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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 August, 1951.

Dated at Melbourne, this
14th day of August, 1951.

RAY. H. BEERS,
Secretary for Labour.

LAUNDRY WORKERS BOARD.

Clause 2 of the Determination published in *Government Gazette* No. 69 of the 25th January, 1951, shall be replaced by the following clause:—

2.

Apprentices and Improvers.						Percentage of Basic Wage.	Wages Per Week of 40 Hours.	
MALES.							s. d.	
15 years of age or under	31				58	6
16 years of age	..	..	..	..	..	36	68	0
17 years of age	..	..	..	..	..	51	96	6
18 years of age	..	..	..	..	..	55	104	0
19 years of age	..	..	..	..	..	68	128	6
20 years of age	..	..	..	..	..	81	153	0
FEMALES.						Percentage of Female Basic Wage.	s. d.	
15 years of age or under			
16 years of age	..	..	..	..	..	44	62	6
17 years of age	..	..	..	..	..	55	78	0
18 years of age	..	..	..	..	..	62	87	6
19 years of age	..	..	..	..	..	69	97	6
20 years of age	..	..	..	..	..	74	104	6

Provided that no female apprentice or improver shall be employed on washing machines or hydro extractor.

PROPORTION (in any place).
Apprentices and Improvers.

Such number of apprentices and improvers as shall not in the aggregate exceed three to every two weekly workers receiving not less than the minimum wage.

Other Employees.	Wages Per Week of 40 Hours.		
	Adjustable Weekly Rate.	Non-adjustable War Loading.*	Total Ordinary Weekly Rate.
	<i>s. d.</i>	<i>s. d.</i>	<i>s. d.</i>
MALES.			
Laundry Workers	206 0	3 0	209 0
FEMALES.			
Washers employed on washing machine or hydro extractor	197 6	3 0	200 6
Glad ironers	140 9	1 9	148 6
Hand washers	146 9	1 9	148 6
Employees on treadle shirt or collar ironing machines	146 9	1 9	148 6
Employees on treadle press machines	146 9	1 9	148 6
Employees backing shirts off treadle shirt ironing machines	146 9	1 9	148 6
Starched clothes ironers who completely iron any starched clothes articles by hand	146 9	1 9	148 6
Starchers by hand, or machine, or attending to collar or shirt starching hydro extractor	146 9	1 9	148 6
Employees engaged on heated flat work machines, i.e., shaking out, feeding into or taking from	146 9	1 9	148 6
Employees on automatic air-driven presses	146 9	1 9	148 6
All others	140 0	1 6	141 6

* These loadings are constant and shall not be taken into account in the calculation of overtime or other penalty rates prescribed by this Determination.

Clauses other than clause 2, of the said Determination as amended by the Board on the 5th March, 1951, and further amended by the Industrial Appeals Court on the 22nd March, 1951, shall remain in force.