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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 November, 1949.

Dated at Melbourne, this
16th day of November, 1949.

RAY H. BEERS,
Secretary for Labour.

MINERAL EARTHS BOARD.

Clause 2 of Part 1, and clause 18 of Part 2 of the Determination published in *Government Gazette* No. 289 of the 23rd March, 1949, shall be replaced by the following clauses:—

PART 1.

Persons OTHER THAN those employed in the process, trade, business, or occupation of manufacturing or preparing any insulating material fabricated from molten stone.

2.

WAGES PER WEEK OF 40 HOURS.

(a) IMPROVERS.				(b) OTHER EMPLOYEES.			
				<i>s. d.</i>			
Under 17 years of age	..	..	..	..	46	6	..
17 to 18 years of age	..	..	..	..	80	6	..
18 to 19 years of age	..	..	..	..	105	6	..
19 to 21 years of age	..	..	..	..	124	0	..
<i>Proportion (in any place).</i>				..			
One improver to every six adult employees.				Mill attendants 162 6 Persons not otherwise provided for, including mill feeders, baggers, and crusher hands 155 6 Leading Hands— Leading hands in charge of not fewer than three and not more than twelve employees, 12s. per week extra; more than twelve employees, 20s. per week extra.			

PART 2.

Persons employed in the process, trade, business, or occupation of manufacturing or preparing any insulating material fabricated from molten stone.

18.

* WAGES PER WEEK OF 40 HOURS.

(a) Improvers.				(b) Other Employees.			
				<i>s. d.</i>			
<i>Males.</i>				<i>Males.</i>			
Under 17 years of age	..	..	..	..	46	6	..
17 to 18 years of age	..	..	..	..	80	6	..
18 to 19 years of age	..	..	..	..	105	6	..
19 to 21 years of age	..	..	..	..	124	0	..
<i>Females.</i>				Leading charging hand 175 0 Assistant charging hand 159 0 Notcher 175 0 Oven hands 167 0 Process worker (including taker off conveyor or granulator attendant) 155 0 Leading Hands— Leading hands in charge of not fewer than three and not more than twelve employees, 12s. per week extra; more than twelve employees, 20s. per week extra.			
Under 16 years of age	..	..	..	..	37	3	..
16 to 17 years of age	..	..	..	..	49	6	..
17 to 18 years of age	..	..	..	..	52	9	..
18 to 19 years of age	..	..	..	..	62	0	..
19 to 20 years of age	..	..	..	..	71	3	..
20 to 21 years of age	..	..	..	..	80	6	..
<i>PROPORTION (IN ANY PLACE).</i>				NOTE.—The above rates include an allowance of 7½ per cent. for all shifts.			
<i>Males.</i>				<i>Females.</i>			
One male improver to every six adult employees.				Adult females 105 6			
<i>Females.</i>							
One female improver to every four or fraction of four female workers receiving not less than the adult female rate.							

* These wages are loaded to compensate for industry disabilities.

Clauses, other than clause 2 of Part 1, and clause 18 of Part 2, of the said Determination shall remain in force.

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