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DETERMINATION OF A WAGES BOARD ADJUSTED PURSUANT TO SECTION 33 OF THE LABOUR AND INDUSTRY ACT 1953.

I, Henry Norman Jones, Acting Secretary for Labour and Industry, in pursuance of the powers conferred by the Labour and Industry Act, 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, 1954.

Dated at Melbourne, this

2nd day of September, 1954.

H. N. JONES,

Acting Secretary for Labour and Industry.

RABBIT PROCESSING BOARD.

Clauses 2 and 22 of the Determination published in *Government Gazette* No. 53 of the 16th February, 1954, shall be replaced by the following clauses:—

2. WAGES PER WEEK OF 40 HOURS.

Apprentices or Improvers (Males).										Percentage of Basic Wage.	Total Wage.
										%	s. d.
Under 16 years of age	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	42	99 0
16 years of age	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	57	134 6
17 years of age	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	69	163 0
18 years of age	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	90	212 6
19 years of age	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	100 + 29 0	265 0
20 years of age	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	100 + 35 6	271 6

PROPORTION.

Males.

One apprentice or improver to every four or fraction of four adult workers.

Other Employees.										Total Ordinary Wage.
										£ s. d.
Rabbit skimmers or boners	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	15 15 0
Grader who grades for the export trade	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	18 0 6
Females washing, processing and/or packing rabbits	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	15 6 6
All others	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	15 6 6

PIECEWORK.

22. The lowest piecework prices payable to any person engaged in the following kinds of work shall be:—

Skinning rabbits (heads off)	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	6s. 9·4d. per 100
Skinning rabbits (heads on)	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	8s. 11·7d. per 100
Skinning hares	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	26s. 5·3d. per 100
Boning rabbit or hares (including washing weighing and taking in and out of chamber)	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2·872d. per lb.

Clauses, other than clauses 2 and 22, of the said Determination shall remain in force.

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2nd day of September, 1954.

H. N. JONES,
Acting Secretary for Labour and Industry.

RADIO BOARD.

Clauses 2 and 3 of the Determination published in *Government Gazette* No. 191 of the 6th April, 1954, shall be replaced by the following clauses:—

2.

WAGES PER WEEK OF 40 HOURS.

Adults.	Wages per Week of 40 Hours.		
	Within a Radius of 20 Miles of G.P.O., Melbourne; 10 Miles of G.P.O., Geelong; at Warrnambool, and within Mildura and Gippsland Districts.	At Yallourn.	Other Parts of Victoria.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Radio serviceman	14 4 6	14 11 0	14 1 6
Radio repairer (Factory)	13 5 0	13 11 6	13 2 0
Radio wirer, i.e., employee wiring a complete set from a circuit diagram or model other than on production line	13 0 0	13 6 6	12 17 0
Power tube operative—			
1st six months' experience	13 0 0	13 6 6	12 17 0
Thereafter	13 4 0	13 10 6	13 1 0
Tradesmen (radio)	14 8 0	14 14 6	14 5 0
Radio tester	13 15 0	14 1 6	13 12 0
Final tester and fault finder	14 4 6	14 11 0	14 1 6
Process worker	12 18 0	13 4 6	12 15 0
Other employees with not less than three months' experience in this industry	12 5 0	12 11 6	12 2 0
All others	11 19 0	12 5 6	11 16 0

Radio servicemen who in the service of their employers use their own motor vehicles shall be paid an additional allowance as follows:—

	Per Week.
	£ s. d.
Motor car	5 0 0

LEADING HANDS.

Leading hands in charge of not less than three and not more than ten employees, 9s. per week extra; more than ten and not more than twenty employees, 18s. per week extra; more than 20 employees, 27s. per week extra.

FEMALE AND UNAPPRENTICED JUNIOR LABOUR.

3. (a) Subject to the exceptions hereinafter provided, the minimum rates of wages for adult and junior females and for unapprenticed male juniors shall be as follows:—

WAGES PER WEEK OF 40 HOURS.

	*Percentage of Basic Wage.	Margin.	Total Wage Payable—		
			Within 20 Miles of G.P.O., Melbourne; 10 Miles of G.P.O., Geelong; at Warrambool; and within Murrumbidgee and Gippsland Districts.	At Yallourn.	Other Parts of Victoria.
		<i>s. d.</i>	<i>£ s. d.</i>	<i>£ s. d.</i>	<i>£ s. d.</i>
<i>I.—Adult Females.</i>					
Under one month's experience	75	..	8 17 0	9 2 0	8 14 6
All others	75	16 0	9 13 0	9 18 0	9 10 6

When employed in a classification for which the corresponding margin in clause 23 hereof exceeds 28s. per week, but does not exceed 40s. per week—75 per centum of such margin in lieu of the 16s. herein prescribed.

<i>Additional Amount.</i>					
<i>II.—Junior Females.</i>					
17 years of age and under	52	3 6	4 15 6	4 18 0	4 14 0
18 years of age	62	4 0	5 13 6	5 17 0	5 12 0
19 years of age	72	4 6	6 12 0	6 15 6	6 10 0
20 years of age	82	5 0	7 10 0	7 14 0	7 8 0
<i>III.—Junior Males.</i>					
Under 16 years of age	24	2 0	2 18 6	3 0 0	2 18 0
16 years of age	34	3 0	4 3 0	4 5 6	4 2 0
17 years of age	46	4 0	5 12 6	5 15 6	5 11 0
18 years of age	58	5 0	7 2 0	7 5 6	7 0 0
19 years of age	73	6 0	8 18 6	9 3 0	8 16 0
20 years of age	88	7 0	10 14 6	11 0 6	10 12 0

* The percentages for junior females relate to the female basic wage, but in all other cases relate to the male basic wage.

The total wage shall be calculated to the nearest sixpence, any broken part of sixpence in the result not exceeding threepence to be disregarded.

(b) The minimum rate payable to a junior female of any age or a junior male of eighteen years or more each with less than six months' experience under this Determination shall, until he or she has had six months' experience, be 10 per cent. less than the amount represented by the percentage of the basic wage hereby prescribed for a junior employee of his or her age and in addition thereto the additional amount prescribed for such an employee.

Clauses, other than clauses 2 and 3, of the said Determination shall remain in force.