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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, 1950.

Dated at Melbourne, this
28th day of February, 1950

RAY. H. BEERS,
Secretary for Labour.

CARPENTERS BOARD.

Clauses 2 and 27 (f) of the Determination published in *Government Gazette* No. 2, of the 3rd January, 1950, shall be replaced by the following clauses:—

2.

Wages.

Adult Employees (other than Apprentices).	Total Wage Payable—					
	Within 20 miles of G.P.O., Melbourne; 10 miles of G.P.O., Geelong; at Warramboul, and within Mildura and Gippeland Districts.		At Yallourn.		Other Parts of Victoria.	
	per week £ s. d.	per hour s. d.	per week £ s. d.	per hour s. d.	per week £ s. d.	per hour s. d.
(i) For stock work	8 10 0	4 7½	8 16 6	4 9½	8 7 0	4 6½
(ii) For shop work whether performed in shop or joinery mills or in a mixed enterprise	9 10 0	5 1½	9 16 6	5 3½	9 7 0	5 0½
(iii) For work of employees in a mixed enterprise	9 10 0	5 1½	9 16 6	5 3½	9 7 0	5 0½
(iv) For building construction work	9 15 6	5 3½	10 2 0	5 5½	9 12 6	5 2½

A casual hand (as defined) shall be paid an additional amount at the rate of 4d. per hour with a minimum payment as for two hours of employment.

27. (f) The minimum ordinary rates of payment to be paid by employers to apprentices shall be as follows:—

	Adjustable Wage	Loading	Total Wage
	Per Week.	Per Week.	Per Week.
	£ s. d.	s. d.	£ s. d.
1st year	1 18 6	2 8	2 1 2
2nd year	2 12 0	5 4	2 17 4
3rd year	3 11 0	8 0	3 19 0
4th year	5 0 6	10 8	5 11 2
5th year	6 11 0	13 4	7 4 4

The said minimum rates shall be calculated to the nearest 6d. per week, any fraction not exceeding 3d. to be disregarded. Clauses, other than clauses 2 and 27 (f), of the said Determination shall remain in force.

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