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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
28th day of October, 1948.

RAY. H. BEERS,
Secretary for Labour.

CEMENT ARTICLES BOARD.

Clause 2 of the Determination published in *Government Gazette* No. 29 of the 2nd February, 1948, shall be replaced by the following clause:—

2.				(b) OTHER EMPLOYEES.			
(a) APPRENTICES AND IMPROVERS.							
Wages per Week of 40 Hours.				Wages per Week of 40 Hours.			
	Adjustable Rate.	Plus War Loading (Non-adjustable).	Total Wage.		Adjustable Rate.	Plus War Loading (Non-adjustable).	Total Wage.
	<i>s. d.</i>	<i>s. d.</i>	<i>s. d.</i>		<i>s. d.</i>	<i>s. d.</i>	<i>s. d.</i>
Under 16 years of age ..	35 6	0 9	36 3	Moulders on centrifugal or vibrator pipe machines	141 0	3 0	147 0
" 17 "	47 3	1 0	48 3	<i>Group No. 2.</i>			
" 18 "	59 3	1 6	60 9	Man operating a machine mixing cement or concrete	140 0	3 0	143 0
" 19 "	74 3	1 9	76 0	Other moulders of cement or concrete articles, including operator of any machines not elsewhere included ..	140 0	3 0	143 0
" 20 "	85 9	2 0	87 9	Repairs or renderers of cement or concrete articles	140 0	3 0	143 0
" 21 "	99 0	2 3	101 3	Operator of machine making concrete or cinder-concrete blocks or bricks	140 0	3 0	143 0
				Crusher feeder or attendant where bricks are crushed	140 0	3 0	143 0
PROPORTION (in any Factory or Place).				<i>Group No. 3.</i>			
<i>Apprentices.</i>				Tile or ridge makers and the takers off of same	137 0	3 0	140 0
One apprentice to every three or fraction of three workers receiving not less than 135s. per week of 40 hours.				Other mixers of cement or concrete ..	137 0	3 0	140 0
An indenture of apprenticeship prescribed by the Board was approved on 30th July, 1930.				Mould assemblers	137 0	3 0	140 0
<i>Improvers.</i>				Operator of cement sprayer	137 0	3 0	140 0
Cement Tilemakers' Section.				Other crusher feeder or attendant or mill feeder or attendant or crusher screen attendant, other than persons engaged in crushing spalls ..	137 0	3 0	140 0
Three improvers to four workers			Receiving not less than 135s. per week of 40 hours.	Strippers	137 0	3 0	140 0
Four improvers to five or six workers				Pipe tester (i.e., person operating a pump or pressure apparatus) ..	137 0	3 0	140 0
Five improvers to seven workers				Employee carrying away from any concrete or cinder-concrete block or brick-making machine	137 0	3 0	140 0
Six improvers to eight workers, and thereafter one improver to every two workers ..				Where the load carried per man is of a greater average weight than 70 lb.:—			
				(a) Lumpers of cement or concrete articles (in and out of tanks) ..	137 0	3 0	140 0
				(b) Loaders, unloaders, or stackers (by hand) of cement or concrete articles	137 0	3 0	140 0
All Other Sections.				Truckers or stackers of concrete or cinder-concrete blocks or bricks ..	137 0	3 0	140 0
One improver to every three or fraction of three workers receiving not less than 135s. per week of 40 hours.				Persons fabricating or preparing reinforcements for portable concrete products	137 0	3 0	140 0
Apprentices and improvers operating a cement sprayer shall be paid 1s. 6d. per week extra in addition to the prescribed rate.				<i>Group No. 4.</i>			
				All others	132 0	3 0	135 0

NOTE.—"Renderer" means a skilled employee facing concrete articles with float and trowel. Clauses, other than clause 2, of the said Determination shall remain in force.

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