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To : All CF Staff

CC : Chief Director Medical Benefits, Chief Directors: Provincial Operations, Chief Operations Officer (DEL), Chief Operations Officer (CF), Chief Financial Officer (CF), Director: ICT (CF), Chief Director: COID Services, Chief Information Officer, Chief Director Orthotics and Rehabilitation, Chief Director: Corporate Services (CF)

Communique on Compensation for Occupational Injuries and Diseases related to for COVID - 19

In terms of section 65 (1)(b) of the Compensation for Occupational Injuries and Diseases Act, an employees shall be entitled to the compensation provided for and prescribed in the Act if it is proved to the satisfaction of the Director General that the employee has contracted a disease that has arisen out of and in the course of his or her employment.

The Minister of Employment and Labour during press briefing on the 16 March 2020 reaffirmed this position.

The Compensation Fund is currently drafting a Directive that will be circulated soon to ensure that employers register any claims that may be related to COVID-19.

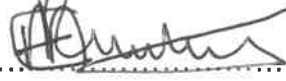
We will communicate the Directive by end of the week on 20th March 2020.



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Yours faithfully,


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Compensation Commissioner

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