

**WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION (BROKEN HILL)
AMENDMENT ACT.**

Act No. 32, 1953.

An Act to increase the rates of compensation payable under the Workmen's Compensation (Broken Hill) Act, 1920-1951; for this purpose to amend the said Act; and for purposes connected therewith. [Assented to, 15th December, 1953.]

Elizabeth II,
No. 32, 1953.

BE it enacted by the Queen's Most Excellent Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and Legislative Assembly of New South Wales in Parliament assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:—

1. (1) This Act may be cited as the "Workmen's Compensation (Broken Hill) Amendment Act, 1953." Short title, citation and commencement.
(2) The Workmen's Compensation (Broken Hill) Act, 1920, as amended by subsequent Acts and by this Act, may be cited as the Workmen's Compensation (Broken Hill) Act, 1920-1953.

(3) This Act shall be deemed to have commenced upon the twenty-ninth day of October, one thousand nine hundred and fifty-three.

2. (1) The Workmen's Compensation (Broken Hill) Act, 1920-1951, is amended by omitting subparagraph (b) of paragraph 6A of Part II of the Schedule and by inserting in lieu thereof the following subparagraph:— Amendment of Act No. 36, 1920, Schedule par. 6A.

(b) The additional amounts of compensation shall, subject to any deductions required to be made by subparagraph (c) of this paragraph, be as follows:—

	Per week.
	£ s. d.
(i) Single man or widower	4 0 0
(ii) Married man	4 0 0
Additional payment in respect of wife	1 10 0
(iii) Each widow until remarriage	2 10 0

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(2) The amendment made by subsection one of this section shall be deemed to extend to, and from the commencement of this Act apply in respect of all persons who were immediately before such commencement in receipt of compensation under the Workmen's Compensation (Broken Hill) Act, 1920-1951, as well as to the persons who become entitled to compensation thereunder after such commencement.

(3) (a) Notwithstanding anything contained in this section, any additional amount of compensation which is payable by virtue of the operation of this section in respect of any mine worker who was on or before the first day of May, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen, last employed by Amalgamated Zinc (De Bavay's) Limited, or by Sulphide Corporation, Limited, shall be paid by the joint committee out of the amount paid to the joint committee under paragraph twenty-two of the Schedule to the Workmen's Compensation (Broken Hill) Act, 1920-1951, by Amalgamated Zinc (De Bavay's) Limited, or by Sulphide Corporation, Limited, as the case may be.

(b) Any additional amount of compensation payable under the Workmen's Compensation (Broken Hill) Act, 1920-1951, as amended by this section, in respect of any such mine worker, shall, when the amount paid to the joint committee as referred to in paragraph (a) of this subsection is exhausted, be paid out of the fund established under Part III of the Schedule to the said Act.