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Labour and Industry Acts.

AMENDING DETERMINATION OF THE ANIMAL MANURE BOARD.

NOTES.—(a) This Determination applies to the whole of the State of Victoria

(b) On 25th May, 1914, the powers of the Animal Manure Board were extended to enable it to fix the lowest prices or rates which may be paid to any persons employed in the process, trade or business of the extraction of tallow.

IN accordance with the provisions of the *Labour and Industry Acts*, the Wages Board appointed to "determine the lowest prices or rates which may be paid to any persons employed in the process, trade, or business of the manufacture of manure from animal matter," has made the following Determination, namely:—

That, on the 1st January, 1956, the Determination made on the 16th March, 1955, and published in *Government Gazette* No. 334 of the 3rd June, 1955 shall be amended by—

(i) deleting clause 3 and inserting in lieu thereof the following:—

HEAT ALLOWANCE.

3. Any employee required to work in a rendering section artificially heated to more than 18° F. above the outside temperature shall be paid a heat allowance of 6d per hour or part thereof. Provided that no heat allowance shall be payable if the outside temperature does not exceed 87° F.

Notwithstanding anything herein contained where eight or more melting pots are in operation the allowance of 6d per hour or part thereof shall be paid for the whole shift.

(ii) deleting Clause 15 and inserting in lieu thereof the following:—

PROTECTIVE CLOTHING.

15. One set of overalls (which shall consist of one shirt and one pair of trousers) per year shall be supplied by the employer free of cost to all employees and suitable protective footwear shall be supplied by the employer free of cost to employees working on a percolater or press in wet or dry rendering. Such articles shall remain the property of the employer.

P. A. RANGLES, J.P., Chairman.

J. V. WILLOX, Secretary.

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