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Factories and Shops Acts.

DETERMINATION OF THE FRUIT PACKING BOARD.

NOTE.—This Determination applies to the whole of the State of Victoria.

IN accordance with the provisions of the Factories and Shops Acts the Wages Board appointed "to determine the lowest prices or rates which may be paid to any persons or classes of persons (other than persons engaged in wholesale fruit stores within the metropolitan district) employed—

(a) in the process, trade, business, or occupation of preparing, storing, or packing fruit for trade or sale;

(b) in cool stores (exclusively engaged in the cold storage of fruit) attached to any establishment where fruit only is prepared, stored, or packed for trade or sale"—

has made the following Determination, namely:—

1. That on the 28th April, 1951, clause 10 of the Determination published in *Government Gazette* No. 90 of the 26th January, 1951, shall be amended to read:—

HOLIDAYS AND SPECIAL RATES FOR HOLIDAYS AND SUNDAYS.

10. (a) (i) Weekly employees shall be granted the following holidays without deduction of pay:—

The days observed as New Year's Day, Australia Day, Good Friday, Easter Monday, Labour Day, Anzac Day, King's Birthday, 9th May, 1951, 13th November, 1951, Christmas Day, and Boxing Day.

(ii) When a weekly employee is required to work on one of the above-named holidays he shall be paid double time for all work done but shall not be entitled to any additional holiday pay for the hours worked.

(iii) Weekly employees shall be paid double time for all work done on a Sunday.

(b) (i) All employees working on piecework shall be granted the following holidays:—

The days observed as Christmas Day, Good Friday, and Anzac Day, and they shall be paid for such holidays, the amount for each holiday based on the minimum weekly wage as set out in this Determination for the class of work in which they would be normally employed.

(ii) If a pieceworker is required to work on any of the above-named holidays he shall be paid rate and a half for all work done on such day, but shall not be entitled to holiday pay as set out in sub-clause 10 (b) (i) hereof for the time worked.

(iii) A pieceworker shall be paid rate and a half for all work done on a Sunday or on the days observed as New Year's Day, Australia Day, Easter Monday, Labour Day, King's Birthday, 9th May, 1951, 13th November, 1951, and Boxing Day.

P. A. RANGLES, J.P., Chairman.

J. V. WILLOX, Secretary.

Melbourne, 13th April, 1951.

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