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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 February, 1948.

Dated at Melbourne, this
6th day of April, 1948.

RAY. H. BEERS,
Secretary for Labour.

BUTTER FACTORIES BOARD.

Clause 2 of the Determination published in *Government Gazette* No. 30 of the 2nd February, 1948, shall be replaced by the following clause:—

2.

APPRENTICES OR IMPROVERS.

JUVENILE WORKERS.

	Wages per Week.			Wages per Week.	
	Shift Workers.		Ordinary Workers.	Males.	Females.
	Where a Seven-day Week is Worked.	Where a Six-day Week is Worked.			
	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
Under 16 years .. ..	..	..	62 0	52 6	49 0
16-17 years .. ..	..	..	72 6	58 9	55 0
17-18 .. ..	..	..	81 9	72 6	61 3
18-19 "	107 0	102 6	92 6	79 9	71 6
19-20 "	118 6	114 9	104 6	93 6	78 6
20-21 "	126 0	122 6	112 9	107 0	86 9

PROPORTION (IN ANY PLACE).

Males.

One apprentice to every three or fraction of three workers receiving not less than 130s. per week.

One improver to every eight or fraction of eight workers receiving not less than 136s. per week.

Females.

One apprentice and one improver to every three or fraction of three workers receiving not less than 102s. 9d. per week.

OTHER EMPLOYEES.

	Wages per Week.		
	Shift Workers.		Ordinary Workers.
	Where a Seven-day Week is Worked.	Where a Six-day Week is Worked.	
	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
Cream grader	166 0	163 0	155 0
Milk grader	165 0	162 0	154 0
Milk or cream tester	165 0	162 0	154 0
Creamery manager	160 0	157 0	149 0
Milk or cream neutralizer	158 6	155 6	147 6
Foreman of shift or department or casein plant	160 0	157 0	149 0
Butter-maker	165 0	162 0	154 0
Re-worker and/or processor (not requiring a buttermaker's certificate)	150 0	147 0	139 0
Operators of any of the following machines, viz :—			
Separator	148 0	145 0	137 0
Pasteurizer evacuator, or deodorizer	148 0	145 0	137 0
Weighing machine	148 0	145 0	137 0
Filling machine for tinning of butter when butter has not been milled	150 0	147 0	139 0
Filling machine for tinning of butter when butter has been milled	149 0	146 0	138 0
Storeman or packer in butter canning establishments	149 0	146 0	138 0
Other storeman or packers	148 0	145 0	137 0
Casein-maker	161 0	158 0	150 0
Assistant to casein-maker, casein dryers, and millers	149 6	146 6	138 6
Cheese-maker	165 0	162 0	154 0
Assistant to cheese-maker	149 6	146 6	138 6
Cheese storehand	151 0	148 0	140 0
Male adult washing or sterilizing cans or bottles	148 0	145 0	137 0
Operator of a fork lift truck	150 0	147 0	139 0
All other adult males	147 0	144 0	136 0
All other adult females .. .. .	..	..	102 9

Clauses, other than clause 2 of the said Determination shall remain in force.