended —
- (a) by inserting, immediately after the words “regulation 6 (4)” in paragraph (c)(ii), the words “or (4A)”; and
 - (b) by inserting, immediately after the word “Scheme” in paragraph (c)(ii), the words “(except where otherwise allowed by the Board)”.

Amendment of Second Schedule

10. The Second Schedule to the principal Regulations is amended —
- (a) by inserting, immediately after the words “on or after 1st July 2005” in the heading of Part II, the words “but before 1st January 2006”; and
 - (b) by inserting, immediately after Part II, the following Part:

“PART III

TABLE SHOWING THE AMOUNT OF ANNUAL PREMIUM PAYABLE UNDER THE SCHEME

(For MediShield policies with policy year
commencing on or after 1st January 2006)

<i>Age Next Birthday Age Group (Years)</i>	<i>Premium Per Annum</i>	<i>MediShield</i>
Up to 30		\$30
31 – 40		\$40
41 – 50		\$80
51 – 60		\$160
61 – 65		\$225
66 – 70		\$265
71 – 73		\$335
74 – 75		\$375
76 – 78		\$420
79 – 80		\$510
81 – 83		\$600