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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, 1953.

Dated at Melbourne, this
20th day of March 1953.

RAY H. BEERS,
Secretary for Labour.

OVENMAKERS BOARD.

Clauses 2 and 3 of the Determination published in *Government Gazette* No. 1238 of the 30th November, 1951, shall be replaced by the following clauses:—

2. WAGES PER WEEK OF 40 HOURS.

	Within the Metropolitan District: the Cities of Geelong, Geelong West, Newtown and Chilwell, and Warrnambool.	Other Parts of Victoria.
	s. d.	s. d.
STOVEMAKING SECTION.		
Fitter making, repairing, assembling, re-assembling, setting, installing (other than electrical installation) or testing fuel cooking stoves, ovens, gas, or electric stoves—		
Up to 3 ft. 6 in. in width	257 0	254 0
Between 3 ft. 6 in. and 5 feet in width	260 0	257 0
Fitter making, repairing, setting or installing (other than electrical installation) gas or electric stoves or other cooking or heating appliances over five feet in width by jobbing methods	274 6	271 6
Fitter mainly engaged on sheet metal work and sheet metal workers preparing material for assembling	260 0	257 0
Tester not engaged as fitter	249 0	246 0
Pattern and moulding box fitter and filer	260 0	257 0
Painter, brush	250 0	247 0
Painter, spray	253 0	250 0
Press operator	251 0	248 0
Other power machinist	248 0	245 0
Polisher and grinder	257 0	254 0
Stove blacksmith	254 0	251 0
Electroplater in charge	266 0	263 0
Electroplater's assistant	252 0	249 0
Labourer delivering material to and taking finished articles from fitters	246 0	243 0
Stove blacksmith's striker	249 0	246 0
Labourer directly assisting workmen whose margins exceed 26s. per week	252 0	249 0
Other employees with not less than three month's experience in the industry	238 0	235 0
All others	232 0	229 0

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	<i>s. d.</i>	<i>s. d.</i>
PORCELAIN ENAMELLING SECTION.		
Fuser	261 0	258 0
Fuser's assistant	252 0	249 0
Mill hand and mixer	252 0	249 0
Sprayer	253 0	250 0
Shot and sand-blast dresser	258 0	255 0
Other dresser	253 0	250 0
Swiller, gripper, and brusher	249 0	246 0
Pickler	249 0	246 0
Rackman	247 0	244 0
Other employees with not less than three months' experience in the industry	238 0	235 0
All others	232 0	229 0

JUNIOR MALE AND FEMALE LABOUR.

3.

Wages Per Week of 40 Hours.

	*Percentage of Basic Wage.	War Loading.	Additional Amount.	Total Wage Payable—	
				Within the Metropolitan District; the Cities of Geelong, Geelong West, Newtown and Chilwell, and Warrnambool.	Other Parts of Victoria where the Determination Applies.
				<i>s. d.</i>	<i>s. d.</i>
	Per Week.	Per Week.	<i>s. d.</i>	<i>s. d.</i>	<i>s. d.</i>
<i>I.—Adult Females.</i>					
Under one month's experience	75	171 6	169 6
All others	75	..	16 0	187 6	185 6
<i>II.—Junior Females.</i>					
17 years of age and under	52	..	3 6	92 6	91 6
18 years of age	62	..	4 0	110 6	109 0
19 years of age	72	..	4 6	128 0	126 6
20 years of age	82	..	5 0	145 6	144 0
<i>III.—Junior Males.</i>					
Under 16 years of age	24	..	2 0	57 0	56 0
16 years of age	34	..	3 0	81 0	80 0
17 years of age	46	..	4 0	109 6	108 0
18 years of age	58	..	5 0	138 0	136 0
19 years of age	73	..	6 0	173 0	171 0
20 years of age	88	..	7 0	208 6	206 0
<i>IV.—Junior Males (Foundries).</i>					
Under 16 years of age	24	1 0	2 0	58 0	57 0
16 years of age	32	1 9	2 6	77 6	76 6
17 years of age	58	3 0	5 0	141 0	139 0
18 years of age	73	4 0	6 0	177 0	175 0
19 years of age and over	88	4 6	7 0	213 0	210 6

* The percentages for junior females relate to the Female Basic Wage, but in all other cases relate to the Male Basic Wage.

Females and unapprenticed male juniors may be employed on piece-work subject to clause 17 hereof. The total wages shall be calculated to the nearest 6d., any broken part of 6d. in the result not exceeding 3d. to be disregarded.

Clauses, other than clauses 2 and 3, of the said Determination shall remain in force.