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Factories and Shops Acts.

DETERMINATION OF THE MEAT PRESERVERS BOARD.

NOTE.—This Determination applies to the whole of the State of Victoria.

IN accordance with the provisions of the Factories and Shops Acts, the Wages Board which now has the power to “determine the lowest prices or rates which may be paid to any person or persons or classes of persons—

- (a) Employed in the process, trade, or business of—
 - (1) preserving meat;
 - (2) preparing food products from animal fat or from edible oils;
 - (3) putting up preserved meat or food products prepared from animal fat or from edible oils;
- (b) Employed as a storeman, packer, or sorter in connexion with the trade or business of—
 - (1) preserving meat;
 - (2) preparing food products from animal fat or from edible oils;
- (c) Employed in the process trade, or business of—
 - (1) pulping of eggs;
 - (2) pulping and drying of eggs in the manufacture of egg powder;”

has made the following Determination, namely :—

1. That as from the 17th April, 1951, clause 10 of the Determination published in *Government Gazette* No. 77 of the 26th January, 1951, shall be amended to read :—

SUNDAYS AND HOLIDAYS.

10. (a) Double time shall be paid for work done between 8 a.m. and 5 p.m. on Sundays and on the following holidays, viz. :—Christmas Day, Boxing Day, New Year's Day, Australia Day, Labour Day, Good Friday, Easter Monday, King's Birthday, 9th May, 1951, 13th November, 1951, Union Picnic Day, and Melbourne Cup Day; but if any other day be by Act of Parliament or Proclamation substituted for the above-mentioned holidays, the special rate shall be payable for work done only on the day so substituted. Time and a half, calculated on the special rate mentioned in this clause, shall be paid for work done before 8 a.m. or after 5 p.m. on Sundays and holidays.

(b) Employees called upon to work on Sundays or holidays shall be provided with four hours' work, or shall be paid for four hours' work; but such payment shall not exceed three times the ordinary week-day rate payable to permanent employees.

(c) Employees not called upon to work on a holiday shall be paid for such holiday at ordinary rates. Temporary workers and workers engaged on a date following a holiday are exempted from this provision.

(d) Holidays for shift work employees shall be deemed to operate on the shift commencing during the holiday.

P. A. RANGLES, J.P., Chairman.

L. V. MARCHESI, Acting Secretary.

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