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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, Henry Norman Jones, Acting 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, 1951.

Dated at Melbourne, this
14th day of November, 1951.

H. N. JONES,
Acting Secretary for Labour.

TILE LAYERS BOARD.

Clauses 2 and 20 of the Determination published in *Government Gazette* No. 376 of the 5th April, 1951, shall be replaced by the following clauses:—

2.

WAGES.

Apprentices.			Other Employees.	
	Percentage of Basic Wage.	Per Week of 40 Hours.	Per Hour.	Per Week of 40 Hours.
		<i>s. d.</i>	<i>s. d.</i>	<i>£ s. d.</i>
1st year ..	27	53 6	Adults 7 0½ ..	14 2 6
2nd „ ..	41	81 6		
3rd „ ..	56	111 6		
4th „ ..	76	151 0		
5th „ ..	95	189 0		

PROPORTION (WITHIN ANY PLACE).
One apprentice to every three or fraction of three workers receiving not less than £14 2s. 6d. per week of 40 hours.
An indenture of apprenticeship has been prescribed by the Board.

PIECEWORK PRICES.

20. That the lowest piecework prices payable to any person engaged in the following kinds of work shall be:—

<i>Floor and Verandah Tiling.</i>	
Each area under 1 square yard	15s. 8d. per area
Under 3 square yards	20s. 0d. per square yard
3 square yards or over	18s. 1d. per square yard
Loose moravian	30s. per square yard
Steps of marble, slate, or material other than tiles with the risers	1s. 1d. per foot run respectively for each step fixed or rise tiled
Any step with nosing tread or inser tiles	7s. 11d. per foot run

All mosaic, ceramic, moravian mounted, or loose tiling shall be laid on properly screeded floors prepared by the builder, and to be not more than 1 inch from the finished surface.

<i>Wall Tiling.</i>	
Wall tiling	19s. 7d. per square yard
Kitchen stove recesses	26s. per square yard
Splash tiling under 1 square yard to basin and/or bath	26s. per room
Ceilings or offits	39s. 2d. per square yard
Liners, beads, covos, and capping	5d. per foot run in addition to full overall measurements
Where brickwork or concrete has to be cut out to allow recessed fitting to be laid	7s. 11d. per fitting
Soap and toilets with mitre surrounds	7s. 11d. each
Tiled recesses in walls up to 6 in. x 6 in. square	17s. 8d. each
Sills and reveals which occur in isolated cases	1s. 6d. per lineal foot in addition to overall measurements
Architraves and skirting	1s. 6d. per lineal foot in addition to overall measurements
Cutting on the rake to staircase dados	1s. per lineal foot

In opalite or other glass tiling, also any other matrix which may be used, all walls shall be prepared by being rendered up with a scratch coat ready for the tilelayer on which to start tiling, also all walls of this nature to be painted where necessary.

Open Joint Tiling.

Where tiles (other than tiles which by the nature of their manufacture form an open joint) are laid or fixed in any place whatsoever and spaced to a uniform open joint—

(a) where joints are bagged	1s. 11d. per yard	}	in addition to the rates fixed in this schedule for laying and fixing
(b) where joints are struck	6s. 10d. per yard		

Clauses, other than clauses 2 and 20, of the said Determination shall remain in force.