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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
20th day of March, 1956.

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

LAUNDRY WORKERS BOARD.

Clauses 2 of the Determination published in *Government Gazette* No. 435 of the 4th July, 1955, shall be replaced by the following clause:—

2.

Apprentices and Improvers.						Percentage of Basic Wage.	Wages Per Week of 40 Hours.	
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MALES.								
15 years of age or under	31	78	0
16 years of age	36	90	6
17 years of age	51	128	0
18 years of age	..	..	..	..	..	55	138	0
19 years of age	..	..	..	..	..	68	170	6
20 years of age	..	..	..	..	..	81	203	6
FEMALES.								
15 years of age or under	..	..	..	..	..	39	73	6
16 years of age	..	..	..	..	..	44	82	6
17 years of age	..	..	..	..	..	55	103	6
18 years of age	..	..	..	..	..	62	116	6
19 years of age	..	..	..	..	..	69	129	6
20 years of age	..	..	..	..	..	74	139	0

Provided that no female apprentice or improver shall be employed on washing machines or hydro extractor.

PROPORTION (in any place).

Apprentices and Improvers.

Such number of apprentices and improvers as shall not in the aggregate exceed three to every two weekly workers receiving not less than the minimum wage.

Other Employees.	Wages Per Week of 40 Hours.		
	Adjustable Weekly Rate.	Non-adjustable War Loading.*	Total Ordinary Weekly Rate.
	<i>s. d.</i>	<i>s. d.</i>	<i>s. d.</i>
MALES.			
Laundry Workers	271 0	3 0	274 0
FEMALES.			
Washers employed on washing machine or hydro extractor	245 6	3 0	248 6
Glad ironers	194 9	1 9	196 6
Hand washers	194 9	1 9	196 6
Employees on treadle shirt or collar ironing machines	194 9	1 9	196 6
Employees on treadle press machines	194 9	1 9	196 6
Employees backing shirts off treadle shirt ironing machines	194 9	1 9	196 6
Starched clothes ironers who completely iron any starched clothes articles by hand	194 9	1 9	196 6
Starchers by hand, or machine, or attending to collar or shirt starching hydro extractor	194 9	1 9	196 6
Employees engaged on heated flat work machines, i.e., shaking out, feeding into or taking from	194 9	1 9	196 6
Employees on automatic air-driven presses	194 9	1 9	196 6
All others	188 0	1 6	189 6

* These loadings are constant and shall not be taken into account in the calculation of overtime or other penalty rates prescribed by this Determination.

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