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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, Henry Norman Jones, Acting 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, 1951.

Dated at Melbourne, this
12th day of November, 1951.

H. N. JONES,
Acting Secretary for Labour.

MEAT PRESERVERS BOARD.

Clause 2 of the Determination published in *Government Gazette* No. 77 of the 26th January, 1951, shall be replaced by the following clause:—

2.

WAGES PER WEEK.

APPRENTICES, IMPROVERS, AND JUVENILE WORKERS.

	Males.		Females.	
	Percentage of Basic Wage.	Wages.	Percentage of Female Basic Wage.	Wages.
		s. d.		s. d.
Under 16 years	72	143 6	72	107 6
16 years and under 17 years	80	159 0	80	119 0
17 years and under 18 years	90	179 0	90	134 0
18 years and under 19 years	100+2/-	201 0	100+1/6	150 6
19 years and under 20 years	100+17/6	216 6	100+13/-	162 0
20 years and under 21 years	100+40/6	239 6	100+32/6	181 6

PROPORTION OF APPRENTICES AND IMPROVERS.—MEAT PRESERVING SECTION.

Apprentices.

One male apprentice to every three or fraction of three male workers receiving not less than 263s. per week of 40 hours.
One female apprentice to every three or fraction of three female workers receiving not less than 197s. 3d. per week of 40 hours.

Apprentices.

One male apprentice to every three or fraction of three male workers receiving not less than 263s. per week of 40 hours.
One female apprentice to every three or fraction of three female workers receiving not less than 197s. 3d. per week of 40 hours.

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Improvers.

One male improver to every 25 or fraction of 25 male workers receiving not less than 263s. per week of 40 hours.
One female improver to every 25 or fraction of 25 female workers receiving not less than 197s. 3d. per week of 40 hours.

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ALL OTHER SECTIONS.

OTHER EMPLOYEES.

(a) MEAT PRESERVING SECTION.				(b) EGG PULPING OR DRYING SECTION.			
	Weekly Rate.	War Time Loading.	Total Weekly Wage.		Weekly Rate.	War Time Loading.	Total Weekly Wage.
	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.		s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
Leading hand, i.e., a person in charge of a department or shift ..	265 0	4 0	269 0	Spray operator	263 0	4 0	267 0
Assistant preserver	265 0	4 0	269 0	Filter (Chalaza)	262 0	4 0	266 0
Leading hand extract maker ..	269 0	4 0	273 0	Pump operator	260 0	4 0	264 0
Smoke kiln attendant whilst employed solely as such ..	269 0	4 0	273 0	Furnaceman	260 0	4 0	264 0
Sausage smoke room attendant	264 0	4 0	268 0	Solderer and/or sealer ..	259 0	4 0	263 0
Retort Hand, i.e., a person who loads and unloads retorts ..	265 0	4 0	269 0	(For any time engaged soldering 80 lb. tins additional payment of 3d. per hour or portion of an hour whilst so employed)			
Scalder or braiser	263 0	4 0	267 0	Storeman packer	259 0	4 0	263 0
Doughmaker	263 0	4 0	267 0	All others	259 0	4 0	263 0
Cappers, clinchers, and/or vacuum operators whilst employed solely as such ..	263 0	4 0	267 0	No junior male, excepting apprentices or improvers shall be engaged on any of the tasks set out in this clause.			
Lacquer hands (i.e., employees feeding into and/or taking off machine)	263 0	4 0	267 0	Adult females engaged—	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
Soda wash hands whilst employed solely as such (i.e., employees feeding into and/or taking off machine)	263 0	4 0	267 0	as egg crackers, as table hands, unpacking eggs; grading shelled eggs; washing containers			197 3
Females engaged—				No junior female except apprentices or improvers shall be engaged on any of the tasks set out in this clause.			
Taking away from automatic stuffing machine	224 9	2 0	226 9				
Running sausage skins for canning purposes	211 0	2 0	213 0				
Stamping, or branding				(c) ALL OTHER SECTIONS.			
Labelling, keying, wiping tins, and carrying off from filling table					Weekly Rate.	War Time Loading.	Total Weekly Wage.
Weighing, filling, emptying, stacking, capping, sealing, closing, opening, labelling, wrapping, packing, cleaning, or sterilizing tins, cartons, bottles, jars or moulds ..			197 3	Leading Hand, i.e., a person in charge of a Department or shift	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
Preparing for, placing in, taking away from machines and placing in trays ..				Mixer	266 0	4 0	270 0
Cutting Sausages				Potman	267 0	4 0	271 0
All others	259 0	4 0	263 0	Females engaged—			
				Patting, wrapping, stamping, or branding			
				Labelling, wiping tins, and carrying off from filling tables			
				Filling, cleaning, weighing, stacking, sealing, closing, packing tins, jars, cartons or moulds			197 3
				Taking away from automatic machines			
				Wrapping premier jus for oleo presses			
				All others	260 0	4 0	264 0

Clauses, other than clause 2, of the said Determination as amended on the 2nd April, 1951, shall remain in force