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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 August, 1951.

Dated at Melbourne, this
15th day of August, 1951.

RAY H. BEERS,
Secretary for Labour.

ENGRAVERS BOARD.

Clause 2 of the Determination made on the 18th April, 1951, and in force as from the beginning of the first pay period to commence in May, 1951, shall be replaced by the following clause:—

2. WAGES PER WEEK OF 40 HOURS.

Apprentices or Improvers.

—	Apprentices. Commencing Age. Under 16 Years.	16 or 17 Years.	Over 17 Years.	Improvers.
	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
1st year's experience ..	49 0	64 6	81 6	56 6
2nd year's experience ..	73 6	90 6	113 6	85 0
3rd year's experience ..	98 6	123 0	155 0	107 6
4th year's experience ..	130 6	162 6	202 0	143 6
5th year's experience ..	162 6	202 0	..	172 0
6th year's experience ..	202 0	..	..	208 6

An employee who has completed his indenture shall be entitled to be paid the adult rate prescribed for the appropriate classification.

PROPORTION (IN ANY PLACE).

Apprentices.

One apprentice to every three or fraction of three workers engaged in any one of the following trades or occupations:—
Die sinking by hand, engraver by hand, engraver-copperplate, steel stamp cutter, badge tool maker.

Improvers.

One improver to every four workers receiving not less than the rate prescribed for the classification "Engravers by hand".

Juvenile Workers, i.e., persons under 21 years of age (other than apprentices or improvers) cleaning, cutting out blanks, dipping, numbering, saw piercing, polishing, sand blasting, waxing, pinning up, soldering, or press working.

	s. d.
Under 16 years of age ..	49 0
16 years of age ..	62 6
17 years of age ..	77 6
18 years of age ..	106 0
19 years of age ..	130 6
20 years of age ..	162 6

Other Employees.

	s. d.
Die Sinker, by hand and/or by machine ..	254 0
Badge Toolmaker ..	232 0
Steel Stamp Cutter ..	242 0
Engravers by hand ..	237 0
Engravers, copperplate ..	237 0
Pantagraph Operator (other than die sinking or steel stamp cutting) ..	226 0
Stencil Plate Cutter ..	216 0
Drop Hammer Stamper who sets dies and makes force ..	213 0
Press Operator ..	211 0
Other Employees with not less than three months' experience in the industry ..	197 0
All Others ..	201 0

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

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