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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.

SHOPS BOARD No. 2 (BOOT REPAIRERS).

Clauses 2 and 3 of the Determination published in *Government Gazette* No. 657 of the 21st June, 1951, shall be replaced by the following clauses:—

2.

APPRENTICES OR IMPROVERS.

Males.					Females (see clause 4).				
Wages per Week of 40 Hours.					Wages per Week of 40 Hours.				
	Commencing Age.				s. d.		s. d.		s. d.
	Under 16 years.	16 years.	17 years.	18 years or over.					
1st year	80 6	116 0	116 0	142 0	90 6				
2nd year	116 0	142 0	142 0	177 6	101 0				
3rd year—					110 0				
1st 6 months	142 0	177 6	177 6	230 0	120 6				
2nd 6 months	166 0	189 6	189 6	242 0	133 0				
4th year—					144 0				
1st 6 months	177 6	201 6	230 0	Minimum wage					
2nd 6 months	189 6	213 6	242 0	Minimum wage					
5th year—									
1st 6 months	201 6	230 0	Minimum wage						
2nd 6 months	213 6	242 0	Minimum wage						
6th year—									
1st 6 months	230 0	Minimum wage							
2nd 6 months	242 0	Minimum wage							
Hereafter	Minimum wage								

PROPORTION (BY ANY EMPLOYEE).	
<i>Apprentices.</i>	
One female apprentice to every three or fraction of three female adult workers receiving not less than the minimum wage.	
<i>Improvers.</i>	
Two female improvers to every female adult worker receiving not less than the minimum wage.	

PROPORTION (IN ANY PLACE).	
<i>Apprentices.</i>	
One apprentice to every three or fraction of three workers receiving not less than 280s. per week of 40 hours.	
<i>Improvers.</i>	
One improver to every four workers receiving not less than 280s. per week of 40 hours.	



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H. N. JONES,
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SHOPS BOARD No. 13 (FUEL AND FODDER—COUNTRY).

Clauses 2 and 17 of the Determination published in *Government Gazette* No. 257 of the 10th April, 1953, shall be replaced by the following clauses:—

Part 1.—Persons **OTHER THAN** those employed in the process, trade, business or occupation of burning, grinding, grading, or distributing charcoal.

IMPROVERS.			OTHER EMPLOYEES.	
Wages per Week of 40 Hours.			Wages per Week of 40 Hours.	
—	Percent- age of Basic Wage.	—	<i>Firewood Saw-mills, Mallee Roots, &c.</i>	
		<i>s. d.</i>	Benchmen at self-acting benches where not more than two persons are em- ployed, viz., benchman and stacker	274 0
			Other benchmen	269 0
			Lumpers	269 0
			Trolley-men	269 0
			Skip loaders	269 0
			Truck loaders of wood 4 feet or over	269 0
			Wagon or dray loaders	269 0
			Block stackers	263 0
			Wood cutters using axe, power crosscut, circular saw, or other method ..	274 0
			Carters driving one, two, or three horses	274 0
			And 6s. extra per week for every additional horse in excess of three.	
			Drivers of motor vehicles having a carrying capacity—	
			(a) not exceeding 25 cwt.	268 0
			(b) exceeding 25 cwt. but not exceeding 3 tons	274 0
			(c) exceeding 3 tons	280 0
			And if a trailer is attached to the vehicle—1s. 6d. per day extra.	
			Persons engaged in raising, digging out, cleaning, trimming, or loading mallee roots on to vehicles	279 0
			All others	261 0
			Foreman—If any person employed in any of the above capacities has under his control five or more other workers he shall be regarded as a foreman, and paid 1s. per day above the ordinary rate.	
			<i>Gas Producer Units.</i>	
			The following provisions shall apply to drivers of vehicles fitted with Gas Producer Units:—	
			(i) Driver of a motor vehicle fitted and operated with a charcoal gas producer unit for each day or portion thereof upon which he is called upon to drive such vehicle, 1s. extra.	
			(ii) Such driver for each day or portion thereof upon which he is called upon to clean the hopper and/or final filter of such unit, 1s. extra.	
Under 17 years of age	70	166 0		
17 years of age ..	81	192 0		
18 years of age ..	92	218 0		
19 years of age or over—the appropriate rate prescribed under the heading "other employees."				
PROPORTION (BY ANY EMPLOYEE).				
One improver to the first three workers, receiving not less than 261s. per week of 40 hours, and thereafter one additional improver to every ten additional such workers.				
NOTE.—The Board determines that no person shall be employed as an apprentice.				

IMPROVERS	OTHER EMPLOYEES—(continued)
Wages per Week of 40 Hours.	Wages per Week of 40 Hours.
	<i>Hay, Corn, or Chaff Stores.</i>
	Storeman in charge <i>s. d.</i> 272 0
	Carters driving one, two, or three horses 274 0
	And 6s. extra per week for every additional horse.
	Drivers of motor vehicles having a carrying capacity—
	(a) not exceeding 25 cwt. 268 0
	(b) exceeding 25 cwt., but not exceeding 3 tons 274 0
	(c) exceeding 3 tons 280 0
	And if a trailer is attached to a vehicle—1s. 6d. per day extra.
	All others 266 0
	<i>Wood, Coal, or Coke Yards.</i>
	Carters driving one, two, or three horses 274 0
	And 6s. extra per week for every additional horse.
	Drivers of motor vehicles having a carrying capacity—
	(a) not exceeding 25 cwt. 268 0
	(b) exceeding 25 cwt., but not exceeding 3 tons 274 0
	(c) exceeding 3 tons 280 0
	And if a trailer is attached to a vehicle—1s. 6d. per day extra
	All others 265 0
	<i>Gas Producer Units.</i>
	The following provisions shall apply to drivers of vehicles fitted with gas producer units:—
	(i) Driver of a motor vehicle fitted and operated with a charcoal gas producer unit for each day or portion thereof upon which he is called upon to drive such vehicle, 1s. extra.
	(ii) Such driver for each day or portion thereof upon which he is called upon to clean the hopper and/or final filter of such unit, 1s. extra.

Part 2.—Persons employed in the process, trade, business or occupation of burning, grinding, grading, or distributing charcoal.

17. IMPROVERS.	OTHER EMPLOYEES.
Wages per Week of 40 Hours.	Wages per Week of 40 Hours.
—	<i>s. d.</i>
Percent- age of Basic Wage.	Wood cutters, using axe, power crosscut, circular saw, or other method .. 274 0
—	Carters driving one, two, or three horses 274 0
	And 6s. extra per week for every additional horse in excess of three.
	Drivers of motor vehicles having a carrying capacity—
	(a) not exceeding 25 cwt. 268 0
	(b) exceeding 25 cwt. but not exceeding 3 tons 274 0
	(c) exceeding 3 tons but not exceeding 8 tons 280 0
	(d) Further tonnage—for each complete ton over 5, an extra 1s. per week.
	And if a trailer is attached to the vehicle—1s. 6d. per day extra.
	<i>Gas Producer Units.</i>
	The following provision shall apply to drivers of vehicles fitted with gas producer units—
	(i) Driver of a motor vehicle fitted and operated with a charcoal gas producer unit for each day or portion thereof upon which he is called upon to drive such vehicle, 1s. extra.
	(ii) Such driver for each day or portion thereof upon which he is called upon to clean the hopper and/or final filter of such unit, 1s. extra.
	Charcoal burning by retorts, metal or brick kilns, or pits—
	(a) Operator in charge of plant 289 0
	(b) All other employees, including persons employed in emptying, bagging, sewing, stacking, or loading 279 0
	Grinding or grading charcoal—
	(a) Attendant in charge of plant—
	(i) With four or more persons under his supervision 299 0
	(ii) With three or fewer persons under his supervision 295 0
	(b) All other persons, including those engaged in grinding, grading, or bagging charcoal or sewing bags 289 0

Clauses, other than clauses 2 and 17 of the said Determination shall remain in force, provided that, to the weekly earnings of each pieceworker shall be added the sum of eight shillings. Where less than 40 hours is worked in any week by any pieceworker, a proportionate amount of such sum of eight shillings shall be added in lieu thereof.