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Labour and Industry Acts.

AMENDING DETERMINATION OF THE CYCLE TRADE BOARD.

NOTES.—(a) This Determination applies to the whole of the State of Victoria.

(b) RE APPRENTICES OR IMPROVERS.—*On the 5th March, 1930, the trade of motor cycle mechanic was proclaimed an Apprenticeship Trade under the Apprenticeship Act 1927, and, so far as the Metropolitan District is concerned, the provisions of that Act and the Regulations thereunder determine the conditions of employment of apprentices indentured after 5th March, 1930, and of improvers permitted to enter the trade after 20th November, 1929.*

Particulars of such Regulations may be obtained on application to the Secretary, Apprenticeship Commission, Melbourne. Price, 3d.

IN accordance with the provisions of the Labour and Industry Acts, the Wages Board which, since 15th November, 1937, has had the power to determine the lowest prices or rates which may be paid to any person or persons or classes of persons wheresoever employed in any process, trade or business connected with or incidental to—

(a) the making or repairing of bicycles, tricycles, or motor cycles; or

(b) the making or repairing of any part or parts (other than tyres or engines) of a bicycle, tricycle, or motor cycle, but not including any process, trade or business subject to the Determination of any Wages Board heretofore appointed, has made the following Determination, namely:—

That, as from the 1st November, 1956, the Determination made on the 14th December, 1954, and published in *Government Gazette*, No. 16 of the 21st January, 1955, as amended, shall be further amended by adding the following new clause:—

OLYMPIC GAMES HOLIDAY.

8A. Where, consequent upon the holding of the 1956 Olympic Games, a public holiday or public half-holiday is proclaimed by Order in Council or otherwise gazetted by the authority of the Commonwealth or of the State Government of Victoria, throughout the State of Victoria or part thereof, such day or half-day shall, within the defined locality be deemed to be a holiday or half-holiday as the case may be without deduction of pay for the purposes of this Determination.

Provided that no employee shall be entitled to the benefit of more than one such holiday or half-holiday as the case may be and provided that an employee who fails to attend for work on the working day before and/or the working day after such public holiday or half-holiday without reasonable excuse shall not be entitled to be paid for such holiday or half-holiday.

Provided further that by agreement between any employer and his employees another day or half-day may be substituted during the period of the 1956 Olympic Games—22nd November, 1956, to 8th December, 1956—for the day or half-day as the case may be proclaimed for the locality in which the employer's undertaking is situated.

A. V. BARNES, J.P., Chairman.

J. W. RYAN, Secretary.

Melbourne, 1st November, 1956.

ANNEXURE

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