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TO: HOLDERS OF THE *ASSESSMENT MANUAL*

This update to the *Assessment Manual* contains amendments to the *Manual* implemented since Update 2017 – 2.

This update includes Consumer Price Index changes effective **January 1, 2018**:

- Appendix A

A summary of the amendments is attached and the amended pages are included as part of this package.

These amended pages or the complete manual are available at
http://www.worksafebc.com/regulation_and_policy/default.asp.

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Attachments

ASSESSMENT MANUAL

SUMMARY OF AMENDMENTS – Update 2018 – 1

Appendix A

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Consumer Price Index adjustments

APPENDIX “A”**AMOUNTS REFERRED TO IN POLICIES THAT ARE
ADJUSTED FROM TIME TO TIME****AP1-2-2 – Requesting a Variance from a General Exemption**

The minimum outstanding balance for the purpose of part (b) of the policy is \$100.00

AP1-2-3 – Personal Optional Protection

The minimum outstanding balance for the purpose of part (b) of the policy is \$100.00.

The Board has designated \$1,900 as the minimum amount for which Personal Optional Protection may be obtained under part (c) of the policy. This amount will be adjusted periodically to reflect the minimum wage rate for the Province of British Columbia.

AP1-38-6 – Maximum Wage

The maximum wage rate in 2017 is \$81,900 and in 2018 is \$82,700.00.

AP1-47-1 – Penalties

The percentage rate of penalty in effect under part (c) of this policy is 1%.

