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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, 1951.

Dated at Melbourne, this 23rd day of May, 1951.

RAY. H. BEERS,
Secretary for Labour.

FLOCK BOARD.

Clause 2 of the Determination published in *Government Gazette* No. 71, of the 25th January, 1951, shall be replaced by the following clause :—

2.

IMPROVERS.

Wages per Week of 40 Hours.

Age.	Males. Percentage of Basic Wage.	Males. s. d.	Females. Percentage of Female Basic Wage.	Females. s. d.
Under 16 years ..	30	53 0	35	46 6
16 years ..	38	67 6	39	51 6
17 years ..	51	90 6	46	61 0
18 years ..	56	99 0	55	73 0
19 years ..	73	129 0	66	87 6
20 years ..	83	147 0	75	99 6

PROPORTION (IN ANY PLACE).

Improvers.

One improver to every worker receiving not less than the minimum wage.

Note.—For the purpose of calculating the proportion of improvers to workers receiving not less than the minimum wage only one working employer in any establishment covered by this Determination shall be classed as a worker receiving not less than the minimum wage and no such working employer or any person employed in connexion with any establishment covered by this Determination shall be regarded as a worker receiving not less than the minimum wage unless such person is usually employed in the establishment for 40 hours each week on work covered by this Determination or in supervising work covered by this Determination.

OTHER EMPLOYEES.

Wages per Week of 40 Hours.

	s. d.
MALES.	
Persons employed in the cotton wool bleaching department	207 6
Woollen pickers	204 6
Feeders of—	
Rag machines	202 6
Other machines	202 6
Rippers	202 6
Persons operating milling machine, hardening machine, or tentering machine	202 6
Persons operating other machines	202 6
Assistant to persons operating milling machine, hardening machine, or tentering machine ..	200 6
Assistant to persons operating other machines	200 6
Cotton pickers	199 6
All others	198 6
Leading hands, if in charge of four or more workers	5s. a week extra
FEMALES.	
Feeders of rag machines	153 3
Feeders of machines other than rag machines ..	137 3
Rippers	132 6
Woollen pickers	139 0
Cotton pickers	132 6
Weighers and wrappers of cotton wool	132 6
All others	132 6
Leading hands, if in charge of four or more workers	5s. a week extra

Clauses, other than clause 2, of the said Determination as amended on the 13th April, 1951, shall remain in force.

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