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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, 1951.

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

RAY. H. BEERS,
Secretary for Labour.

MEAT PRESERVERS BOARD.

Clause 2 of the Determination made on the 24th November, 1950, and in force as from the beginning of the first pay period to commence in December, 1950, shall be replaced by the following clause—

2.

WAGES PER WEEK.

APPRENTICES, IMPROVERS, AND JUVENILE WORKERS.

	Males.		Females.	
	Percentage of Basic Wage.	Wages.	Percentage of Female Basic Wage.	Wages.
	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
Under 16 years	72 0	122 6	72 0	92 0
16 years and under 17 years	80 0	136 0	80 0	102 0
17 years and under 18 years	90 0	153 0	90 0	114 6
18 years and under 19 years	100+2/-	172 0	100+1/6	129 0
19 years and under 20 years	100+17/6	187 6	100+13/-	140 6
20 years and under 21 years	100+40/6	210 6	100+32/6	160 0

PROPORTION OF APPRENTICES AND IMPROVERS.—MEAT PRESERVING SECTION.

Apprentices.

One male apprentice to every three or fraction of three male workers receiving not less than 234s. per week of 40 hours.

One female apprentice to every three or fraction of three female workers receiving not less than 175s. 9d. per week of 40 hours.

Improvers.

One male improver to every 25 or fraction of 25 male workers receiving not less than 234s. per week of 40 hours.

One female improver to every 25 or fraction of 25 female workers receiving not less than 175s. 9d. per week of 40 hours.

EGG PULPING OR DRYING SECTION.

Apprentices.

One male apprentice to every three or fraction of three male workers receiving not less than 234s. per week of 40 hours.

One female apprentice to every three or fraction of three female workers receiving not less than 175s. 9d. per week of 40 hours.

Improvers.

One male improver to every 25 or fraction of 25 male workers receiving not less than 234s. per week of 40 hours.

One female improver to every 25 or fraction of 25 female workers receiving not less than 175s. 9d. per week of 40 hours.

ALL OTHER SECTIONS.

Apprentices.

One male apprentice to every three or fraction of three male workers receiving not less than 235s. per week of 40 hours.

One female apprentice to every three or fraction of three female workers receiving not less than 175s. 9d. per week of 40 hours.

Improvers.

One male improver to every 25 or fraction of 25 male workers receiving not less than 235s. per week of 40 hours.

One female improver to every 25 or fraction of 25 female workers receiving not less than 175s. 9d. per week of 40 hours.

OTHER EMPLOYEES.

(a) MEAT PRESERVING SECTION.				(b) EGG PULPING OR DRYING SECTION.			
	Weekly Rate.	War Time Loading.	Total Weekly Wage.		Weekly Rate.	War Time Loading.	Total Weekly Wage.
	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.		s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
Leading hand, i.e., a person in charge of a department or shift	236 0	4 0	240 0	Spray operator	234 0	4 0	238 0
Assistant preserver	236 0	4 0	240 0	Filter (Chalaza)	233 0	4 0	237 0
Leading hand extract maker ..	240 0	4 0	244 0	Pump operator	231 0	4 0	235 0
Smoke kiln attendant- whilst employed solely as such ..	240 0	4 0	244 0	Furnaceman	231 0	4 0	235 0
Sausage smoke room attendant	235 0	4 0	239 0	Solderer and/or scaler ..	230 0	4 0	234 0
Retort Hand, i.e., a person who loads and unloads retorts ..	236 0	4 0	240 0	(For any time engaged soldering 80 lb tins additional payment of 3d. per hour or portion of an hour whilst so employed)			
Scalder or braiser	234 0	4 0	238 0	Storeman packer	230 0	4 0	234 0
Doughmaker	234 0	4 0	238 0	All others	230 0	4 0	234 0
Cappers, clinchers, and/or vacuum operators whilst employed-solely-as-such- ..	234 0	4 0	238 0	No junior male; excepting apprentices or improvers shall be engaged on any of the tasks set out in this clause.			
Lacquer hands (i.e., employees feeding into and/or taking off machine)	234 0	4 0	238 0	Adult females engaged— as egg crackers, as table hands, unpacking eggs; grading shelled eggs; washing containers	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
Soda wash hands whilst employed solely as such (i.e., employees feeding into and/or taking off machine)	234 0	4 0	238 0	No junior female except apprentices or improvers shall be engaged on any of the tasks set out in this clause.			175 9
Females engaged—							
Taking away from automatic stuffing machine	203 3	2 0	205 3	(c) ALL OTHER SECTIONS.			
Running sausage skins for canning purposes	189 6	2 0	191 6		Weekly Rate.	War Time Loading.	Total Weekly Wage.
Stamping, or branding					s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
Labelling, keying, wiping tins, and carrying off from filling table				Leading Hand, i.e., a person in charge of a Department or shift	237 0	4 0	241 0
Weighing, filling, emptying, stacking, capping, sealing, closing, opening, labelling, wrapping, packing, cleaning, or sterilizing tins, cartons, bottles, jars or moulds ..			175 9	Mixer	238 0	4 0	242 0
Preparing for, placing in, taking away from machines and placing in trays				Potman	238 0	4 0	242 0
Cutting Sausages				Females engaged—			
All others	230 0	4 0	234 0	Patting, wrapping, stamping, or branding			
				Labelling, wiping tins, and carrying off from filling tables			
				Filling, cleaning, weighing, stacking, sealing, closing, packing tins, jars, cartons or moulds			175 9
				Taking away from automatic machines			
				Wrapping premier jus for oleo presses			
				All others	231 0	4 0	235 0

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