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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  
19th day of March, 1956.

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

**GLASSWORKERS BOARD.**

Clauses 2 and 3 of the Flint Glass Section and clauses 1 and 2 of the Glass Bottle Section of the Determination published in *Government Gazette* No. 601 of the 15th August, 1955, shall be replaced by the following clauses:—

2.

**FLINT GLASS SECTION.**

Apprentices.	Per-centage of Basic Wage.	Wages per Week.	Improvers.			
			Improvers Other than Flint Improver Blowers.			Flint Improver Blower.
				Per-centage of Basic Wage.	Wages per Week.	Wages per Day of 8 hours.
		s. d.		s. d.	s. d.	
1st year's experience ..	52	130 6	1st year's experience ..	48	120 6	52 10½
2nd year's experience ..	59	148 0	2nd year's experience ..	64	160 9	
3rd year's experience ..	68	170 9	3rd year's experience ..	74	185 9	
4th year's experience ..	76	190 9	4th year's experience ..	86	215 9	
5th year's experience ..	82	205 9	until reaching the age of 21 years			
and thereafter the minimum adult wage or piecework price						

Proportion (in any Place).

One apprentice and one improver, or two apprentices or two improvers to every three or fraction of three persons receiving not less than the minimum adult rate.

JUVENILE WORKERS (as defined in Clause 21).

Males.	Percentage of Basic Wage.	Wages per Week.	Females.	Percentage of Female Basic Wage.	Wages per Week.
		s. d.			s. d.
Under 16 years of age	28	70 3	Under 15 years of age	34	64 0
16 years, but under 17 years of age	32	80 3	15 years, but under 16 years of age	36	67 9
17 years, but under 18 years of age	41	103 0	16 years, but under 17 years of age	47	88 3
18 years, but under 19 years of age	57	143 0	17 years, but under 18 years of age	52	97 9
19 years, but under 20 years of age	67	168 3	18 years, but under 19 years of age	56	105 3
20 years, but under 21 years of age	76	190 9	19 years, but under 20 years of age	66	124 0
			20 years, but under 21 years of age	75	141 0

and thereafter the minimum adult wage or piecework price.

Juveniles employed as "carriers-in" or "mould boys" shall be paid a margin of 5s. per week in addition to their ordinary rate.

and thereafter the minimum wage payable to adult females.

NOTE.—In accordance with the provisions of section 71 of the Labour and Industry Act, 1953, no female under the age of 18 years shall be employed in a part of a factory in which the process of melting or annealing glass is carried on.

3.

WAGES FOR ADULTS (OTHER THAN GLASSWORKERS).

	Per Week.
	£ s. d.
<i>Males.</i>	
Furnacemen	14 9 6
Lehr attendants	13 16 0
Stickers-up to melter press shop (3 stickers-up)	14 7 6
When only two stickers-up are working in a shop they shall be paid an additional 5s. per shift.	
Operators on dip and blow and Y machines	13 16 0
Crackers-off on Dip and Blow and Y machines	13 16 0
Melters on side Lever press glazers and battery jar press	13 19 6
Ball blowers 1st year	13 16 0
Ball blowers 2nd year	14 6 6
Ball blowers 3rd year	14 17 0
Taker-out on side lever press	13 19 6
Assistants to journeymen	13 9 0
<i>Auxiliary to Glass Manufacture.</i>	
Batch mixers	14 6 0
Batch mixers' Assistants	13 17 6
Handlers of raw materials (as defined)	13 16 0
Packers performing any part of the operation of packing ware in straw and headed-up packages	14 11 6
Packers doing other packing (as defined)	13 15 0
Packers doing nested cartons (as defined)	13 15 0
Packers doing partitioned cartons (as defined)	14 2 0
Headers-up packed case	13 15 0
Warehouse Assemblers	13 15 0
Warehousemen	13 16 0
Loaders in delivery section	14 7 6
Stackers in delivery section	14 2 0
Sorters	14 4 6
Mould paster	14 2 0
<i>Glass Finishing and Decorating Section.</i>	
Grinders and polishers on flat and upright wheels	13 15 0
Cutters-off	13 15 0
Operators on glazing machines	13 15 0
Operators on searing-off machines	13 17 6
Operators on sandblast booth	14 10 0
Acid dippers	14 0 6
Glisters colour handlers	14 0 6
Sprayer	14 7 6
Other adult labour except where hereafter specified	13 9 0
<i>Females.</i>	
Adult females	9 18 0

*Adult Glasworkers.*

When adult glass workers are employed on time rates, they shall, subject to the provisions hereunder mentioned, receive the following minimum rates, namely :—

Journeymen.	Per Day.
	s. d.
Blowers—	
12" and under .. .. .	60 9½
Over 12" and up to 18" .. .. .	73 9½
Over 18" .. .. .	80 8½
Press workers—	
Press workers on general ware up to 2 lb. .. .. .	66 8½
Press workers on general ware 2 lb. to 5 lb. .. .. .	68 1½
Press workers on general ware over 5 lb. .. .. .	72 2½
Dip mould workers—	
Blowers .. .. .	66 0
Gatherers .. .. .	66 0

GLASS BOTTLE SECTION.

1. UN-APPRENTICED MALE JUNIORS.

	Percentage of Basic Wage.	Wages per Week.
		s. d.
15 years of age .. .. .	35	87 0
16 years of age .. .. .	43	108 0
17 years of age .. .. .	55½	139 3
18 years of age .. .. .	70	175 9
19 years of age .. .. .	77	193 3
20 years of age .. .. .	93	233 6
and thereafter the minimum wage or piecework price.		

*Note.*—No junior of less than 18 years of age shall be permitted to truck more than one crate of bottles at one time.

2. ADULTS (OTHER THAN SKILLED GLASSWORKERS).

	Wages per Week.
	£ s. d.
Furnacemen .. .. .	11 13 0
Salt cake burners .. .. .	11 13 0
Lehrmen .. .. .	11 7 6
Batchmixers when the batchmixing is done with lime in pits beneath the surface of the ground .. .. .	11 7 6
Salt cake burners' assistants .. .. .	11 7 6
Packers packing in bags or straw .. .. .	11 6 6
Sorters .. .. .	11 6 6
Lister truck hands and assistants .. .. .	11 5 6
All others .. .. .	11 4 0

NOTES.

(1) Furnacemen or furnacemens' assistants attending boilers in addition to their ordinary work shall be paid 1s. per day above their ordinary rates of pay, but no furnaceman or assistant shall attend any boiler that provides steam for driving machinery.

(2) Salt cake burners' assistants shall receive an additional 5 per cent. on their weekly wage when employed on afternoon or night shift.

(3) Salt cake burners and salt cake burners' assistants shall receive one pint of milk per day.

(4) Employees engaged in carrying or stacking ash or lime in bags shall be paid an allowance of 3d. per hour whilst so engaged.

Clauses, other than clauses 2 and 3 of the Flint Glass Section and clauses 1 and 2 of the Glass Bottle Section of the said Determination shall remain in force.

