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Labour and Industry Act 1953.

AMENDING DETERMINATION OF THE SLAUGHTERING FOR EXPORT BOARD.

NOTE.—This Determination applies to the whole of the State of Victoria.

IN accordance with the provisions of the *Labour and Industry Act* 1953, the Wages Board which now has the power to "determine the lowest prices or rates which may be paid to any person or classes of persons (other than persons subject to the provisions of any Wages Board heretofore appointed) employed in the meat export trade as—

(*a*) slaughterers or dressers of sheep, lambs, cattle, pigs, or calves.
(*b*) boners, trimmers, or labourers;
(*c*) drovers, stockmen, or penners-up;
(*d*) skin store workers:"

has made the following Determination, namely:—

That on the 2nd September, 1955, the Determination made on the 8th June, 1955, and in force as from the beginning of the first pay period to commence on or after the 22nd June, 1955, shall be amended by:—

1. Deleting from clause 3 (*a*) the figures and words "5s. 2·31d. per head of cattle slaughtered" and inserting in lieu thereof "4s. 10·65d. per head of cattle slaughtered up to and including 14 and 9s. 11·603d. per head for the 15th and 16th head of cattle slaughtered."

2. Deleting clause 5 (*a*) and inserting in lieu thereof the following:—

PIGS.

5. (*a*) Rates of pay to men slaughtering pigs—

Machine dehaired—

Up to 100 lb.	1s. 1·859d. per head.
101 lb. to 200 lb.	1s. 6·33d. per head
200 lb. to 300 lb.	2s. 6·197d. per head.
Over 300 lb.	4s. 10·65d. per head.

Hand scudded—

Up to 100 lb.	2s. 3·718d. per head.
101 lb. to 200 lb.	3s. 0·66d. per head.
200 lb. to 300 lb.	5s. 0·394d. per head.
Over 300 lb.	9s. 9·3d. per head.

If pigs are put through singeing maching 6¾d. per head shall be added to the above rates.

P. A. RANDLES, J.P., Chairman.

J. V. WILLOX, Secretary.

Melbourne, 22nd August, 1955.

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