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**CENTRAL PROVIDENT FUND ACT  
(CHAPTER 36)**

**CENTRAL PROVIDENT FUND  
(REVISED WORKFARE INCOME SUPPLEMENT SCHEME)  
(AMENDMENT) REGULATIONS 2019**

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 57F of the Central Provident Fund Act, the Minister for Manpower makes the following Regulations:

**Citation and commencement**

1. These Regulations are the Central Provident Fund (Revised Workfare Income Supplement Scheme) (Amendment) Regulations 2019 and come into operation on 1 January 2020.

**Amendment of regulation 2**

2. Regulation 2 of the Central Provident Fund (Revised Workfare Income Supplement Scheme) Regulations 2016 (G.N. No. S 738/2016) (called in these Regulations the principal Regulations) is amended —

- (a) by inserting, immediately after the words “regulation 7” in the definition of “dual status eligible member”, the words “or 7A”; and
- (b) by inserting, immediately after the definition of “relevant year”, the following definition:

““self-employed contribution” means a contribution that a self-employed person is required to make to his or her account in the Fund under —

- (a) the Central Provident Fund  
(Self-Employed Persons)

Regulations (Rg 25) for a relevant year before 1 January 2020; or

- (b) section 9A of the Act read with those Regulations for a relevant year starting on or after 1 January 2020;”.

#### **Amendment of regulation 4**

3. Regulation 4 of the principal Regulations is amended by deleting the words “or 7” and substituting the words “, 7 or 7A”.

#### **Amendment of regulation 5**

4. Regulation 5 of the principal Regulations is amended —

- (a) by deleting sub-paragraphs (e) and (f) of paragraph (1) and substituting the following sub-paragraphs:

“(e) the member’s average monthly income earned in the relevant period is —

- (i) if the applicable year is 2017, 2018 or 2019 — not more than \$2,000; or

- (ii) if the applicable year is 2020 or any subsequent year — not more than \$2,300;

- (f) the member’s total monthly wages received for the relevant month from the member’s employer (or all of the member’s employers if the member has more than one employer) is —

- (i) if the applicable year is 2017, 2018 or 2019 — not more than \$2,000; or

- (ii) if the applicable year is 2020 or any subsequent year — not more than \$2,300;”;

- (b) by deleting the words “Third Schedule” in paragraph (3) and substituting the words “Third and Sixth Schedules”; and

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- (c) by inserting, immediately after the words “paragraph (1)(g)” in paragraph (4), the words “or regulation 7A(2)(h)”.

### **Amendment of regulation 6**

#### **5. Regulation 6 of the principal Regulations is amended —**

- (a) by deleting sub-paragraphs (g), (h), (i) and (j) of paragraph (1) and substituting the following sub-paragraphs:

“(g) the member’s declared income in the relevant year is —

(i) if the relevant year is 2017, 2018 or 2019 — not more than \$24,000; or

(ii) if the relevant year is 2020 or any subsequent year — not more than \$27,600;

(h) the member’s average monthly income earned during the relevant year is —

(i) if the relevant year is 2017, 2018 or 2019 — not more than \$2,000; or

(ii) if the relevant year is 2020 or any subsequent year — not more than \$2,300;

(i) the member pays every contribution that the member must pay in accordance with paragraph (3) —

(i) under the Central Provident Fund (Self-Employed Persons) Regulations for the relevant year 2017, 2018 or 2019 and each of the 2 years immediately preceding that relevant year; or

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- (ii) under section 9A of the Act for the relevant year 2020 or any subsequent relevant year;
  - (j) the member pays an additional contribution to the member's medisave account —
    - (i) for the relevant year 2017, 2018 or 2019 and each of the 2 years immediately preceding that relevant year; or
    - (ii) for the relevant year 2020 or any subsequent relevant year,in accordance with —
    - (iii) where the member's declared income in the relevant year is not more than \$6,000 — paragraphs (4), (5) and (6); or
    - (iv) where the member's declared income in the relevant year is more than \$6,000 — paragraphs (4) and (7);”;
  - (b) by deleting the words “Fourth Schedule” in paragraph (2) and substituting the words “Fourth and Seventh Schedules”;
  - (c) by deleting the words “paragraph (1)(j)(i)” in paragraph (5) and substituting the words “paragraph (1)(j)(iii)”;
  - (d) by inserting, immediately after the words “paragraph (1)(j)(i)” in paragraph (6), the words “and (iii)”;
  - (e) by deleting paragraph (7) and substituting the following paragraphs:
    - “(7) For the purposes of paragraph (1)(j)(iv), the additional contribution payable for each relevant year is —

(a) where  $A$  exceeds  $B$  — the amount determined in accordance with the formula  $A - B$  ; or

(b) where  $A$  does not exceed  $B$  — nil.

(8) In paragraph (7) —

(a)  $A$  is the amount that is applicable to the member as set out in the Second Schedule for the relevant year; and

(b)  $B$  is the amount of the self-employed contribution and estimated contribution (if any) required to be paid by or for the member for that relevant year.”.

### **Amendment of regulation 7**

6. Regulation 7 of the principal Regulations is amended —

(a) by deleting the words “a relevant year” in paragraph (1)(a) and substituting the words “the relevant year 2017, 2018 or 2019”; and

(b) by inserting, immediately after the word “year” in the regulation heading, the words “before 2020”.

### **New regulation 7A**

7. The principal Regulations are amended by inserting, immediately after regulation 7, the following regulation:

**“Eligibility criteria for member who was both employee and self-employed person in relevant year 2020 or later**

**7A.—(1)** A member who —

(a) worked as a self-employed person in the relevant year 2020 or any subsequent relevant year; and