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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 May, 1949.

Dated at Melbourne, this
4th day of May, 1949.

RAY. H. BEERS,
Secretary for Labour.

CEMENT BOARD.

Clause 2 of the Determination made on the 6th April, 1949, and in force as from the beginning of the first pay period to commence on or after the 2nd March, 1949, shall be replaced by the following clause:—

2.

WAGES.

APPRENTICES AND IMPROVERS.

	CEMENT WORKS.			QUARRIES.		
	Wages per Week.			Wages per Week.		
	Adjustable Rate.	Plus War Loading (Non-adjustable).	Total Wage.	Adjustable Rate.	Plus War Loading (Non-adjustable).	Total Wage.
Under 16 years of age ..	<i>s. d.</i> 48 6	<i>s. d.</i> 2 0	<i>s. d.</i> 50 6	<i>s. d.</i> 56 0	<i>s. d.</i> 2 6	<i>s. d.</i> 58 6
" 17 " " ..	61 6	2 9	64 3	69 3	3 0	72 3
" 18 " " ..	71 3	3 3	74 6	80 6	3 6	84 0
" 19 " " ..	87 3	4 0	91 3	94 0	4 3	98 0
" 20 " " ..	99 3	4 3	103 6	106 3	4 9	111 0
" 21 " " ..	113 6	5 0	118 6	119 0	5 3	124 3

PROPORTION (in any factory or place).

Apprentices.

One apprentice to every three or fraction of three workers receiving not less than the minimum wage.

Improvers.

One improver to every five or fraction of five workers receiving not less than the minimum wage.

OTHER EMPLOYEES (MALES).

(a)	Cement Works.	Wages per Week.		
		Adjustable Rate.	Plus War Loading (Non-adjustable).	Total Wage.
		<i>s. d.</i>	<i>s. d.</i>	<i>s. d.</i>
	Cement Burner	154 0	6 0	160 0
	Tester on Slurry Controls	150 0	6 0	156 0
	Miller	148 3	6 0	154 3
	Coal Drier	148 3	6 0	154 3
	Potash plant attendant	148 3	6 0	154 3
	Loader in railway trucks at bagging sheds	152 0	6 0	158 0
	Machine Bag Filler	152 0	6 0	158 0
	Electrostatic Precipitator Attendant	145 6	6 0	151 6
	Pipe Line Attendant	138 6	6 0	144 6
	Slurry Tank Attendant	145 0	6 0	151 6
	Mammoth Crusher Attendant	148 6	6 0	154 6
	Truck Cleaner	136 0	6 0	142 0
	Cleaner (other)	134 0	6 0	140 0
	Truck Tarper	138 6	6 0	144 6
	Mill Room Helper	138 6	6 0	144 6
	Centrifuge Operator	141 0	6 0	147 0
	Potash Residue Attendant	141 0	6 0	147 0
	Experienced Factory Operative	138 6	6 0	144 6
	Train Attendant	143 0	6 0	149 0
	All others	131 0	6 0	137 0

Female testers on slurry controls shall be paid 54 per cent. of the gross male rate.

(b)	Quarries.	Adjustable Rate.	Wages per Week.	
			Plus War Loading (Non-adjustable).	Total Wage.
		<i>s. d.</i>	<i>s. d.</i>	<i>s. d.</i>
	Powder Monkey	161 6	6 0	167 6
	Jack Hammerman	161 6	6 0	167 6
	Platelayer	152 0	6 0	158 0
	Bankman	149 0	6 0	155 0
	Underground Drainer	187 6	6 0	193 6
	Underground Quarryman	165 6	6 0	171 6
	Pump Attendant	156 6	6 0	162 6
	Signal Attendant	146 6	6 0	152 6
	Leverman	143 0	6 0	149 0
	Dump Man	143 0	6 0	149 0
	String Puller	141 0	6 0	147 0
	Switch Attendant	141 0	6 0	147 0
	Dray Attendant	143 0	6 0	149 0
	All others	138 0	6 0	144 0

LEADING HANDS.

(c) In addition to the appropriate wages rate prescribed in sub-clauses (a) or (b) hereof a Leading Hand shall be entitled to the following allowance:—

If in charge of 4 or less men 1/- per day.
If in charge of 5 to 8 men 1/6 per day.
If in charge of 9 men or more 2/- per day.

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