

In subsection (c)(2) of this section, the former reference to "persons" to whom death benefits are paid is deleted as unnecessary in light of the reference to a "dependent" to whom death benefits are paid and subsection (c)(1) of this section, which required death benefits to be paid to "1 or more of the dependents".

Defined terms: "Commission" § 9-101

"Covered employee" § 9-101

9-684. LIABILITY WHEN NO DEPENDENTS.

IF THERE ARE NO DEPENDENTS, THE LIABILITY OF AN EMPLOYER OR ITS INSURER SHALL BE LIMITED TO:

(1) MEDICAL SERVICES OR TREATMENT UNDER PART IX OF THIS SUBTITLE;

(2) FUNERAL BENEFITS UNDER PART XIII OF THIS SUBTITLE;
AND

(3) ASSESSMENTS UNDER § 9-1008 OF THIS TITLE.

REVISOR'S NOTE: This section is new language derived without substantive change from former Art. 101, § 36(7)(f).

Items (1) and (2) of this section, are substituted for the former phrase "the expense provided for in § 37 hereof", to reflect the codification of the provisions of former Art. 101, § 37.

In item (3) of this section, the cross-reference to "§ 9-1008 of this title", which revises former Art. 101, § 91(g), is substituted for the former cross-reference to "[Art. 101,] § 91(c)", to correct an erroneous cross-reference. The cross-reference to former Art. 101, § 91(c) was added to § 36 by Ch. 117, Acts of 1978. That enactment also added subsection (c) to former Art. 101, § 91. Subsection (c) of former Art. 101, § 91 was changed to subsection (g) by Ch. 117, Acts of 1983. However, a corresponding change was not made in the cross-reference in former Art. 101, § 36.

9-685. SURVIVAL OF DEATH BENEFITS.

IF A DEPENDENT OF A COVERED EMPLOYEE DIES, THE RIGHT TO ANY DEATH BENEFIT THAT IS PAYABLE TO THE DEPENDENT AND UNPAID ON THE DATE OF DEATH OF THE DEPENDENT:

(1) SHALL SURVIVE AND BE VESTED IN THE SURVIVING DEPENDENTS OF THE COVERED EMPLOYEE, AS DETERMINED BY THE COMMISSION; AND

(2) IF THERE ARE NO SURVIVING DEPENDENTS OF THE COVERED EMPLOYEE, SHALL NOT SURVIVE.