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Labour and Industry Acts.

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 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 February, 1956.

Dated at Melbourne, this
6th day of March, 1956.

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

CEMENT BOARD.

Clause 2, of the Determination published in *Government Gazette* No. 560 of the 22nd July, 1955, shall be replaced by the following clause:—

2. **WAGES.**
APPRENTICES AND IMPROVERS.

	(a) CEMENT WORKS.			
	Wages per Week.			
	Percentage of Basic Wage.	Rate.	Plus War Loading.	Total Wage.
	%	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
Under 16 years of age	43	108 0	2 0	110 0
Under 17 years of age	53	133 0	2 9	135 9
Under 18 years of age	61	153 0	3 3	156 3
Under 19 years of age	74	185 6	4 0	189 6
Under 20 years of age	84	211 0	4 3	215 3
Under 21 years of age	95	238 6	5 0	243 6

(b) The wages for apprentices and improvers shall be the appropriate rates prescribed for cement works plus 7s. per week.

PROPORTION (in any factory or place).

Apprentices.

One apprentice to every three or fraction of three workers receiving not less than the minimum wage.

Improvers.

One improver to every five or fraction of five workers receiving not less than the minimum wage.

OTHER EMPLOYEES (MALES).

(a)	Cement Works.	Wages per Week.
		<i>s. d.</i>
Cement Burner		315 0
Tester on Slurry Controls		310 0
Miller		307 6
Coal Drier		307 6
Potash plant attendant		303 6
Loader in railway trucks at bagging sheds		312 0
Machine Bag Filler		312 0
Electrostatic Precipitator Attendant		300 0
Pipe Line Attendant		290 0
Slurry Tank Attendant		300 0
Mammoth Crusher Attendant		313 6
Mammoth Crusher Assistant		295 6
Truck Trimmer		288 0
Truck Cleaner		286 0
Cleaner (other)		284 0
Truck Tarper		292 6
Mill Room Helper		291 6
Centrefuge Operator		295 6
Potash Residue Attendant		292 0
Experienced Factory Operative		286 6
Train Attendant		295 0
All others		263 0

(b)	Quarries.	Wages per Week.
		<i>s. d.</i>
Powder Monkey		332 0
Jack Hammerman		332 0
Platelayer		308 6
Bankman		306 0
Underground Quarryman		320 0
Pump Attendant		311 0
Signal Attendant		295 0
Leverman		292 6
Dump Man		295 0
String Puller		290 0
Switch Attendant		290 0
Dray Attendant		294 6
All others		270 0

LEADING HANDS.

(c) In addition to the appropriate wages rate prescribed in sub-clauses (a) or (b) hereof a Leading Hand shall be entitled to the following allowance:—

If in charge of 4 or less men	1s. per day
If in charge of 5 to 8 men	1s. 6d. per day
If in charge of 9 men or more	2s. per day

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