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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, 1953.

Dated at Melbourne, this
12th day of August, 1953.

RAY H. BEERS,
Secretary for Labour.

TEA PACKING BOARD.

Clause 2 of the Determination published in *Government Gazette* No. 105 of the 30th January, 1951, shall be replaced by the following clause:—

2.

WAGES.

APPRENTICES OR IMPROVERS.					ADULTS.		
—	Males.		Females.				
	Percentage of Basic Wage.	Per Week. s. d.	Percentage of Female Basic Wage.	Per Week. s. d.	Males.		Per Week. s. d.
14 years	23	54 0	..	..	Foreman .. .. .	..	277 0
15 years	30	70 6	42	74 0	Headman .. .. .	..	268 9
16 years	35	82 0	47	82 6	All other adult males .. .. .	..	259 6
17 years	45	105 6	56	98 6			
18 years	56	131 6	67	118 0	Females.		
19 years	63	148 0	74	130 0	Headwoman .. .. .	..	205 0
20 years	81	190 6	85	149 6	All other adult females .. .. .	..	187 6

PROPORTION (within any factory or place).

Apprentices.

One male apprentice to every three or fraction of three male workers receiving at wages rates or piece-work prices not less than 259s. 6d. per week.

One female apprentice to every three or fraction of three female workers receiving at wages rates or piece-work prices not less than 187s. 6d. per week.

Improvers.

One male improver to every three or fraction of three male workers receiving at wages rates or piece-work prices not less than 259s. 6d. per week.

One female improver to every three or fraction of three female workers receiving not less than 187s. 6d. per week.

Clauses, other than clause 2, of the said Determination as amended on the 26th February, 1951, shall remain in force.

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