THE WORKERS COMPENSATION ACT (C.C.S.M. c. W200)

Group Life Insurance Regulation

Regulation 187/2005

Registered December 22, 2005

Definitions

1 The following definitions apply in this regulation.

"Act" means The Workers Compensation Act.

"benefit" means the amount of life insurance payable on the death of an eligible worker.

"eligible worker" means a worker injured on or after January 1, 1992 who receives wage loss benefits under the Act for more than a total of 24 months, and who

- (a) is receiving, on the day of the worker's death, wage loss benefits; or
- (b) dies within 90 days after the last day on which the worker receives wage loss benefits.

Group life insurance plan continued

2 The group life insurance plan, established under the *Group Life Insurance Regulation*, Manitoba Regulation 12/94, is continued.

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Benefit amount

- **3** Subject to section 2, the benefit payable on the death of an eligible worker is
 - (a) the amount calculated by multiplying the amount payable under subclause 29(1)(a)(i) of the Act in the year the worker dies by 0.6, if the worker is survived by a dependant; or
 - (b) the amount payable under subsection 28(2) of the Act in the year the worker dies, if the worker is not survived by a dependant;

rounded to the nearest \$10.

Benefit is payable on death, regardless of cause

4 The benefit is payable upon the death of an eligible worker, however caused.

Benefit is payable to estate

5 A benefit payable under this regulation is payable to the estate of the deceased eligible worker on proof satisfactory to the board of his or her death.

Repeal

6 The *Group Life Insurance Regulation*, Manitoba Regulation 12/94, is repealed.

Coming into force

7 This regulation comes into force on January 1, 2006 or on the day it is registered under *The Regulations Act*, whichever is later.

November 30, 2005

THE WORKERS COMPENSATION BOARD:

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