WCL.2 – THE ACCIDENT REPORT

- (i) COMPLETION OF THE ACCIDENT REPORT (WCL.2)
- The details of the WCED (**The Employer**) (and not those of the school) must be supplied in Questions 1 to 11. Any missing information can result in the case being delayed.
- The registration number for WCED employees with regard to the reporting of a case is <u>1183/661/006X</u>. This number must be filled in on the document at all times as it represents the WCED as employer and enables the compensation commissioner to identify the cases.
- The above measures do not apply to persons employed by school governing bodies and therefore <u>under no circumstances</u> may the foregoing registration number be used in such cases.
- The employee who sustained the injury must answer Questions 12 to 62 in full in the presence of the **head of the institution** who must sign all WCL.2 forms. If these forms have not been completed fully, service delivery cannot be effective. All WCL.2 forms must be accompanied by a certified copy of the injured employee's identity document.
- All cases must be reported to the compensation commissioner by the WCED (The Employer) and not by the institution concerned. Paragraph A of the WCL.2 must therefore reflect the particulars of the WCED and not those of the school or institution.
- On receipt of the correctly completed WCL.2 form, this office will submit the case to the compensation commissioner for a ruling.





Department: Labour REPUBLIC OF SOUTH AFRICA

COMPENSATION FOR OCCUPATIONAL INJURIES AND DISEASES ACT, 1993

Section 6(A) – Annexure 13

EMPLOYER'S REPORT OF AN ACCIDENT

(For official use only)
Claim No.: Provincial Office
Date

DIRECTIONS FOR COMPLETING OF FORM BY EMPLOYER

This form must be completed:

- (1) Whenever an employee meets with an accident arising out of and in the course of his/her employment resulting a personal injury for which medical treatment is required, or death.
- (2) Whenever an employee reports any personal injury to his/her employer, if in making the report the employee alleges that such injury arose out of land in the course of his/her employment.

(Where the accident has caused death, unconsciousness or amputation or where the injured employee is presumed unable to work for a period of at least 14 days, the Provincial Executive Manager of Labour must ALSO be notified by telephone or fax, without delay).

- Step 1 Complete "Part A", page 1 of the form by giving full details, sign and date form where indicated.
- Step 2 Detach "Part B" (an automatic copy of "Part A", page 1) by tearing it at the perforation, hand "Part B" to the employee and request him/her to hand it to the medical practitioner/chiropractor or the hospital concerned. In serious cases "Part B" must be forwarded to the medical practitioner/chiropractor or the hospital without delay.
- Step 3 Complete "Part A", page 2 of the form by giving full details.
- Step 4 Forward the completed report of an accident together with a certified copy of the employee's ID and the First Medical Report (W.Cl.4) (If available) to:

N.B.:

- 1) Complete a separate form in respect of each injured employee.
- 2) This form must be delayed in expectation of the employee resuming employment or awaiting medical reports.
- 3) An employer who fails to report any accident within 7 days to the Compensation Commissioner on this form, shall be guilty of an offence in terms of the Compensation for Occupational Injuries and Disease Act, 1993 and may held liable for the full amount of compensation payable in respect of such accident.
- 4) An employer who fails to report accidents that have caused death, unconsciousness or amputation or cases where the injured employee is presumed unable to work for a period of at least fourteen days to the Provincial Executive Manager of Labour by telephone or fax, shall be guilty of an offence in terms of the occupational Health and Safety Act, 1993.
- 5) Use the appropriate form or the reporting of occupational diseases. (W.Cl.1).
- 6) If an injured employee should leave your employ, please keep record of the address where he/she can reached so that monies which might be payable to him/her from the Compensation Fund, can be sent to him/her with your assistance.
- 7) Minor injuries where no medical attention was required should not be reported, however a record should be kept of such injuries.

PART A PAGE 1 W.Cl.2

EMPLOYER'S REPORT OF AN ACCIDENT	(For official use only)
COMPENSATION FOR OCCUPATIONAL INJURIES AND DISEASES ACT, 1993 Section 6(A) (b) – Annexure 13	Claim No.: Provincial Office
Instructions: Complete the form in block letters and mark appropriate areas (X)	Date
DECLARATION BY EMPLOYER OR AUTHORISED PERSON	
I hereby declare that the particulars, shown in items 1 to 62 of this report, of an alleged injury on duty, a belief true and accurate.	re to the best of my knowledge and
Signed on this day of yearyear	
EMPLOYER	
1. Registered name with the Compensation Commissioner	
2. Registered number of this business with the Compensation Commissioner	
3. Contact person	
4. Street address	al code
6. Postal address 8. Tel.	no. ()
9.1 Fax no. ()	
9.2 E-mail address	
11. Nature of business, trade or industry	
EMPLOYEE (CERTIFIED COPY OF IDENTITY DOCUMENT TO BE ATTACHED)	
12. Is the injured person a working director working member of a CC owner of partner	in the business? Not applicable
13. Surname 14. First names	
15. ID no	x Male Female
18. Marital state Married Single 19. Citizen of	
20. Personnel no 21. Occupation	
22. Street address	al code
24. Postal address	al code
26. Tel. No. ()	
27. Period in your employ (years/months)	s) 0-13 days 14 & more
ACCIDENT	
29. Date of accident/	
31. Place of accident	
32.2 Province	
33. Date employee reported accident/	
35. What task was the employee performing at the time of the accident?	
36. Period of experience in the task performed (years/months)	
 Was his action at the time of the accident in connection with your trade or business? (If "no" state reasons on reverse side Part A page 3) 	YES NO
38. Short description of how the accident occurred. (ALSO mark the applicable items on the reverse s	ide of Part A Page 3 and use same
for a full description)	
(Refer the machine/process involved, whether the injured person fell or was struck and all the factors contributing to the	accident).
39. Was the accident a traffic accident on a public road?	YES NO
40. Nature of injury sustained (e.g. index finger of right hand crushed)	
Mark any of the following when applicable: Killed Am	putation Unconsciousness
41. Are you satisfied that the employee was injured in the manner alleged by him? YES	NO If not, give reasons.

PART A PAGE 2 MUST ALSO BE COMPLETED	PART	Α	PAGE	2	MUST	ALSO	BE	COMP	LE.	TED
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Emp	oloyer:	Date of accident:					
Emp	oloyee: Employee's ID	No:					
FUF	THER PARTICULARS OF EMPLOYEE						
42.	Earnings of employee at the time of accident: Attach copy of payslip as at time of accident.	R/Week	R/Month				
[Gross cash earnings: (Including average payments for overtime and/or						
	commission of a constant character)						
	Allowances of a recurrent nature:						
	a) Bonuses (i.e. 13th cheque)						
	b) Other allowances (specify nature)						
	Cash value of:						
	Free food						
	Free quarters						
	Other payment in kind (specify nature)						
43.	In terms of section 47 of the Act an employer is obliged to pay an employee full	l compensation for t	he first three mo	onths of absen	се		
44.	Are you prepared to make further compensation payments after the first three mo	onths from the date	of the accident?	YES N	10		
45.	If you have already paid cash (earnings) to the employee, state the total amount	nt R					
46.	For what period were such payments made? From//	То		/			
47.	Number of days per week worked by the employee						
48.	Date on which the employee ceased work due to accident//		49. Tin	ne			
50.	Did the employee complete his shift on the day that he ceased work?		YES	S NO]		
51.							
(If the employee will be off duty for an extended period, an interim Resumption Report (W.Cl.6) must be submitted monthly).							
53.	3. If the employee was killed in the accident, state name and address of dependant of the employee.						
FUF	THER PARTICULARS						
54.	Should the employee have any physical defect, have suffered from any serious	disease prior to the	e accident or ha	s previously			
	received compensation for permanent disablement, give full particulars.						
55.	Was first aid given in this case?		YES	S NO			
56.	State the name of the medical practitioner/chiropractor who treated the employ	ee			 		
57.	If the employee received treatment at a hospital, state name of hospital						
58.	Was the accident caused by the employee's: a) Deliberate non-compliance with	th directions?	YES	S NO			
	b) Reckless disregard of the terms of any law or statutory regulation designed	to ensure the safety	/				
	or health of employees or the prevention of accidents?		YES	S NO]		
	c) Action while under the influence of liquor or drugs?		YES	S NO	Ī		
	(N.B. If any reply is in affirmative, the employee must furnish an explanatory stathen be attached hereto together with your comments thereon).	atement which must	t				
59.	Name and address of anybody: a) Who witnessed the accident						
	b) Who was aware of the accident at the time						
60.	How many other employees were injured in the same accident?						
61.	If the accident was investigated by the SA Police, state name of Police Station						
62.	If motor vehicles were involved, furnish registration number/s.						

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Employer:	Date of	accident:						
Employee:								
 38. Continuation of point 38 of the previous page. Contributing factors/causes applicable. (Mark the applicable item/s at A and B). A)								
Defective plant	Railway	Explosions						
Defective machine	Building work	Rotating machine						
Unfavourable conditions of work	Electricity	Press/Rollers						
Fault of employer	Chemicals	Woodworking machine						
Fault of injured employee	Poisoning	Lifting machine						
Fault of supervisor	Burns	Hand tools						
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Other machinery (Specify):								
Any other contributing factors, not mentione								
The rest of this page may be used for any addition	onal details or comments regarding the acci	dent.						

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		(For official use only)
	PLOYER'S REPORT OF AN ACCIDENT	Claim No.:
	MPENSATION FOR OCCUPATIONAL INJURIES AND DISEASES ACT, 1993 on 6(A) (b) – Annexure 13	Provincial Office
	uctions: aplete the form in block letters and mark appropriate areas (X)	Date
I her	CLARATION BY EMPLOYER OR AUTHORISED PERSON eby declare that the particulars, shown in items 1 to 62 of this report, of an alleged injury on duty, are if true and accurate.	e to the best of my knowledge and
Sign	ed on this20	
EMP	PLOYER	
1.	Registered name with the Compensation Commissioner	
2.	Registered number of this business with the Compensation Commissioner	
3.	Contact person	
4.	Street address	Il code
6.	Postal address	0. ()
9.1	Fax no. ()	
9.2	E-mail address	
11.	Nature of business, trade or industry	
EMP	LOYEE (CERTIFIED COPY OF IDENTITY DOCUMENT TO BE ATTACHED)	
12.	Is the injured person a working director working member of a CC owner of partner in	n the business? Not applicable
13.	Surname 14. First names	
15.	ID no 16. Date of birth/ 17. Sex	Male Female
18.	Marital state Married Single 19. Citizen of	
20.	Personnel no 21. Occupation	
22.	Street address	code
24.	Postal address	code
26.	Tel. No. ()	
27.	Period in your employ (years/months)) 0-13 days 14 & more
ACC	IDENT	
29.	Date of accident/	
31.	Place of accident	
32.2	Province	
33.	Date employee reported accident/	
35.	What task was the employee performing at the time of the accident?	
36.	Period of experience in the task performed (years/months)//	
37.	Was his action at the time of the accident in connection with your trade or business? (If "no" state reasons on reverse side Part A page 3)	YES NO
38.	Short description of how the accident occurred. (ALSO mark the applicable items on the reverse side	de of Part A Page 3 and use same
	for a full description)	
	(Refer the machine/process involved, whether the injured person fell or was struck and all the factors contributing to the ad	cident).
39.	Was the accident a traffic accident on a public road?	YES NO
40.	Nature of injury sustained (e.g. index finger of right hand crushed)	
	Mark any of the following when applicable: Killed Amp	utation Unconsciousness
41.	Are you satisfied that the employee was injured in the manner alleged by him? YES N (If "no" state reasons on reverse side Part A page 3)	O If not, give reasons.

PART B PAGE 2

DIRECTIONS TO MEDICAL PRACTITIONER/CHIROPRACTOR/HOSPITAL

- Only the Compensation Commissioner shall decide whether liability in respect of an accident should be accepted in terms of the (a) provisions of the Act.
- If liability is not accepted by the Compensation Commissioner medical expenses cannot be paid from the Compensation Fund. (b)

Fax

(c) The FIRST MEDICAL REPORT (W.Cl.4) must be completed in *duplicate* and care must be taken to ensure that the full names of the employee and employer and the employee's ID number as shown on this form, appear thereon. The original must be sent to the employer as soon as possible whilst the duplicate must be kept by the medical practitioner/chiropractor or hospital together with this form.

(d) The medical practitioner/chiropractor or hospital must send a specified account to the employer. if the account is still unpaid after 2 months this form together with the duplicate FIRST MEDICAL REPORT (W.CI.4) and specified account must be sent under cover of an Enquiry Regarding Unpaid Account (W.Cl.20) to:

THE COMPENSATION COMMISSIONER **COMPENSATION HOUSE CNR. SOUTPANSBERG AND HAMILTON ROAD** P.O. BOX 955 PRETORIA 0001

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