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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 May, 1955.

Dated at Melbourne, this
1st day of July, 1955.

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

SEWER BUILDERS BOARD.

Clause 2 of the Determination published in *Government Gazette* No. 1167 of the 24th December, 1954, 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 } 2nd year } 3rd year }	75	177 6	Persons under 19 years of age (other than apprentices or improvers) employed— (a) carrying tools; (b) as toolsmith's assistant	80	189 6
PROPORTION. <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	14	6
Borer testing ground	13	7	0
Cement gun nozzle operator	13	17	0
Concrete floater	13	14	6
Concrete ganger, mixer, or handler	13	7	0
Concrete mixer-driver doing repairs	13	19	6
Concrete mixer-driver not doing repairs	13	14	6
Concrete patcher	13	14	6
Compressor employee in charge doing repairs	13	19	6
Compressor employee in charge not doing repairs	13	12	0
Foreman's assistant	13	7	0
Hammer and drill hand	13	12	0
Jumperman	13	7	0
Leading hand in charge of six to ten other employees	14	2	0
Leading hand in charge of more than ten other employees	14	6	0
Machine borer	13	19	6
Manhole builder	14	2	0
Manhole sinker using pneumatic pick	13	19	6
Manhole sinker (any shape)	13	17	0
Leading pipe layer and/or leading jointer	13	19	6
Pipe layer and/or jointer	13	17	0
Pitcher setter	13	12	0
Ploughman	13	12	0
Ploughman's assistant	13	2	0
Pneumatic pick or scabbler or vibrator user	13	17	0
Powder monkey	14	2	0
Pump employee in charge of pump pumping water and doing repairs	13	2	0
Reinforcement placer or wiper	13	7	0
Renderer in open drains	14	7	0
Renderer in pipes, tunnels, or covered drains	14	19	6
Rigger's assistant, vent erecting	13	12	0
Rigger in charge, vent erecting or dismantling	14	2	0
Scoop filler	13	7	0
Sinker—with less than three months' experience	13	7	0
Sinker (other than manhole sinker) with three months' experience or over	13	12	0
Slurry refiller	13	2	0
Timber drawer in drives or working below 12 feet in shafts	13	12	0
Timber cutter, preparer or measurer	13	12	0
Timberman, timbering in trenches immediately behind power excavator	14	2	0
Toolsmith	13	14	6
Topman	13	2	0
Trimmer, leading (i.e., an employee in charge of trimmers)	13	17	0
Trimmer, other than leading trimmer	13	14	6
Tunneller including an employee excavating in drives	13	12	0
Vent erector or dismantler	13	7	0
Windlass hand, working alone on tripod windlass	13	7	0
Windlass hand—other	13	2	0
Employee not elsewhere classified	13	2	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.