

EXCEPT AS PROVIDED IN SUBSECTIONS (C) AND (D) OF THIS SECTION, IF A COVERED EMPLOYEE IS AWARDED COMPENSATION FOR LESS THAN 75 WEEKS IN A CLAIM ARISING FROM EVENTS OCCURRING ON OR AFTER JANUARY 1, 1989, THE EMPLOYER OR ITS INSURER SHALL PAY THE COVERED EMPLOYEE COMPENSATION THAT EQUALS ONE-THIRD OF THE AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGE OF THE COVERED EMPLOYEE BUT DOES NOT EXCEED \$82.50.

(D) EXCEPTION FOR CERTAIN DISABILITIES.

IF A COVERED EMPLOYEE IS AWARDED COMPENSATION FOR LESS THAN 75 WEEKS FOR A DISABILITY LISTED IN § 9-627(B) OF THIS SUBTITLE, THE EMPLOYER OR ITS INSURER SHALL PAY THE COVERED EMPLOYEE WEEKLY COMPENSATION AT THE RATE SET FOR AN AWARD OF COMPENSATION FOR A PERIOD GREATER THAN OR EQUAL TO 75 WEEKS BUT LESS THAN 250 WEEKS UNDER § 9-629 OF THIS SUBTITLE.

(E) EXCEPTION FOR PUBLIC SAFETY EMPLOYEES.

IF A PUBLIC SAFETY EMPLOYEE IS AWARDED COMPENSATION FOR LESS THAN 75 WEEKS, THE EMPLOYER OR ITS INSURER SHALL PAY THE PUBLIC SAFETY EMPLOYEE COMPENSATION AT THE RATE SET FOR AN AWARD OF COMPENSATION FOR A PERIOD GREATER THAN OR EQUAL TO 75 WEEKS BUT LESS THAN 250 WEEKS UNDER § 9-629 OF THIS SUBTITLE.

REVISOR'S NOTE: This section is new language derived without substantive change from former Art. 101, §§ 36(3)(a)(i) and 67(16).

In subsection (a) of this section, the term "municipal corporation" is substituted for the former term "municipality", to conform to Md. Constitution, Art. XI-E.

In the introductory language of subsection (a)(2) of this section, the phrase "who is a covered employee under § 9-234 of this title" is substituted for the former phrase "unless otherwise excluded from workmen's compensation coverage under this article", for clarity.

In subsections (b) through (e) of this section, the reference to "the employer or its insurer" is added to clarify that the employer or its insurer is responsible for paying compensation under this title and to conform to other provisions of this subtitle.

Defined terms: "Compensation" § 9-101

"County" § 1-101 "Covered employee" § 9-101

9-629. COMPENSATION FOR PERIOD EQUAL TO OR GREATER THAN 75 WEEKS BUT LESS THAN 250 WEEKS.

IF A COVERED EMPLOYEE IS AWARDED COMPENSATION FOR A PERIOD EQUAL TO OR GREATER THAN 75 WEEKS BUT LESS THAN 250 WEEKS, THE EMPLOYER OR ITS INSURER SHALL PAY THE COVERED