

## Information Notice

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| <b>Act Title</b>          | <b>Accident Compensation Act 1985</b> |
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Section 99 of the **Accident Compensation Act 1985** was amended by section 52 of the **Accident Compensation Amendment Act 2010**, No. 9/2010. Section 52 is deemed to have come into operation on 3 December 2003.

Section 52 reads as follows:

### **52 Limits applying to contributions required towards supported accommodation costs**

- (1) After section 99(16A) of the **Accident Compensation Act 1985** insert—
  - "(16B) Despite subsection (15), the Governor in Council may, by Order published in the Government Gazette, fix limits in respect of contributions to be made by a worker towards the cost of supported accommodation.
  - (16C) An Order made under subsection (16B)—
    - (a) may fix limits that vary according to the type of supported accommodation in which the worker is residing;
    - (b) takes effect on the date on which the Order is published in the Government Gazette or, if a later date is specified in the Order, on that later date."
- (2) In section 99(17) of the **Accident Compensation Act 1985**, for paragraph (c) substitute—

"(c) who then resides in supported accommodation—".
- (3) After section 99(18) of the **Accident Compensation Act 1985** insert—

"(19) In this section—  
*supported accommodation* means—

  - (a) a residential facility in which residential care is provided under the Aged Care Act 1997 of the Commonwealth;
  - (b) a supported residential service within the meaning of section 3(1) of the **Health Services Act 1988**;
  - (c) a community residential unit within the meaning of section 3(1) of the **Disability Act 2006**;

(d) a group home or other residential facility approved by the Authority for the purposes of this section."