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Factories and Shops Acts.

DETERMINATION OF A WAGES BOARD ADJUSTED PURSUANT TO SECTION 21 OF THE FACTORIES AND SHOPS ACT 1934 (No. 4275).

I, Raymond Henry Beers, Secretary for Labour, in pursuance of the powers conferred by the Factories and Shops 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, 1948.

Dated at Melbourne, this
6th day of April, 1948.

RAY. H. BEERS,
Secretary for Labour.

BOARDING SCHOOL EMPLOYEES BOARD.

Clause 2 of the Determination published in *Government Gazette* No. 89, of the 25th February, 1948, shall be replaced by the following clause:—

WAGES.

2.(a) Apprentices or Improvers.

Males.		Per Week.	Females.		Per Week.
		<i>s. d.</i>			<i>s. d.</i>
Under 17 years of age .. .. .	.. .. .	60 3	Under 16 years of age .. .. .	.. .. .	36 3
17 years of age and under 18 .. .. .	.. .. .	72 3	16 years of age and under 17 .. .. .	.. .. .	43 9
18 years of age and under 19 .. .. .	.. .. .	84 3	17 years of age and under 17½ .. .. .	.. .. .	51 0
19 years of age and under 20 .. .. .	.. .. .	96 3	17½ years of age and under 18 .. .. .	.. .. .	58 3
20 years of age and under 21 .. .. .	.. .. .	108 3	18 years of age and under 19 .. .. .	.. .. .	65 6
			and thereafter the minimum wage.		

Proportion (in any place).

Apprentices.—One apprentice to every four or fraction of four workers of either sex receiving not less than the minimum wage.

Improvers.—One improver to every four or fraction of four workers of either sex receiving not less than the minimum wage.

(b) Other Employees.

Males.		Per Week.	Females.		Per Week.
		<i>£ s. d.</i>			<i>£ s. d.</i>
First Cook, where the number of persons employed in the kitchen is			First Cook, where the number of persons employed in the kitchen is		
Eight or more .. .. .	.. .. .	7 17 6	Eight or more .. .. .	.. .. .	5 4 9
Five, six, or seven .. .. .	.. .. .	7 12 6	Five, six, or seven .. .. .	.. .. .	5 1 0
Four or less .. .. .	.. .. .	7 7 6	Four or less .. .. .	.. .. .	4 16 6
Cook employed alone .. .. .	.. .. .	6 12 6	Cook employed alone .. .. .	.. .. .	4 7 3
Second Cook, where the number of persons employed in the kitchen is			Second Cook, where the number of persons employed in the kitchen is		
Eight or more .. .. .	.. .. .	7 2 6	Eight or more .. .. .	.. .. .	4 13 0
Five, six, or seven .. .. .	.. .. .	6 17 6	Five, six, or seven .. .. .	.. .. .	4 8 3
Four or less .. .. .	.. .. .	6 12 6	Four or less .. .. .	.. .. .	4 4 3
Vegetable Cook .. .. .	.. .. .	6 2 6	Vegetable Cook .. .. .	.. .. .	3 16 9
Other Cooks .. .. .	.. .. .	6 7 6	Other Cooks .. .. .	.. .. .	4 1 3
Kitchenman, pantryman, houseman, or waiter .. .. .	.. .. .	5 18 6	Head waitress .. .. .	.. .. .	3 18 6
All others .. .. .	.. .. .	5 18 6	Needlewoman or seamstress .. .. .	.. .. .	3 18 6
			Kitchenmaid, pantrymaid, housemaid, or waitress .. .. .	.. .. .	3 12 9
			All others .. .. .	.. .. .	3 12 9

DEDUCTIONS FOR BOARD AND/OR BOARD AND LODGING.

(c) The amounts which may be deducted from the wages when an employee is provided with board only or board and lodging shall be :—

	Board Only.	Board and Lodging.
(i) <i>Apprentices or Improvers.</i>		
<i>Males.</i>		
	<i>s. d.</i>	<i>s. d.</i>
Under 17 years of age	7 6	10 0
17 years of age and under 18	9 0	12 0
18 years of age and under 19	10 6	14 0
19 years of age and under 20	12 0	16 0
20 years of age and under 21	13 6	18 0
<i>Females.</i>		
Under 16 years of age	7 6	10 0
16 years of age and under 17	9 0	12 0
17 years of age and under 17½	10 6	14 0
17½ years of age and under 18	12 0	16 0
18 years of age and under 19	13 6	18 0
(ii) <i>Other Employees.</i>		
Other employees	15 0	20 0

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