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Factories and Shops Acts.

**DETERMINATION OF A WAGES BOARD ADJUSTED PURSUANT TO SECTION 21 OF THE
 FACTORIES AND SHOPS ACT 1934 (No. 4275).**

I, Raymond Henry Beers, Secretary for Labour, in pursuance of the powers conferred by the Factories and Shops Acts, hereby make and issue the following adjusted Determination of the Wages Board referred to hereunder showing adjusted rates and prices to operate from the beginning of the first pay period to commence in November, 1948.

Dated at Melbourne, this
 8th day of November, 1948.

RAY. H. BEERS,
 Secretary for Labour.

PAINTERS BOARD.

Clause 2 of Part I and clause 2 of Part II of the Determination made on the 13th July, 1948, and in force as from the beginning of the first pay period to commence in August, 1948, shall be replaced by the following clauses:—

PART I.

1. This Part applies only in respect of the employment of persons on the construction renovation alteration repair or demolition of buildings performed on the site thereof, and in particular it shall have no application—

- (i) to employment by an employer in any industry where the work performed by the employee is subsidiary or auxiliary to the chief and principal purpose and business of such industry; or
- (ii) to employment in workshops or joinery mills.

2. **WAGES.**

| (a) | | (b) | |
|-------------------------------|--------------------------------|-----------------------------|--------------------|
| Apprentices or Improvers. | | Other Employees. | |
| | Per week of 40 Hours. s. d. | | Per Hour. s. d. |
| 1st year's experience | 34 6 | All classes of work | 4 11 |
| 2nd | 46 6 | | 196 8 |
| 3rd | 64 0 | | |
| 4th | 89 6 | | |
| 5th | 117 0 | | |

PROPORTION (BY ANY EMPLOYER).

Apprentices.

One apprentice to every three journeymen or fraction of three journeymen employed.

In cases where not more than three journeymen are employed at the trades, a second apprentice may be employed on the completion, by the first apprentice, of the second year of his apprenticeship course.

** Improvers.*

One improver to three } workers receiv-
 Two improvers to six } ing not less
 Three improvers to twelve and there- } than 196s. 8d.
 after one additional improver to every } per week of 40
 twelve additional } hours.

* Note.—The employment, within the Metropolitan District, of any improver is illegal.

Leading Hand, i.e., a tradesman who is given responsibility of direction and supervision of the work by his employer or by his employer's responsible representative of not fewer than five tradesmen shall receive in addition to his ordinary wage, allowances as follows:—

- (a) If in charge of five tradesmen as aforesaid—1s. per day;
- (b) If in charge of more than five tradesmen as aforesaid, 1s. per day for being in charge of the first five tradesmen, plus an additional 1s. per day for each additional five, or fraction of five tradesmen in excess of such first five tradesmen.

