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## DETERMINATION OF A WAGES BOARD ADJUSTED PURSUANT TO SECTION 21 OF THE FACTORIES AND SHOPS ACT 1934 (No. 4275).

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Dated at Melbourne, this  
12th day of August, 1953.

RAY H. BEERS,  
Secretary for Labour.

### WATCHMEN'S BOARD.

Clauses 2 and 3 of the Determination published in *Government Gazette* No. 688 of the 19th July, 1951, shall be replaced by the following clauses:—

2.

Classes of Employees.	Wages per Week of 40 Hours.					
	Within a Radius of 20 Miles of G.P.O., Melbourne, 10 Miles of G.P.O., Geelong, at Warrambool, and within Mildura and Gippsland Districts.			Other Parts of Victoria where this Determination applies.		
	Wages.	War-time Loading.	Total.	Wages.	War-time Loading.	Total.
	<i>s. d.</i>	<i>s. d.</i>	<i>s. d.</i>	<i>s. d.</i>	<i>s. d.</i>	<i>s. d.</i>
Watchman (other than watchmen as defined in clause 3), who in addition to watching, performs manual work not subject to the Determination of any other Wages Board, while performing such work, at the rate of All others (other than watchmen as defined in clause 3) .. .. .	267 5 252 0	3 0 3 0	270 5 255 0	264 5 249 0	3 0 3 0	267 5 252 0

### WHARF WATCHMEN.

3. (a) Wharf Watchmen—i.e., persons employed as watchmen in connexion with overseas and/or interstate shipping shall be paid as follows:—

- (i) On wharfs and/or ships (excluding ships' holds) at the rate of 6s. 7<sup>7</sup>/<sub>10</sub>d. per hour.  
(ii) In ships' holds at the rate of 7s. 2<sup>7</sup>/<sub>10</sub>d. per hour.

(b) Hold Watchmen—When waterside workers engaged in handling cargo in a vessel's hold are paid an extra rate because of the obnoxiousness of such cargo, either by Board of Reference decision or by agreement, any hold watchman employed in such hold shall be paid an extra rate of 6d. per hour, or such lesser amount as may be paid to the waterside workers concerned.

(c) Wharf Watchmen—When a cargo watchman is engaged elsewhere than in the hold of a vessel, and is obliged to work in close proximity to cargo, which, because of its obnoxiousness, is the subject of an extra rate paid to the waterside workers handling such cargo, he shall be paid an extra rate of 3d. per hour for such period as he may be affected.

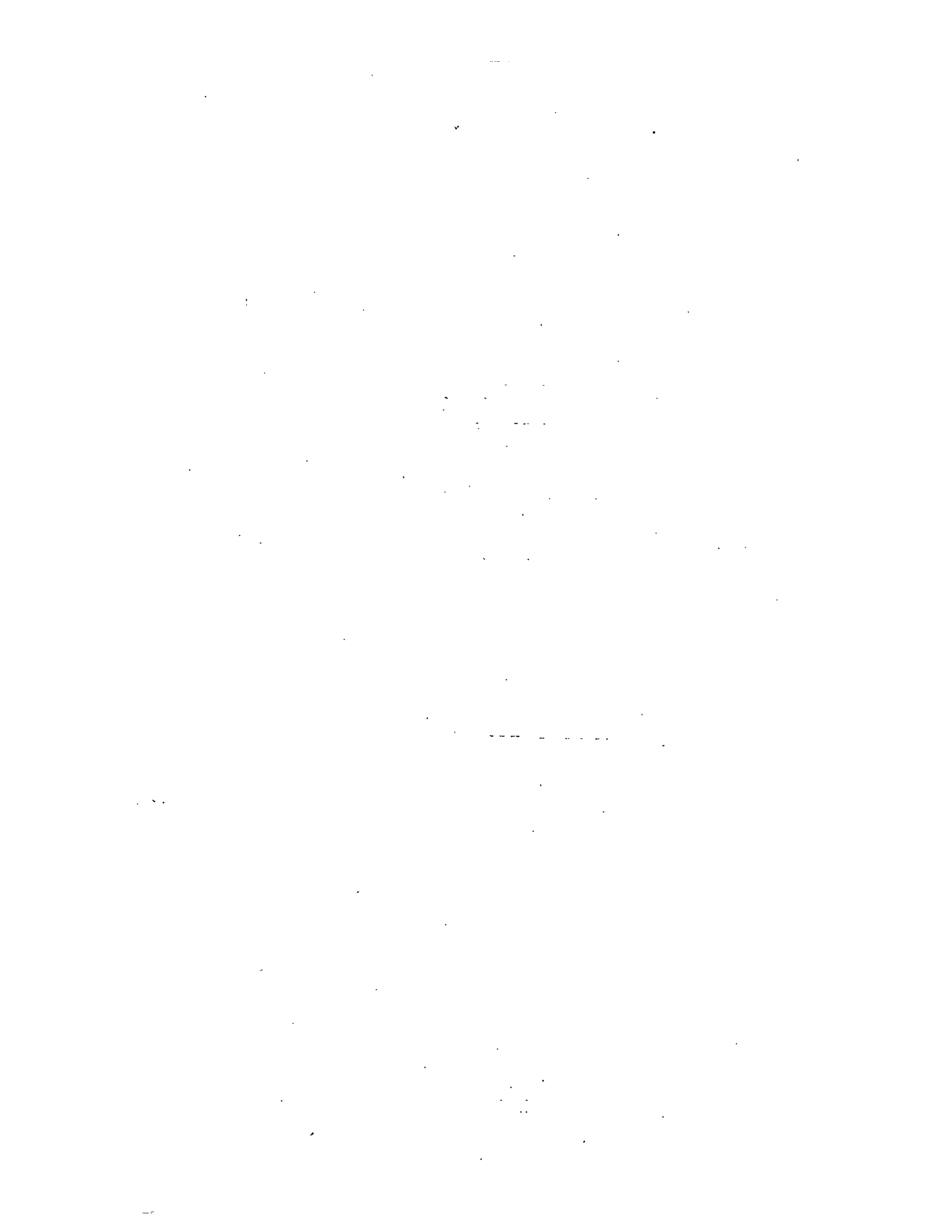
(d) Dangerous Cargo—When waterside workers are paid an extra rate for handling Ammonium Nitrate and Sodium Chlorate, such extra rate shall be paid to any hold watchman who may be employed in the hold where such cargo is being handled for such period as may be applicable.

(e) Hold and/or wharf watchmen commencing duty at 5 p.m. for the evening shift or at midnight for the midnight shift shall be paid 8 hours at the ordinary rate provided in each case the full shift is worked and provided further that he does not work a total of 8 hours by working on into the succeeding shift.

(f) Wharf watchmen shall be required to diligently attend to their duties as watchmen and immediately report to the Superintendent or foreman in charge of the hatch or the Ship's Officer on duty any cases of pillage or suspected or attempted pillage and damage, and if required, make notes and furnish reports regarding same. It is also required that smoking and committing a nuisance in the hold should be stopped and, if persisted in, reported in the manner directed above.

Clauses, other than clauses 2 and 3, of the said Determination shall remain in force.

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### SAUSAGE CASINGS BOARD.

Clause 2 of the Determination published in *Government Gazette* No. 509 of the 12th June, 1953, shall be replaced by the following clause:—

2.

#### WAGES.

##### Juvenile Workers.

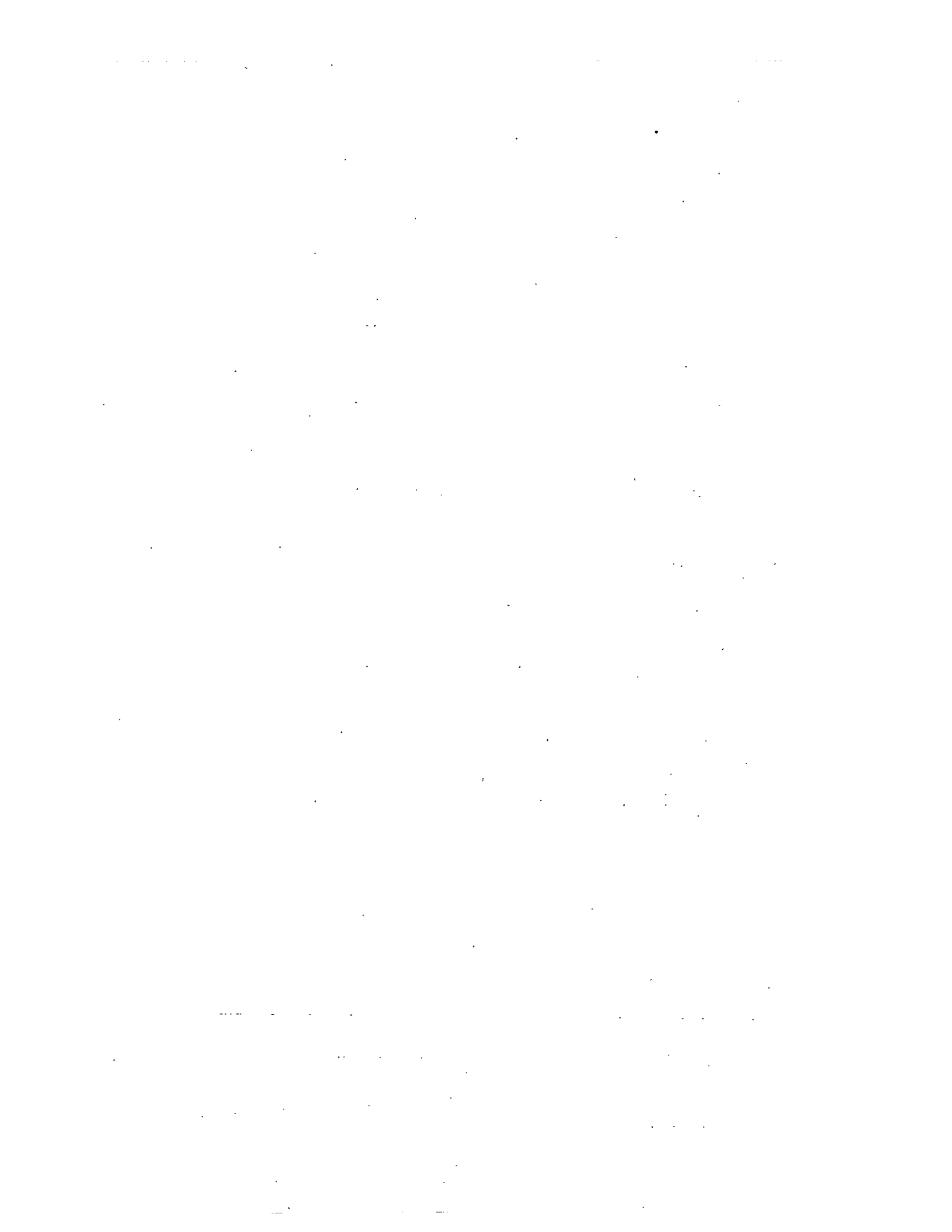
	Per Week of 40 Hours.			
	Female Juveniles Employed at Selecting.		All Other Juvenile Workers.	
	Percentage of Female Basic Wage.	s. d.	Percentage of Basic Wage.	s. d.
16 years of age or under .. .. .	78	137 6	58	136 6
17 years of age .. .. .	99	174 0	74	174 0
18 years of age .. .. .	100 + 23s.	199 0	91	214 0
19 years of age .. .. .	100 + 44s.	220 0	100 + 8s.	243 0
20 years of age .. .. .		Adult female rate	100 + 44s.	279 0

	Per Week of 40 Hours.	
	Weekly Wage.	
	s.	d.
<i>Other Employees.</i>		
Females employed at selecting .. .. .	25	1 0
Other persons employed at casing factories .. .. .	31	5 0

	Wages per Day. Monday to Friday, Inclusive.	
	Daily Wage.	
	s.	d.
Pullers-off and stripper .. .. .	6	3 0

Clauses, other than clause 2, of the said Determination shall remain in force.

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Secretary for Labour.

## SCIENTIFIC AND TECHNICAL WORKERS BOARD.

Clause 2 of the Determination published in *Government Gazette* No. 515 of the 20th June, 1952, shall be replaced by the following clause:—

### WAGES PER WEEK OF 40 HOURS.

2. (a)		Trainees.		
Age.		* Percentage of Basic Wage.	Weekly Wage.	
			Male.	Female.
			£ s. d.	£ s. d.
16 years	.. .. .	45	5 5 6	3 19 0
17 years	.. .. .	60	7 1 0	5 5 6
18 years	.. .. .	75	8 16 0	6 12 0
19 years	.. .. .	90	10 11 6	7 18 6
20 years	.. .. .	100 plus 5s.	12 0 0	9 1 0
21 years	.. .. .	100 plus 27s. 6d.	13 2 6	10 3 6
22 years	.. .. .	100 plus 42s. 6d.	13 17 6	10 18 6
23 years or over	.. .. .	100 plus 57s. 6d.	14 12 6	11 13 6

\* The percentages set out in the case of male trainees are related to the male basic wage, and in the case of female trainees to the female basic wage.

Proportion:—The proportion of trainees in any establishment shall not exceed one trainee to every three or fraction of three chemists who are at least graduate chemists.

Notwithstanding anything contained in this Determination, any person who on the 1st November, 1951 was employed and whose engagement or continued employment as a trainee, is by this Determination forbidden, shall be entitled to be employed, and shall be paid the scale of wages prescribed for a trainee of like age.

(b)

*Female Technical Assistants.*

Age.	Percentage of Female Basic Wage.	Weekly Wage.
		<i>£ s. d.</i>
16 years .. .. .	45	3 19 0
17 years .. .. .	60	5 5 6
18 years .. .. .	75	6 12 0
19 years .. .. .	90	7 18 6
20 years .. .. .	100 plus 5s.	9 1 0
21 years or over .. .. .	100 plus 27s. 6d.	10 3 6

(c)

*Other Employees.*

	Weekly Wage.	
	Male.	Female.
	<i>£ s. d.</i>	<i>£ s. d.</i>
(i) Graduate chemist (as defined)—		
1st year of experience as such .. .. .	15 5 0	12 6 0
Thereafter .. .. .	16 0 0	13 1 0
(ii) Qualified chemist (as defined)—		
1st year of experience as such .. .. .	16 15 0	13 16 0
Thereafter .. .. .	17 10 0	14 11 0
(iii) Adult male technical assistant (as defined) .. .. .	13 18 0	

Clauses, other than clause 2, of the said Determination shall remain in force.



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Secretary for Labour.

### SEWER BUILDERS BOARD.

Clause 2 of the Determination published in *Government Gazette* No. 244 of the 6th March, 1952, shall be replaced by the following clause:—

WAGES.

2. **NOTE.**—Additional rates are provided for persons employed by Contractors. See clause 5.

(a) <i>Apprentices or Improvers.</i>			<i>Juveniles.</i>		
Wages. Per Week of 40 Hours.			Wages. Per Week of 40 Hours.		
	Percentage of Basic Wage.	s. d.		Percentage of Basic Wage.	s. d.
1st year } .. .. .	75	178 0	Persons under 19 years of age (other than apprentices or improvers) employed— (a) carrying tools; (b) as toolsmith's assistant .. .. .	80	188 0
2nd year }					
3rd year }					
<b>PROPORTION.</b>					
<i>Apprentices.</i>					
One apprentice to every three or fraction of three employees receiving not less than the rate fixed in this Determination for an employee "not elsewhere classified".					
<i>Improvers.</i>					
One improver to every fifty or fraction of fifty employees receiving not less than the rate fixed in this Determination for an employee "not elsewhere classified".					

## All Other Employees.

## (b) (i) Day shift:—

	Wages Per Week of 40 Hours.		
	£	s.	d.
Borer, leading (i.e., employee in charge of borers testing the ground)	13	12	6
Borer testing ground	13	5	0
Cement gun nozzle operator	13	15	0
Concrete floater	13	12	6
Concrete ganger, mixer, or handler	13	5	0
Concrete mixer-driver doing repairs	13	17	6
Concrete mixer-driver not doing repairs	13	12	6
Concrete patcher	13	12	6
Compressor employee in charge doing repairs	13	17	6
Compressor employee in charge not doing repairs	13	10	0
Foreman's assistant	13	5	0
Hammer and drill hand	13	10	0
Jumpman	13	5	0
Leading hand in charge of six to ten other employees	14	0	0
Leading hand in charge of more than ten other employees	14	5	0
Machine borer	13	17	6
Manhole builder	14	0	0
Manhole sinker (any shape)	13	15	0
Leading pipe layer and/or leading jointer	13	17	6
Pipe layer and/or jointer	13	15	0
Pitcher setter	13	10	0
Ploughman	13	10	0
Ploughman's assistant	13	0	0
Pneumatic pick or scabbler or vibrator user	13	15	0
Powder monkey	14	0	0
Pump employee in charge of pump pumping water and doing repairs	13	0	0
Reinforcement placer or wiper	13	5	0
Renderer in open drains	14	5	0
Renderer in pipes, tunnels, or covered drains	14	17	6
Rigger's assistant, vent erecting	13	10	0
Rigger in charge, vent erecting or dismantling	14	0	0
Scoop filler	13	5	0
Sinker—with less than three months' experience	13	5	0
Sinker (other than manhole sinker) with three months' experience or over	13	10	0
Slurry refiller	13	0	0
Timber drawer in drives or working below 12 feet in shafts	13	10	0
Timber cutter, preparer or measurer	13	10	0
Timberman, timbering in trenches immediately behind power excavator	14	0	0
Toolsmith	13	12	6
Topman	13	0	0
Trimmer, leading (i.e., an employee in charge of trimmers)	13	15	0
Trimmer, other than leading trimmer	13	12	6
Tunneller including an employee excavating in drives	13	10	0
Vent erector or dismantler	13	5	0
Windlass hand, working alone on tripod windlass	13	5	0
Windlass hand—other	13	0	0
Employee not elsewhere classified	13	0	0

## (ii) afternoon and night shift.

The wages rates provided in clause 2 (b) (i) plus an additional 5s. per shift.

Clauses, other than clause 2, of the said Determination shall remain in force.