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temporarily or permanently, he shall be insured against the consequences of the accident in the manner and to the extent provided for in this Act...

(3) If it is ascertained that an insured person is suffering from any of the diseases specified in the Schedule below and he has been employed in one of the industries or processes indicated in the schedule opposite the disease in question, and if it can reasonably be assumed that the disease is due to his employment in the said industry or process, the disease and the consequences thereof shall give right to compensation in conformity with this Act...

2. Ministry of Social Affairs Notification No. 149 of the Act respecting insurance against the consequences of accidents. Dated 23 March 1948 — L.S., 1948 - Den. 1

[Revised Schedule]

Diseases	Occupations, industries and processes
Pulmonary diseases due to inhalation of stone dust and minerals.	All trades and employments covered by the Accident Insurance Act.

France

1. Act No. 46-2426 respecting the prevention of, and compensation for industrial accidents and occupational diseases. Dated 30 October 1946 — L.S., 1946 - Fr. 12

Part VI. Special Provisions Applying to Occupational Diseases.

70. Subject to the provisions of this Part, the provisions of this Act shall apply to diseases of an occupational origin...

71. Schedules appended to the public administrative regulations shall list the morbid symptoms of acute or chronic poisoning displayed by employees habitually exposed to the actions of the noxious substances mentioned in the said schedules, which shall contain by way of a guide a list of the principal processes involving the handling or use of the said substances. Such morbid symptoms shall be presumed to be of occupational origin...

2. Decree No. 46-2959 of 31 December 1946, to issue public administrative regulations under Act No. 46-2426 of 30 October 1946 respecting the prevention of, and payment of compensation for, industrial accidents and occupational diseases, as amended by Decree No. 50-1082 of 31 August 1950 and Decree No. 51-1215 of 3 October 1951

Journal officiel, 1 January 1947, p. 19. L.S., 1950 - Fr. 10-A. Journal officiel, 21 October 1951, p. 10587

132. The schedules contained in Article 71 of the Act of 30 October 1946 are annexed to the present Order.

25. Occupational Silicosis

Diseases caused by inhalation of dust containing free silica (SiO_2)

Period of liability for compensation: five years (subject to the provisions of the Decree provided for in section 75 of the Act of 30 October 1946)

Diseases produced by free silica dust	Operations liable to give rise to the diseases
Silicosis: pulmonary fibrosis due to inhalation of dust containing free silica, where there is radiological evidence accompanied by disorders (dyspnoea and frequently bronchorroea and cough) confirmed by functional examination of the respiratory tract. Cardiac complications: hyposystolia or asystolia caused by weakness of the right ventricle. Tuberculous complications: silicosis appearing in teleradiography by at least large-scale nodular mottling, complicated by pulmonary tuberculosis, confirmed bacteriologically.	Operations exposing the worker to the inhalation of dust containing free silica, in particular: drilling, cutting, extraction of ore or rock containing free silica; crushing, breaking, screening and handling of ore or rock containing free silica in a dry state; cutting and polishing of rock containing free silica; manufacture and handling of abrasives, cleaning-powders or other products containing free silica; manufacture of carborundum, glass, porcelain, faience, etc., and fireproof products;

Diseases produced by free silica dust	Operations liable to give rise to the disease
Non-tuberculous pulmonary complication: spontaneous pneumothorax.	work in foundries involving exposure to sand dust (stripping, fettling, cleaning of castings); dry-grinding, polishing, sharpening with wheels using free silica; sand-blasting or polishing.

30. Occupational Asbestosis

Diseases caused by inhalation of asbestos dust

Period of liability for compensation: five years (subject to the provisions of Decree 47-2201 of 17 November 1947...)

Diseases produced by asbestos dust	Occupations liable to give rise to the diseases
Asbestosis: broncho-pulmonary fibrosis due to the inhalation of asbestos dust, where there is radiological evidence accompanied by disorders (dyspnoea and cough) confirmed by functional tests of the respiratory system and the presence of asbestos bodies in the sputum. Cardiac complications: hyposystolia and asystolia due to right ventricular deficiency.	Work involving exposure to the inhalation of asbestos dust, in particular: drilling, cutting, extraction of ore or rock containing asbestos; crushing, breaking, screening or handling of ore or rock containing asbestos by dry methods; asbestos carding, spinning and weaving; application of asbestos by spray methods; handling of asbestos by dry methods in the following industries: (a) manufacture of asbestos cement; (b) manufacture of asbestos-rubber joints; (c) manufacture of friction and brake linings; (d) manufacture of asbestos cardboard and paper