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Labour and Industry Acts.

**AMENDING DETERMINATION OF THE SHOPS BOARD No. 9 (DRAPERS
AND MEN'S CLOTHING.)**

NOTE.—1. On the 9th March, 1921, this Board was appointed in lieu of the Drapers Board and the Men's Clothing Board.

2. This Determination applies to the following parts of Victoria, namely:—The Metropolitan District as defined in the Labour and Industry Acts the cities of Ballarat, Bendigo, Geelong, Geelong West, Warrnambool, and Newtown and Chilwell; and the boroughs of Eaglehawk and Sebastopol.

IN accordance with the provisions of the Labour and Industry Acts, the Wages Board appointed to determine the lowest prices or rates which may be paid to any persons employed in the business of a seller of—

- (a) any article of men's or boys' clothing (whether made to order or otherwise), mercery, or wearing apparel, including underclothing, hats, and caps;
- (b) goods usually sold by drapers or haberdashers, including mantles, costumes, millinery, gloves, stockings, and underclothing," has made the following Determination, namely:—

That as from the 8th October, 1956, the Determination published in *Government Gazette* No. 55 of the 9th January, 1956, shall be further amended as follows:—

1. That clause 15 shall be amended to read.

SPECIAL RATES FOR SUNDAYS AND HOLIDAYS.

15. The special rates for all work done on Sundays or the undermentioned holidays shall be—

Sunday	Double time.
New Year's Day, Australia Day, Good Friday, Easter Monday, Labour Day, Queen's Birthday, Melbourne Cup Day (Metropolitan District only), Christmas Day, Boxing Day, after 12 noon on Show Day in such localities mentioned in the Sixth Schedule to the <i>Public Service Act 1946</i> as are within the area to which this Determination applies, and within the Cities of Geelong, Geelong West, and Newtown and Chilwell after 12 noon on October 24th, 1956, (Geelong Cup Day).	} Double time.

Easter Saturday—

- (a) in the area enclosed by and including Flinders-street, Spencer-street, Lonsdale-street, and Spring-street in the City of Melbourne Five times the ordinary rate.
- (b) in all other places where this Determination applies Double time.

But, if any other day be, by Act of Parliament or Proclamation, substituted for any of the above-named holidays, the special rate shall only be payable for work done on the day so substituted.

2. That clause 15A be amended to read—

PUBLIC HOLIDAYS.

15A. New Year's Day, Australia Day, Labour Day, Good Friday, Easter Saturday, Easter Monday, Queen's Birthday, Christmas Day, Boxing Day, and within the Metropolitan District, Melbourne Cup Day, and 22nd November, 1956 (Olympic Day) or any other day by Act of Parliament or Proclamation substituted for any of the said days shall be observed as public holidays.

3. That a new clause 15B be inserted to read as follows—

15B. In connexion with the holding of the Olympic Games in Victoria during the months of November and December, 1956, where a holiday or half-holiday is proclaimed by Order-in-Council throughout any Municipality or part thereof, or within any defined area, such holiday or half-holiday shall, so far as such Municipality or part thereof, or such defined area is concerned be deemed to be included in the list of holidays prescribed in clause 15 hereof.

Provided that no employee shall be entitled to the conditions prescribed by this clause for more than the equivalent of one working day.

Provided further that an employee who fails to attend for work on the working day before and/or after such holiday or half-holiday without reasonable excuse shall not be entitled to be paid for such holiday or half-holiday.

A. V. BARNS, J.P., Chairman.

J. W. RYAN, Secretary.

Melbourne, 24th September, 1956.