

Amendment of Statement of Principles
concerning
MALIGNANT NEOPLASM OF THE LARYNX

ICD CODE: 161

Veterans' Entitlements Act 1986
subsection 196B(3)

The Repatriation Medical Authority amends, under subsection 196B(3) of the *Veterans' Entitlements Act 1986* (the Act), Instrument No.28 of 1995, (Statement of Principles concerning malignant neoplasm of the larynx, as amended by Instrument No.156 of 1995 and Instrument No.152 of 1996) by:

1. omitting the factor from paragraph 1(b), and replacing it with the following:
 - “(b) immersion in an atmosphere with a visible tobacco smoke haze in an enclosed space for:
 - (i) at least 20 hours per week over a period (or periods of time) totalling at least 12 years; or
 - (ii) at least 12 480 hours, being the equivalent total time of exposure,before the clinical onset of malignant neoplasm of the larynx; or”;
2. The amendments made by this instrument apply to all matters to which Instrument No.28 of 1995 and section 120B of the Act apply.

Dated this *Ninth* day of *December* 1996

The Common Seal of the)
Repatriation Medical Authority)
was affixed to this instrument)
in the presence of:)

KEN DONALD
CHAIRMAN