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## Occupational Deafness (Compensation) Ordinance

## **Resolution of the Legislative Council**

Resolution made and passed by the Legislative Council under section 39(2) of the Occupational Deafness (Compensation) Ordinance (Cap. 469) on 3 April 2019.

**Resolved** that, with effect from 26 April 2019, the Occupational Deafness (Compensation) Ordinance (Cap. 469) be amended as set out in the Schedule.

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## **Schedule**

# Amendments to Occupational Deafness (Compensation) Ordinance

- 1. Schedule 5 amended (amount of compensation)
  - (1) Schedule 5, section 1(a)(ii)—

### Repeal

"\$464,360"

#### **Substitute**

"\$499,840".

(2) Schedule 5, section 1(b)—

## Repeal

"\$2,722,560"

#### Substitute

"\$2,930,880".

(3) Schedule 5, section 1(b)—

## Repeal

"\$2,041,920"

#### **Substitute**

"\$2,198,160".

(4) Schedule 5, section 1(b)—

## Repeal

"\$1,361,280"

#### Substitute

"\$1,465,440".

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## 2. Schedule 7 amended (limits of direct payment of expenses and reimbursement of expenses)

(1) Schedule 7, section 1—

Repeal

"\$16,470"

Substitute

"\$19,000".

(2) Schedule 7, section 2—

Repeal

"\$57,110"

**Substitute** 

"\$79,000".

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## **Explanatory Note**

This Resolution increases various amounts for calculating compensation under the Occupational Deafness (Compensation) Ordinance (Cap. 469), which involve—

- (a) the compensation for permanent incapacity and additional permanent incapacity; and
- (b) the expenses for acquiring, fitting, repairing and maintaining hearing assistive devices.