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Labour and Industry Act 1953.

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

I, Henry Norman Jones, 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 February, 1955.

Dated at Melbourne, this
15th day of April, 1955.

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

POTTERY BOARD.

Clause 2 of the Determination published in *Government Gazette* No. 985 of the 22nd November, 1954, shall be replaced by the following clause:—

APPRENTICES OR IMPROVERS.

2. Within the Metropolitan District as defined in the Labour and Industry Act, 1953; such portions of the City of Heidelberg, and of the Shires of Broadmeadows, Doncaster and Templestowe, as are not within the said District; the Cities of Chelsea and Mordialloc; and the Shires of Berwick, Bulla, Cranbourne, Dandenong, Eltham, Ferntree Gully, Gisborne, Kellor, Lilydale, Melton, Mulgrave, Romsey, Werribee, and Whittlesea.

MALES. Wages per Week.

	Employed in Clayholes Exceeding 25 ft. in Depth.	Employed in All Other Places.			
		Rate.	Emergency Loading	Special Loading	Total Wage.
		<i>s. d.</i>	<i>s. d.</i>	<i>s. d.</i>	<i>s. d.</i>
Under 15 years of age	} At the Rates prescribed for Adults	56 6	1 3	2 3	60 0
15 years of age		60 0	1 6	2 9	70 3
16 " "		75 0	1 6	3 3	79 9
17 " "		89 6	1 9	3 9	95 0
18 " "		122 0	2 6	5 0	129 6
19 " "		143 6	3 0	6 0	152 6
20 " "		176 0	3 9	7 3	187 0

FEMALES.

Wages per Week.

	Commencing Age.							
	15 Years or Under.				16 Years.			
	Rate.	Emergency Loading	Special Loading	Total Wage.	Rate.	Emergency Loading	Special Loading	Total Wage.
	<i>s. d.</i>	<i>s. d.</i>	<i>s. d.</i>	<i>s. d.</i>	<i>s. d.</i>	<i>s. d.</i>	<i>s. d.</i>	<i>s. d.</i>
1st 6 months	56 6	1 3	2 3	60 0	..	..	..	..
2nd 6 months	65 0	1 3	2 9	69 0	..	..	..	..
1st year .. .. .	..	..	..	..	65 0	1 3	2 9	69 0
2nd "	72 0	1 6	3 0	76 6	79 0	1 9	3 3	84 0
3rd "	79 0	1 9	3 3	84 0	90 0	1 9	3 9	95 6
4th "	90 0	1 9	3 9	95 6	102 0	2 0	4 3	108 3
5th "	102 0	2 0	4 3	108 3	112 6	2 3	4 9	119 6
6th "	112 6	2 3	4 9	119 6	..	..	..	..
and thereafter the minimum wage								

	Commencing Age.							
	17 Years.				18 Years.			
	Rate.	Emergency Loading	Special Loading	Total Wage.	Rate.	Emergency Loading	Special Loading	Total Wage.
	<i>s. d.</i>	<i>s. d.</i>	<i>s. d.</i>	<i>s. d.</i>	<i>s. d.</i>	<i>s. d.</i>	<i>s. d.</i>	<i>s. d.</i>
1st year	75 6	1 6	3 3	80 3	79 0	1 9	3 3	84 0
2nd "	90 0	1 9	3 9	95 6	102 0	2 0	4 3	108 3
3rd "	102 0	2 0	4 3	108 3	112 6	2 3	4 9	119 6
4th "	112 6	2 3	4 9	119 6	..	..	..	..
and thereafter the minimum wage								

	Commencing Age.							
	19 Years.				20 Years.			
	Rate.	Emergency Loading	Special Loading	Total Wage.	Rate.	Emergency Loading	Special Loading	Total Wage.
	<i>s. d.</i>	<i>s. d.</i>	<i>s. d.</i>	<i>s. d.</i>	<i>s. d.</i>	<i>s. d.</i>	<i>s. d.</i>	<i>s. d.</i>
1st year	90 0	1 9	3 9	95 6	105 6	2 3	4 6	112 3
2nd "	116 0	2 3	4 9	123 0	..	..	..	..
and thereafter the minimum wage								

WITHIN ALL OTHER PARTS OF VICTORIA.

MALES.

Wages per Week.

	Employed in Clayholes Exceeding 25 ft. in Depth.	Employed in All Other Places.			
		Rate.	Emergency Loading	Special Loading	Total Wage.
		<i>s. d.</i>	<i>s. d.</i>	<i>s. d.</i>	<i>s. d.</i>
Under 15 years of age	} At the Rates prescribed for Adults	46 6	1 3	2 3	50 0
15 years of age		60 6	1 3	2 6	64 3
16 " "		74 0	1 6	3 0	78 6
17 " "		83 6	1 9	3 6	88 9
18 " "		118 6	2 6	5 0	126 0
19 " "		137 0	3 0	5 9	145 9
20 " "		169 6	3 9	7 0	180 3

FEMALES.
Wages per Week.

	Commencing Age.							
	15 Years or Under.				16 Years.			
	Rate.	Emergency Loading	Special Loading	Total Wage.	Rate.	Emergency Loading	Special Loading	Total Wage.
	<i>s. d.</i>	<i>s. d.</i>	<i>s. d.</i>	<i>s. d.</i>	<i>s. d.</i>	<i>s. d.</i>	<i>s. d.</i>	<i>s. d.</i>
1st 6 months	55 6	1 3	2 3	59 0	..	..	..	..
2nd 6 months	62 6	1 3	2 6	66 3	..	..	..	..
1st year .. .. .	..	..	..	..	62 6	1 3	2 6	66 3
2nd	69 6	1 6	3 0	74 0	76 6	1 9	3 3	81 6
3rd	76 6	1 9	3 3	81 6	82 0	1 9	3 6	87 3
4th	82 0	1 9	3 6	87 3	97 6	2 0	4 0	103 6
5th	97 6	2 0	4 0	103 6	109 6	2 3	4 9	116 6
6th	109 6	2 3	4 9	116 6	..	..	..	..
and thereafter the minimum wage								

	Commencing Age.							
	17 Years.				18 Years.			
	Rate.	Emergency Loading	Special Loading	Total Wage.	Rate.	Emergency Loading	Special Loading	Total Wage.
	<i>s. d.</i>	<i>s. d.</i>	<i>s. d.</i>	<i>s. d.</i>	<i>s. d.</i>	<i>s. d.</i>	<i>s. d.</i>	<i>s. d.</i>
1st year	64 6	1 3	2 9	68 6	76 6	1 9	3 3	81 6
2nd	82 0	1 9	3 6	87 3	97 6	2 0	4 0	103 6
3rd	97 6	2 0	4 0	103 6	109 6	2 3	4 9	116 6
4th	109 6	2 3	4 9	116 6	..	..	..	..
and thereafter the minimum wage								

	Commencing Age.							
	19 Years.				20 Years.			
	Rate.	Emergency Loading	Special Loading	Total Wage.	Rate.	Emergency Loading	Special Loading	Total Wage.
	<i>s. d.</i>	<i>s. d.</i>	<i>s. d.</i>	<i>s. d.</i>	<i>s. d.</i>	<i>s. d.</i>	<i>s. d.</i>	<i>s. d.</i>
1st year	83 6	1 9	3 6	88 9	97 6	2 0	4 0	103 6
2nd	109 6	2 3	4 9	116 6	..	..	..	..
and thereafter the minimum wage								

Proportion (in any factory or place).

Apprentices.

One male apprentice to every two or fraction of two male workers receiving not less than the minimum wage.
 One female apprentice to every two or fraction of two female workers receiving not less than the minimum wage.
 An amended indenture of Apprenticeship prescribed by the Board was approved on 31st May, 1928.

Improvers.

Three male improvers to every four or fraction of four male workers receiving not less than the minimum wage.
 Three female improvers to every female worker receiving not less than the minimum wage.

ALL OTHER EMPLOYEES.

	Within the Metropolitan District as defined in the Labour and Industry Act, 1953; such portion of the City of Heidelberg, and of the Shires of Broadmeadows, Doncaster and Templestowe, as are not within the said District; the Cities of Chelsea and Mordialloc; and the Shires of Berwick, Bulla, Cranbourne, Dandenong, Eltham, Ferntree Gully, Gisborne, Keilor, Lilydale, Melton, Mulgrave, Romsey, Werribee, and Whittlesea.				Within all Other Parts of Victoria.			
	Wages per Week.		Wages per Hour.		Wages per Week.		Wages per Hour.	
	<i>s. d.</i>	<i>s. d.</i>	<i>s. d.</i>	<i>s. d.</i>	<i>s. d.</i>	<i>s. d.</i>	<i>s. d.</i>	<i>s. d.</i>
(i) MALES. All Departments.								
*Head burner	266 0	6 7½	263 0	6 6 ⁹ / ₁₀				
*Burner	260 0	6 6	257 0	6 5 ¹ / ₁₀				
Burner's assistant (i.e., a person who under the instructions of a burner assists in firing a kiln or kilns) ..	254 0	6 4½	251 0	6 3 ³ / ₁₀				
Mouldmaker	268 0	6 8½	265 0	6 7½				
Kiln labourer (i.e., a person whose duties comprise assisting a placer, drawer, or setter, and/or the cleaning of fire holes and/or flues)	252 0	6 3½	249 0	6 2 ⁷ / ₁₀				

All Other Employees—continued.

	Within the Metropolitan District as defined in the Labour and Industry Act, 1953; such portion of the City of Heidelberg, and of the Shires of Broadmeadows, Doncaster and Templestowe, as are not within the said District; the Cities of Chelsea and Mordialloc; and the Shires of Berwick, Bulla, Cranbourne, Dandenong, Eltham, Ferntree Gully, Gisborne, Kellor, Llydale, Melton, Mulgrave, Romsey, Werribee, and Whittlesea.		Within all Other Parts of Victoria.	
	Wages per Week.	Wages per Hour.	Wages per Week.	Wages per Hour.
	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
(i) MALES—continued.				
All Departments—continued.				
Clayhole men working underground in shaft and/or tunnel (employers to provide tools)	272 0	6 9½	272 0	6 9½
All other clayhole men (employers to provide tools)	262 0	6 6½	259 0	6 5 ⁷ / ₁₀
Men boring or using explosives	267 0	6 8 ¹ / ₁₀	264 0	6 7½
Glazed Pipes and Salt-glazed Ware.				
Plunger	267 0	6 8 ¹ / ₁₀	264 0	6 7½
Man in charge of plunger	259 6	6 5 ¹⁷ / ₂₀	256 6	6 4 ¹⁹ / ₂₀
Presser	263 0	6 6 ⁹ / ₁₀	260 0	6 6
Setter	263 0	6 6 ⁹ / ₁₀	260 0	6 6
Junction sticker	263 0	6 6 ⁹ / ₁₀	260 0	6 6
Man operating or taking off machine making siphons, D traps, inlets, and the like	263 0	6 6 ⁹ / ₁₀	260 0	6 6
Man working pipe-flanging machine	257 0	6 5 ¹ / ₁₀	254 0	6 4½
Mandril operator	254 0	6 4½	251 0	6 3 ³ / ₁₀
Bitumen jointer	256 0	6 4½	253 0	6 3 ⁹ / ₁₀
Drawer	257 0	6 5 ¹ / ₁₀	254 0	6 4½
Feeder of pipe machine	254 0	6 4½	251 0	6 3 ³ / ₁₀
Man taking off pipe machine	252 0	6 3½	249 0	6 2 ⁷ / ₁₀
Man in charge of pug or mixer machine	252 0	6 3½	249 0	6 2 ⁷ / ₁₀
Machine rigger	257 0	6 5 ¹ / ₁₀	254 0	6 4½
Hand feeder of raw or burnt clay into crusher or grinding pan	257 0	6 5 ¹ / ₁₀	254 0	6 4½
Man carrying or wheeling into or out of kiln or to or away from kiln	254 0	6 4½	251 0	6 3 ³ / ₁₀
Man sorting pipes	254 0	6 4½	251 0	6 3 ³ / ₁₀
Pipe dresser	254 0	6 4½	251 0	6 3 ³ / ₁₀
Packer of goods into railway trucks	253 0	6 3 ⁹ / ₁₀	250 0	6 3
All others (except burners, mould-makers, clayhole men, and men boring or using explosives)	250 0	6 3	247 0	6 2 ¹ / ₁₀
Dust Tile Making.				
Leading hand slip making	259 0	6 5 ⁷ / ₁₀	256 0	6 4½
Slip house attendant	254 0	6 4½	251 0	6 3 ³ / ₁₀
Head dipper	263 0	6 6 ⁹ / ₁₀	260 0	6 6
Dipper and/or spray operator	259 0	6 5 ⁷ / ₁₀	256 0	6 4½
Man hand pressing dust tiles or working semi-automatic tile press	257 0	6 5 ¹ / ₁₀	254 0	6 4½
Setter	263 0	6 6 ⁹ / ₁₀	260 0	6 6
Drawer	257 0	6 5 ¹ / ₁₀	254 0	6 4½
Sagger maker	257 0	6 5 ¹ / ₁₀	254 0	6 4½
Man operating box on sagger machine	252 0	6 3½	249 0	6 2 ⁷ / ₁₀
Man operating lever on sagger machine	254 0	6 4½	251 0	6 3 ³ / ₁₀
Man carrying into or out of kiln	254 0	6 4½	251 0	6 3 ³ / ₁₀
Ball mill operator (dry grind)	257 0	6 5 ¹ / ₁₀	254 0	6 4½
Head packer	260 0	6 6	257 0	6 5 ¹ / ₁₀
Packer who packs articles with protective substances into containers with secured lids	256 0	6 4½	253 0	6 3 ⁹ / ₁₀
Other packers	253 0	6 3 ⁹ / ₁₀	250 0	6 3
All others (except burners, mould-makers, clayhole men, and men boring or using explosives)	250 0	6 3	247 0	6 2 ¹ / ₁₀
General Pottery and Insulator Making.				
Leading hand employed at pinning, leading, and/or cementing insulators or similar ware	262 0	6 6½	259 0	6 5 ⁷ / ₁₀
Man employed at pinning, leading, and/or cementing insulators or similar ware	257 0	6 5 ¹ / ₁₀	254 0	6 4½
Sanitary ware presser	260 0	6 6	257 0	6 5 ¹ / ₁₀
Head packer	260 0	6 6	257 0	6 5 ¹ / ₁₀
Packer who packs articles with protective substances into containers with secured lids	256 0	6 4½	253 0	6 3 ⁹ / ₁₀
Other packers	253 0	6 3 ⁹ / ₁₀	250 0	6 3
Ball mill operator (dry grind)	257 0	6 5 ¹ / ₁₀	254 0	6 4½
Leading hand slip making	259 0	6 5 ⁷ / ₁₀	256 0	6 4½
Slip house attendant	254 0	6 4½	251 0	6 3 ³ / ₁₀
Tea-pot hand presser	259 0	6 5 ⁷ / ₁₀	256 0	6 4½
Man fixing handles or spouts	256 0	6 4½	253 0	6 3 ⁹ / ₁₀
Hollow ware presser	259 0	6 5 ⁷ / ₁₀	256 0	6 4½
Turner—insulator—				
1st 12 months' experience	262 0	6 6½	259 0	6 5 ⁷ / ₁₀
Thereafter	267 0	6 8 ¹ / ₁₀	264 0	6 7½
Turner—other	262 0	6 6½	259 0	6 5 ⁷ / ₁₀

All Other Employees—continued.

	Within the Metropolitan District as defined in the Labour and Industry Act, 1953; such portion of the City of Heidelberg, and of the Shires of Broadmeadows, Doncaster and Templestowe, as are not within the said District; the Cities of Chelsea and Mordialloc; and the Shires of Berwick, Bulla, Cranbourne, Dandenong, Eltham, Fernree Gully, Gborno, Kellor, Lilydale, Melton, Mulgrave, Romsey, Werribee, and Whittlesea.		Within all Other Parts of Victoria.	
	Wages per Week.	Wages per Hour.	Wages per Week.	Wages per Hour.
	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
(i) MALES—continued.				
General Pottery and Insulator Making—continued.				
Jolly hand—insulator—				
1st 12 months' experience ..	260 0	6 6	257 0	6 5 ¹ / ₁₀
Thereafter	265 0	6 7 ¹ / ₂	262 0	6 6 ¹ / ₂
Jolly hand—other	260 0	6 6	257 0	6 5 ¹ / ₁₀
Jigger hand	260 0	6 6	257 0	6 5 ¹ / ₁₀
Man sand-papering ware on machine	254 0	6 4 ¹ / ₂	251 0	6 3 ³ / ₁₀
Man sanding insulators weighing 8 lb.				
or over	254 0	6 4 ¹ / ₂	251 0	6 3 ³ / ₁₀
Machine rigger	257 0	6 5 ¹ / ₁₀	254 0	6 4 ¹ / ₂
Caster	259 0	6 5 ¹ / ₁₀	256 0	6 4 ¹ / ₂
Stoneware thrower—				
4th year's experience	254 0	6 4 ¹ / ₂	251 0	6 3 ³ / ₁₀
5th year's experience	260 0	6 6	257 0	6 5 ¹ / ₁₀
and thereafter	268 0	6 8 ¹ / ₂	265 0	6 7 ¹ / ₂
Head placer inside kiln	259 0	6 5 ¹ / ₁₀	256 0	6 4 ¹ / ₂
Head dipper	263 0	6 6 ¹ / ₁₀	260 0	6 6
Dipper and/or spray operator ..	259 0	6 5 ¹ / ₁₀	256 0	6 4 ¹ / ₂
Other placer	257 0	6 5 ¹ / ₁₀	254 0	6 4 ¹ / ₂
Sagger maker	257 0	6 5 ¹ / ₁₀	254 0	6 4 ¹ / ₂
Man operating box on sagger machine	252 0	6 3 ¹ / ₂	249 0	6 2 ⁷ / ₁₀
Presser (screw and lever-type inclusive)	259 6	6 5 ¹⁷ / ₂₀	256 6	6 4 ¹³ / ₂₀
Man, other than setter or placer, employed in the kiln handling or carrying ware or saggars into or out of kiln	254 0	6 4 ¹ / ₂	251 0	6 3 ³ / ₁₀
Hand feeder of raw or burnt clay into crusher or grinding pan	257 0	6 5 ¹ / ₁₀	254 0	6 4 ¹ / ₂
Grinder of burnt ware	259 0	6 5 ¹ / ₁₀	256 0	6 4 ¹ / ₂
Potter's printer	254 0	6 4 ¹ / ₂	251 0	6 3 ³ / ₁₀
Man operating lever on sagger machine	254 0	6 4 ¹ / ₂	251 0	6 3 ³ / ₁₀
All others (except burners, mould-makers, clayhole men, and men boring or using explosives) ..	250 0	6 3	247 0	6 2 ¹ / ₁₀
*A burner who is required to burn an unroofed kiln shall receive an additional allowance of 5s. per week.				
(ii) FEMALES.				
All Departments.				
Females	176 0	4 4 ¹ / ₂	174 0	4 4 ¹ / ₂

Provided that a female doing any work classified for a male in clause 24 hereof shall receive the above-mentioned wages rate plus an amount of 75 per cent. of the appropriate margin prescribed in Column "A" of such clause, calculated to the nearest 6d., half or less than half of 6d. in any result to be disregarded.

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

