

## Ordinary hours of work

1. Subject to this Chapter, an employer may not require or permit an employee to work more than—
  - a. 45 hours in any week; and
  - b. nine hours in any day if the employee works for five days or fewer in a week; or
  - c. eight hours in any day if the employee works on more than five days in a week.
2. An employee's ordinary hours of work in terms of subsection (1) may by agreement be extended by up to 15 minutes in a day but not more than 60 minutes in a week to enable an employee whose duties include serving members of the public to continue performing those duties after the completion of ordinary hours of work.
3. Schedule 1 establishes procedures for the progressive reduction of the maximum ordinary hours of work to a maximum of 40 ordinary hours of work per week and eight ordinary hours of work per day.