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Factories and Shops Acts.

## DETERMINATION OF THE HOSPITAL ATTENDANTS BOARD.

NOTE.—This Determination on the 16th September, 1926, applied to the following parts of Victoria, namely:—The Metropolitan District as defined in the Factories and Shops Acts; the cities of Ballarat, Bendigo, Geelong, Sandringham, and Warrnambool; the towns of Geelong West and Newtown and Chilwell; and the boroughs of Eaglehawk and Sebastopol.

IN accordance with the provisions of the Factories and Shops Acts, the Wages Board appointed "to determine the lowest prices or rates which may be paid to any person or persons or classes of persons (not including professional employees or nurses) employed in or about a hospital doing any kind of hospital work," has made the following Determination, namely:—

- (1) That on the 16th day of September, 1926, the last previous Determination shall be revoked and replaced by this Determination.
- (2)

Apprentices or Improvers.			Other Employees.				
WAGES PER WEEK OF 48 HOURS.			*WAGES.				
	Male Apprentices or Improvers.	Female Apprentices or Improvers.	*Within the Metropolitan District, the Cities of Geelong and Sandringham, and the Towns of Geelong West and Newtown and Chilwell.			Within the City of Warrnambool.	All other parts of Victoria where this Determination applies.
	s. d.	s. d.	Per week of 48 hours.	Per week of 48 hours.	Per week of 48 hours.	s. d.	
			<i>Males.</i>				
			s. d.	s. d.	s. d.		
			94 6	92 6	91 6		
			92 0	90 0	89 0		
			100 6	98 6	97 6		
			105 6	103 6	102 6		
			110 6	109 6	107 6		
			94 6	92 6	91 6		
			99 6	97 6	96 6		
			104 6	102 6	101 6		
			94 6	92 6	91 6		
			97 0	95 0	94 0		
			99 6	97 6	96 6		
			95 0	93 0	92 0		
			92 0	90 0	89 0		
			102 6	100 6	99 6		
			102 6	100 6	99 6		
			95 0	93 0	92 0		
			92 0	90 0	89 0		
			94 6	92 6	91 6		
			109 6	107 6	106 6		

PROPORTION (IN ANY PLACE).

*Apprentices.*

MALES.

One male apprentice to every three or fraction of three male workers receiving not less than 89s. per week of 48 hours.

\*The minimum wage where the employer boards and lodges the employee shall in the case of a male employee be 18s. per week less, and in the case of a female employee 16s. 6d. per week less.

DETERMINATION OF THE HOSPITAL ATTENDANTS BOARD—continued.

Apprentices or Improvers.	Other Employees.		
	Within the Metropolitan District, the Cities of Geelong and Sandringham, and the Towns of Geelong West and Newtown and Chilwell.	Within the City of Warrnambool.	All other parts of Victoria where this Determination applies.
PROPORTION (IN ANY PLACE)—continued.	* WAGES—continued.		
Apprentices—continued.	Males—continued.		
FEMALES.		Per week of 48 hours.	Per week of 48 hours.
One female apprentice to every three or fraction of three female workers receiving not less than 45s. per week of 48 hours.	Night porters .. .. .	s. d. 94 6	s. d. 92 6
	Recording attendants .. .. .	94 6	92 6
	Storemen in charge of one or more storemen or where there is only one employed ..	95 0	93 0
	Theatre attendants .. .. .	92 0	90 0
	X-ray attendants .. .. .	99 6	97 6
	Ward cleaners .. .. .	92 0	90 0
	All Others .. .. .	92 0	90 0
Improvers.	Females.		
MALES.	Clerks .. .. .	52 0	52 0
One male improver to every ten or fraction of ten male workers receiving not less than 89s. per week of 48 hours.	Telephonists .. .. .	54 6	54 6
	Stenographers and typists .. .. .	57 0	57 0
	Cooks in charge of—		
	One to three kitchen employees ..	55 0	55 0
	Four or more kitchen employees ..	59 6	59 6
	Other cooks—		
	1st year's experience as such ..	47 6	47 6
	2nd year's experience as such ..	49 6	49 6
	Thereafter .. .. .	51 6	51 6
	Housekeepers .. .. .	62 0	62 0
	Head laundresses in charge of—		
	One to three persons .. .. .	55 0	55 0
	Four or more persons .. .. .	59 6	59 6
	Washing machine hands .. .. .	62 0	62 0
	Other laundry hands—		
	1st year's experience as such ..	45 0	45 0
	2nd year's experience as such ..	47 0	47 0
	Thereafter .. .. .	49 0	49 0
	Seamstresses who cut out and fit garments ..	Per week of 44 hours. 57 0	Per week of 44 hours. 57 0
	Other seamstresses—		
	1st year's experience as such ..	45 0	45 0
	2nd year's experience as such ..	47 0	47 0
	Thereafter .. .. .	49 0	49 0
	All others—	Per week of 48 hours.	Per week of 48 hours.
	1st year's experience as such ..	45 0	45 0
	2nd year's experience as such ..	47 0	47 0
	Thereafter .. .. .	49 0	49 0

\* The minimum wage where the employer boards and lodges the employee shall in the case of a male employee be 18s. per week less and in the case of a female employee 16s. 6d. per week less.

(3) ALLOWANCES.—Persons (other than dressers) handling or dressing patients suffering from venereal diseases or patients qualified for admission to infectious diseases hospitals, or handling clothes (not previously disinfected) that are used on or worn by such patients, or handling microscopic slides in connexion with cases of an infectious nature, shall be paid 7s. 6d. per week in addition to the rates provided in Clause 2.

(4) OVERTIME.—For work done in excess of the maximum number of hours fixed as a week's work—Time and a half.

(5) SPECIAL RATES.—Time and a half shall be the rate for all work done on New Year's Day, Foundation Day (26th January), Good Friday, Easter Monday, Eight Hours Day (21st April), Anzac Day, King's Birthday, Christmas Day, and Boxing Day; but if any other day be by Act of Parliament or Proclamation substituted for any of the above-named holidays, the special rate shall only be payable for work done on the day so substituted.

(6) TERMINATION OF EMPLOYMENT.—Seven days' notice of termination of employment shall be given by either employer or worker.

SAMUEL MAUGER,  
Chairman.

F. A. MARZORINI,  
Secretary.

Melbourne, 2nd September, 1926.