



VICTORIA
GOVERNMENT GAZETTE

Published by Authority.

[Registered at the General Post Office, Melbourne, for transmission by post as a newspaper.]

No. 275]

FRIDAY, MAY 13.

[1955

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
28th day of April, 1955.

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

WIREWORKERS BOARD.

Clause 2 of the Determination made on the 6th December, 1954, and in force as from the beginning of the first pay period to commence on or after the 13th December, 1954, shall be replaced by the following clause:—

2. Wages per Week of 40 Hours.

Apprentices or Improvers.		Juvenile Workers, i.e., persons under 21 years of age (other than apprentices or improvers).		Other Employees.		
		(a) Engaged in the manufacture of fly wire or mosquito gauze, or employed minding swifts, blacking, painting, or oiling, carrying or moving material, packing, cleaning up factory or going messages—		WAGES.		
Wages Per Week, Apprentices and Improvers.						
£ s. d.						
Under 16 years	3 6 0	Under 16 years	3 6 0			
16 to 17 years	4 9 6	16 to 17 years	4 9 6	Wire-workers or Weavers ..	7 0	280 0
17 to 18 years	5 10 6	17 to 18 years	5 10 6	Tinners	7 1 ¹⁸ / ₂₀	286 6
18 to 19 years	6 18 6	18 to 19 years	6 18 6	Oxy-welders	7 0	280 0
19 to 20 years	8 11 6	19 to 20 years	8 11 6	Storemen	7 0	280 0
20 to 21 years	10 16 0	20 to 21 years	10 16 0	Paint spraying operators	7 0	280 0
Thereafter, Minimum Wage						

Wages per Week of 40 Hours—continued.

Apprentices or Improvers.	Juvenile Workers, i.e., persons under 21 years of age (other than apprentices or improvers).	Other Employees.																								
<p style="text-align: center;">PROPORTION.</p> <p>(In any factory or place.)</p> <p><i>Apprentices.</i></p> <p>One apprentice to every three or fraction of three workers receiving not less than 280s. per week.</p> <p>An indenture of apprenticeship prescribed has been approved.</p> <p><i>Improvers.</i></p> <p>One improver to every two workers receiving not less than 280s. per week.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">PROPORTION.</p> <p>One juvenile worker to every six workers receiving not less than 280s. per week.</p> <p>(b) Engaged in power loom weaving, in winding bobbins, operating looms, packing, wrapping, or assisting in any work in connexion with the production of commercial power woven wire—</p> <table border="1" data-bbox="570 575 925 779"> <thead> <tr> <th colspan="2"></th> <th style="text-align: right;">Wages Per Week.</th> </tr> <tr> <th colspan="2"></th> <th style="text-align: right;">£ s. d.</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>Under 16 years</td> <td>.. ..</td> <td style="text-align: right;">3 6 0</td> </tr> <tr> <td>16 to 17 years</td> <td>.. ..</td> <td style="text-align: right;">4 9 6</td> </tr> <tr> <td>17 to 18 years</td> <td>.. ..</td> <td style="text-align: right;">5 10 6</td> </tr> <tr> <td>18 to 19 years</td> <td>.. ..</td> <td style="text-align: right;">6 18 6</td> </tr> <tr> <td>19 to 20 years</td> <td>.. ..</td> <td style="text-align: right;">8 11 6</td> </tr> <tr> <td>20 to 21 years</td> <td>.. ..</td> <td style="text-align: right;">10 16 0</td> </tr> </tbody> </table> <p style="text-align: center;">PROPORTION.</p> <p>One juvenile worker to every adult weaver receiving not less than 280s. per week.</p>			Wages Per Week.			£ s. d.	Under 16 years	3 6 0	16 to 17 years	4 9 6	17 to 18 years	5 10 6	18 to 19 years	6 18 6	19 to 20 years	8 11 6	20 to 21 years	10 16 0	
		Wages Per Week.																								
		£ s. d.																								
Under 16 years	3 6 0																								
16 to 17 years	4 9 6																								
17 to 18 years	5 10 6																								
18 to 19 years	6 18 6																								
19 to 20 years	8 11 6																								
20 to 21 years	10 16 0																								

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