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Factories and Shops Acts.

DETERMINATION OF THE NEWSVENDORS' BOARD.

NOTE.—This Determination applies throughout the State of Victoria.

IN accordance with the provisions of the Factories and Shops Acts the Wages Board appointed to "determine the lowest prices or rates which may be paid to any person or persons or classes of persons (other than persons subject to the Determination of any Wages Board heretofore appointed) employed in the delivery, distribution, or sale of newspapers, periodicals, sports programmes, or other printed matter" has made the following Determination, namely:—

1. This Determination shall come into force and be operative on and after the 11th October, 1948.
2. (a) Rates to be paid within any part of Victoria for the delivery or distribution of—
 - (i) Newspapers and/or Periodicals .. At the rate of 1½d. per dozen per day with a minimum of 1s. 3d. per day.
 - (ii) Other Printed Matter At the rate of £1 per 1,000.
- (b) Commissions to be paid for the sale of—

—	Within the City Area (as Defined).	Within the Suburban Area (as Defined).	Elsewhere.
(i) Daily newspapers and the Saturday Sporting Globe	5d. per dozen	16½ per cent. of amount obtained from sales	16½ per cent. of amount obtained from sales
	<i>Percentage of amount obtained from sales.</i>		
(ii) Periodicals	16½	12½	12½
(iii) Sports Programmes (in- cluding race books or cards)	12½	12½	12½
(iv) Other Printed matter ..	16½	12½	12½

Provided that any person employed by a wholesale agent shall be paid at the rate of 5½d. per dozen on sales of daily newspapers and at the rate of 24 per cent. of the amount obtained from the sales of periodicals.

DEFINITIONS.

3. "City Area" means the area including, and enclosed by, the following boundaries—the north side of the River Yarra from a point opposite the City Morgue to Spencer-street Bridge, Spencer-street (including all public thoroughfares on the railway station) to Latrobe-street, the south side of Latrobe-street to Victoria-street, Victoria-street from Latrobe-street to Spring-street, and the west side of Spring-street from Victoria-street to the Jolimont railway yards.

"Suburban Area" means the Metropolitan District as defined in the Factories and Shops Acts and the Orders in Council thereunder, save and except such area as is herein defined as the City Area.

"Wholesale Agent" means any distributor of daily newspapers and/or periodicals who on the 1st July, 1948, issued, distributed, or sold such papers and/or periodicals from a distributing depot only and who did not normally make retail sales direct to members of the general public from such depot.

"Periodicals" means any overseas publications, any interstate publications other than daily newspapers, any Victorian publications, other than the daily newspapers and the Saturday Sporting Globe.

ANNUAL HOLIDAY.

4. The annual holiday shall be as prescribed by the provisions of the *Factories and Shops (Annual Holidays) Act 1946* (No. 5111) and any amendments which may be made thereto from time to time.

(In his or her own interests each employer of labour should obtain a copy of the above Act which may be purchased from the Government Printer, Melbourne, at a cost of 9d. plus postage).

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

J. W. RYAN, Secretary.

Melbourne, 21st September, 1948.

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