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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 August, 1948.

Dated at Melbourne, this  
28th day of July, 1948.

RAY. H. BEERS,  
Secretary for Labour.

### COMMERCIAL CLERKS BOARD.

Clause 2 of the Determination published in *Government Gazette* No 153 of 12th March, 1948, shall be replaced by the following clause.

2.

#### \* APPRENTICES OR IMPROVERS.

MALES.		FEMALES.			
Wages per Week.		Wages per Week.			
Age.		Age.	Apprentices.	Improvers.	
				Typists, Stenographers or Operators of Calculating, or Ledger- keeping Machines.	All Other Improvers.
	<i>s. d.</i>		<i>s. d.</i>	<i>s. d.</i>	<i>s. d.</i>
Under 16 years of age	.. .. 43 0	Under 16 years of age	.. 43 0	51 0	43 0
16 years of age	.. .. 54 0	16 years of age	.. 48 6	56 6	48 6
17 " "	.. .. 70 0	17 " "	.. 54 0	64 6	54 0
18 " "	.. .. 89 0	18 " "	.. 64 6	72 6	64 6
19 " "	.. .. 108 0	19 " "	.. 78 0	86 0	78 0
20 " "	.. .. 130 0	20 " "	.. 86 0	94 6	86 0

#### PROPORTION (IN ANY PLACE).

APPRENTICES.	IMPROVERS.
<p>One apprentice to every two or fraction of two workers receiving not less than the minimum wage. An indenture of apprenticeship prescribed by the Board was approved on 13th February, 1924.</p>	<p>One improver to one or two Two improvers to three or four Three improvers to five or six And thereafter one improver to every three or fraction of three</p>

} Workers receiving not less than minimum wage.

JUVENILE WORKERS OTHER THAN APPRENTICES AND IMPROVERS.

Female employees under the age of 21 years (other than apprentices or improvers) employed as telephone switchboard attendants.

	Wages per Week.	
	<i>s. d.</i>	
Under 16 years of age .. .. .	48	6
16 years of age .. .. .	51	0
17 " " .. .. .	59	6
18 " " .. .. .	70	0
19 " " .. .. .	81	0
20 " " .. .. .	91	6

\* NOTE.—The Board has determined that as from the 7th July, 1944, no apprentices shall be taken to the trade.

OTHER EMPLOYEES.

WAGES PER WEEK.

	Within a Radius of 25 Miles of the General Post Office, Melbourne, and within a Radius of 10 Miles of the Post Office, Geelong.		All Other Parts of Victoria.	
	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.
	<i>s. d.</i>	<i>s. d.</i>	<i>s. d.</i>	<i>s. d.</i>
Stenographers, typistes, or operators of calculating, or ledger-keeping machines .. .. .	150	105	147	98
Telephone switchboard attendants .. .. .	150	104	147	98
All other adults .. .. .	150	101	147	96

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