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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
10th day of November, 1953.

H. N. JONES,
Acting Secretary for Labour.

BRUSHMAKERS BOARD.

Clause 2 of the Determination published in *Government Gazette* No. 820 of the 6th October, 1952, shall be replaced by the following clause:—

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WAGES.

(a) APPRENTICES OR IMPROVERS.				(b) OTHER EMPLOYEES.				Wages per week of 40 hours.			
Experience.		Wages per week of 40 hours.						Males.		s. d.	
		Males.		Females.							
		Percentage of Basic Wage.	s. d.	Percentage of Female Basic Wage.	s. d.						
1st year	..	24	57 6	38	67 6	Persons employed at—		283	3		
2nd year	..	32	76 0	50	88 6	Paint brush making		277	0		
3rd year	..	47	111 6	70	124 0	Hair pan work		277	0		
4th year	..	} minimum wage and thereafter the minimum wage or full piecework prices.		88	156 0	Bass pan work		277	0		
5th year	..					Hair dressing and mixing		277	0		
6th year	..					Making twisted brushes		277	0		
						Making wire brushes		277	0		
						Bass broom drawing		277	0		
						Finishing		277	0		
						Boring (hand)		277	0		
						Lacquering or ducoing		271	0		
						Trimming machine (when employed solely at such machine)		262	0		
						Automatic boring and filling machinists		262	0		
						Filling machinists		262	0		
						Boring machinists		262	0		
						<i>Females.</i>					
						Automatic boring and filling machinists		182	0		
						Filling machinists		182	0		
						Trimming machinists		182	0		
						Boring machinists		182	0		
						Bench drawing		184	0		
						Treadle knot-sizing machinists		182	0		
						Persons employed at lacquering or ducoing		182	0		

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Experience.	Wages per week of 40 hours.					
	Males.		Females.			
	Percentage of Basic Wage.	s. d.	Percentage of Female Basic Wage.	s. d.		
PROPORTION. (Within any factory or place.)						
APPRENTICES.						
One apprentice to every three or fraction of three workers of the same sex receiving the minimum wage, or earning at piecework prices not less than the minimum wage.						
IMPROVERS.						
Males.						
One male improver to one or two	} Male workers receiving not less than 27ls. per week of 40 hours or earning full piecework prices.			
Two to three				
Three to five				
Four to nine				
Six to twelve				
Seven to fifteen				
Nine to eighteen				
Females.						
One female improver to one or two	} Female workers receiving not less than 182s. per week of 40 hours or earning full piecework prices.			
Two to three				
Three to five				
Four to nine				
Six to twelve				
Seven to fifteen				
Nine to eighteen				

Clauses, other than clause 2, of the said Determination shall remain in force, provided that to the weekly earnings of each piece-worker shall be added the sum of 25s. in the case of males and 18s. 6d. in the case of females for each full week worked (or a pro-rata amount according to the time actually worked if less than a full week is worked).