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Labour and Industry Act 1953.

**DETERMINATION OF A WAGES BOARD ADJUSTED PURSUANT TO
SECTION 33 OF THE LABOUR AND INDUSTRY ACT 1953.**

I, Henry Norman Jones, Secretary for Labour and Industry, in pursuance of the powers conferred by the Labour and Industry Act, 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 February, 1955.

Dated at Melbourne, this
29th day of March, 1955.

H. N. JONES,
Secretary for Labour and Industry.

GENERAL BOARD.

(Blue Print Section.)

Clause 2 of the Determination for this Section published in *Government Gazette* No. 172 of the 2nd April, 1954, shall be replaced by the following clause:—

2. WAGES PER WEEK OF 40 HOURS.

(a) Improvers.			(b) Other Employees.		
—	Percentage of Basic Wage.	Amount.	—		—
<i>Males.</i>		<i>s. d.</i>	Within a Radius of 20 Miles of G.P.O., Melbourne; 10 Miles of G.P.O., Geelong; at Warrnambool and within Mildura and Gippsland Districts.		Other Parts of Victoria where this Determination Applies.
			<i>s. d.</i>	<i>s. d.</i>	
1st year's experience	22	51 6			
2nd year's experience	31	73 0			
3rd year's experience	42	98 6			
4th year's experience	57	134 0			
5th year's experience	73	171 6			
6th year's experience	84	197 6			
7th year's experience	90	211 6			
and thereafter the minimum wage.			Operators of blue-printing machines—		
			Males—		
			(i) with 3 months' or more experience ..		
			241 0	238 0	
			(ii) with less than 3 months' experience		
			238 0	235 0	
			Females		
			176 0	176 0	
			All other persons—		
			Males		
			238 0	235 0	
			Females		
			176 0	176 0	

WAGES PER WEEK OF 40 HOURS—*continued.*

(a) Improvers— <i>continued.</i>		
	Percentage of Female Basic Wage.	Amount.
<i>Females.</i>		
		<i>s. d.</i>
1st six months' experience	23	40 6
2nd six months' experience	30	53 0
3rd six months' experience	34	60 0
4th six months' experience	41	72 0
5th six months' experience	45	79 0
6th six months' experience	52	91 6
7th six months' experience	57	100 6
8th six months' experience	65	114 6
and thereafter the minimum wage.		
NOTE.—The rates prescribed for improvers shall apply only to such employees as are under 21 years of age, or who, being over 21 years of age, are the holders of improvers' licences.		
PROPORTION.		
One improver to each person of the same sex receiving not less than the minimum wage.		

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