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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 May, 1954.

Dated at Melbourne, this
20th day of July, 1954.

H. N. JONES,
Acting Secretary for Labour.

HORSEHAIR BOARD.

Clause 2 of the Determination published in the *Government Gazette* No. 78 of the 23rd February, 1954, shall be replaced by the following clause:—

2.

Apprentices.			Improvers and Juvenile Workers.			Other Employees.		
WAGES.			WAGES.			<i>Preparing Body Hair.</i>		
	Percentage of Basic Wage.	Per Week. s. d.		Percentage of Basic Wage.	Per Week. s. d.		Per Week. s. d.	
1st year ..	35	83 0	1st year ..	35	83 0	Person in charge of hair-washing machine ..	272 0	
2nd year ..	44	104 6	2nd year ..	53	125 6	Persons engaged on hair-washing machines ..	265 0	
3rd year ..	53	125 6	3rd year ..	88	208 6	Persons engaged on hair-drying machines ..	265 0	
4th year ..	64	151 6	4th year ..	100 + 6d.	237 6	Persons who press washed and dried hair into bales ..	265 0	
5th year ..	88	208 6				All others ..	261 0	
PROPORTION (by any employer).			PROPORTION (by any employer).			<i>Preparing any other kind of Hair.</i>		
One apprentice to every three or fraction of three workers receiving not less than 26ls. per week.			One improver to every five workers receiving not less than 26ls. per week.			WAGES.		
			Juvenile Workers.				Per Week.	
			One juvenile worker to every Hand Spinner.				s. d.	
						Hand Spinners ..	278 0	
						Machine Spinners—		
						1st year ..	263 0	
						2nd year ..	274 0	
						And thereafter ..	278 0	
						Drafters ..	278 0	
						Wet or dry hacklers ..	278 0	
						Operators of teasing machine ..	265 0	
						Tail pullers ..	265 0	
						Dyers or Scalders ..	262 0	
						All others ..	261 0	

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 one hundred and twenty-four shillings. Where less than forty hours is worked in any week by any piece-worker, a proportionate amount of such sum of one hundred and twenty-four shillings shall be added in lieu thereof.

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