

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, A.R.S. § 23-1041(E) directs the Industrial Commission of Arizona (“Commission”) to adopt, not later than August 1 of each calendar year, an amount that shall be the maximum average monthly wage under A.R.S. § 23-1041(D)(8) for the following calendar year; and

WHEREAS, A.R.S. § 23-1041(E) directs the Commission to adopt an amount that adjusts the amount from the prior year to reflect the annual percentage increase in the Bureau of Labor Statistics, *Employment Cost Index* for the prior calendar year. In applying the Bureau of Labor Statistics, *Employment Cost Index*, A.A.C. R20-5-165 mandates that the Commission use the specific index titled: *Employment Cost Index for Wages and Salaries, for Civilian Workers, by Occupational Group and Industry, All Workers*; and


WHEREAS, the Bureau of Labor Statistics, *Employment Cost Index for Wages and Salaries, for Civilian Workers, by Occupational Group and Industry, All Workers*, reflects a percentage increase of 2.5% for the twelve months ending in December 2017, which results in a \$115.65 increase to the maximum average monthly wage (from \$4,625.92 to \$4,741.57).


NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE INDUSTRIAL COMMISSION OF ARIZONA, in exercise of the foregoing authority, the Commission adopts the amount of **\$4,741.57** for the amount under A.R.S. § 23-1041(D)(8) for injuries that occur during calendar year 2019.


Dated this 28th day of June 2018.

APPROVED:

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