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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, Henry Norman Jones, Acting 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 November, 1953.

Dated at Melbourne, this
2nd day of November, 1953.

H. N. JONES,
Acting Secretary for Labour.

DISPENSARIES BOARD.

Clause 2 of the Determination published in *Government Gazette* No. 530 of the 25th May, 1951, shall be replaced by the following clause:—

2.

Apprentices and Juvenile Workers.					Other Employees.			
WAGES PER WEEK OF 40 HOURS.					WAGES PER WEEK OF 40 HOURS.			
(a) Apprentices.								
	Per-centage of Basic Wage.	Weekly Rate.	War Loading.	Total Weekly Wage.		Weekly Rate.	War Loading.	Total Weekly Wage.
		s. d.	s. d.	s. d.		s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
1st six months' experience ..	19	45 0	0 6	45 6	Chief Pharmaceutical Chemist	361 0	6 0	367 0
2nd six months' experience ..	29	68 6	1 0	69 6	Assistant Pharmaceutical Chemist ..	321 0	6 0	327 0
3rd six months' experience ..	39	92 6	1 3	93 9	Unqualified Assistant ..	303 0	6 0	309 0
4th six months' experience ..	49	116 0	1 9	117 9	Female Shop Assistant not engaged in dispensing or compounding medicines, drugs, or medicinal preparations			
5th six months' experience ..	59	140 0	2 0	142 0	(i) With less than 3½ years experience in a dispensary	193 0	3 0	196 0
6th six months' experience ..	69	163 6	2 3	165 9	(ii) All others ..	204 0	3 0	207 0
7th six months' experience ..	78	185 0	2 6	187 6				
8th six months' experience ..	97	230 0	3 0	233 0				

and thereafter the appropriate rate prescribed herein under the heading "Other Employees".

WAGES PER WEEK OF 40 HOURS				
(b) Juvenile Workers.				
	Per- centage of Basic Wage.	Weekly Rate.	War Loading.	Total Weekly Wage.
		s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
1st six months' experience ..	19	45 0	0 6	45 6
2nd six months' experience ..	24	57 0	1 0	58 0
3rd six months' experience ..	33	78 0	1 3	79 3
4th six months' experience ..	42	88 6	1 9	90 3
5th six months' experience ..	48	114 0	2 0	116 0
6th six months' experience ..	57	135 0	2 3	137 3
7th six months' experience ..	66	156 6	2 6	159 0
8th six months' experience ..	75	177 6	3 0	180 6

and thereafter the appropriate rate prescribed herein under the heading "Other Employees".

PROPORTION (IN ANY PLACE).

(a) Apprentices.

One apprentice to every three or fraction of three workers receiving not less than 327s. per week.

(b) Juvenile Workers.

One juvenile worker (i.e. a shop assistant not engaged in dispensing or compounding medicines, drugs or medicinal preparations, and who is under the age of 21 years) may be employed in any dispensary.

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