

CHAPTER 22. No. 15.

WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION (TRANSFER OF FUNDS).

AN ORDINANCE TO SUPPLEMENT THE WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION ORDINANCE, IN ORDER TO GIVE EFFECT TO A CERTAIN RESOLUTION ADOPTED BY AN IMPERIAL CONFERENCE HELD IN LONDON IN THE YEAR NINETEEN HUNDRED AND TWENTY-SIX.

Ordinance
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-1940.

[15th December, 1928.]

Commence-
ment.

WHEREAS at an Imperial Conference held in London in the year nineteen hundred and twenty-six, a resolution was adopted recommending that arrangements should be made between the different parts of the Empire whereby sums awarded under the law relating to workmen's compensation in one part of the Empire to beneficiaries resident or becoming resident in another part of the Empire may, at the request of the authority by which the award is made, be transferred to and administered by a competent authority in that part of the Empire in which such beneficiaries reside, and inviting the several Governments of the Empire to take such steps by way of legislation or otherwise as each may consider necessary and appropriate for the purpose of promoting such arrangements:

Be it therefore enacted, etc. . . .

1. This Ordinance may be cited as the Workmen's Compensation (Transfer of Funds) Ordinance, and shall be construed as one with the Workmen's Compensation Ordinance.

Short title
and con-
struction.

Interpreta-
tion.

2. For the purposes of this Ordinance " His Majesty's dominions " includes territories under His Majesty's protection and such, if any, of the territories in respect of which a mandate on behalf of the League of Nations has been accepted by His Majesty as His Majesty may by order in council direct shall be treated as if they were included in His Majesty's dominions for the purposes of the Workmen's Compensation (Transfer of Funds) Act, 1927, of the Imperial Parliament.

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funds.

3. For the purpose of giving effect to the resolution referred to in the preamble above, the Governor in Council may, subject to the approval of the Legislative Council, make regulations to provide, in the event of any such arrangement as is mentioned in the resolution adopted by the Imperial Conference held in London in 1926 being made between Great Britain and any other part of His Majesty's dominions—

(a) for the transfer, in such manner as may be provided by the arrangement, to the part of His Majesty's dominions with which the arrangement is made of any money paid to the Commissioner under the Workmen's Compensation Ordinance and regulations made thereunder, as applicable for the benefit of any person resident in or about to reside in the part of His Majesty's dominions with which the arrangement has been made;

(b) for the receipt and administration by the Commissioner of any money which under any such arrangement has been transmitted from the part of His Majesty's dominions with which the arrangement has been made as money applicable for the benefit of any person resident or about to reside in this Colony.