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*Labour and Industry Acts.*

AMENDING DETERMINATION OF THE HAIRDRESSERS BOARD.

NOTES.—(1) This Determination applies to the whole of the State of Victoria.

(2) Ladies and/or Men's Hairdressing were proclaimed on 3rd December, 1941, as apprenticeship trades under the Apprenticeship Acts, for the Metropolitan District.

Full particulars of the apprenticeship regulations for these trades may be obtained on application to the Secretary, Apprenticeship Commission, 103 Russell-street, Melbourne.

On the 30th November, 1925, the powers of this Board were extended to enable it to fix the lowest prices or rates which may be paid to any person or persons or classes of persons employed at—

- (a) hair or scalp treatment;  
(b) toilet work.

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 person or persons or classes of persons wheresoever employed in the business of a Hairdresser or Barber, or Wig Maker, or other Workers of Hair," has made the following Determination, namely:—

That as from the beginning of the first full pay period to commence in January, 1956, clause 2 of the Determination published in *Government Gazette* No. 346 of the 17th June, 1955, shall be replaced by the following clause:—

2.

APPRENTICES AND IMPROVERS.				
(a) Outside the Metropolitan District.				
	Wages per Week.			
	Apprentices.		*Improvers.	
	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.
	<i>s. d.</i>	<i>s. d.</i>	<i>s. d.</i>	<i>s. d.</i>
1st year .. ..	44 6	37 0	} 241 0	146 0
2nd year .. ..	59 0	51 6		
3rd year .. ..	86 0	72 0		
4th year—				
1st six months ..	118 0	101 6		
2nd six months ..	118 0	118 0		
5th year—				
1st six months ..	145 0	118 0		
2nd six months ..	145 0	..		

JUVENILE WORKERS, i.e., females under 21 years of age employed solely as receptionists or females under 17 years of age employed solely as messengers—

*Wages.*

Receptionists .. .. 90s. 6d. per week of 40 hours.  
Messengers .. .. 35s. per week of 40 hours.

PROPORTION (IN ANY SHOP OR PLACE).

One Juvenile Worker employed as a receptionist to every fifteen or fraction of fifteen persons receiving not less than the minimum wage.

In addition, one Juvenile Worker employed as a messenger in any shop or place where not less than four persons are employed.

(b) Within the Metropolitan District—The wages payable shall be such rates as may be prescribed from time to time by the Apprenticeship Commission of Victoria.

Apprentices and improvers shall be subject to the number of hours per week as fixed for their respective sections.

\* The employment, within the Metropolitan District, of any improver is illegal.

PROPORTION (IN ANY SHOP OR PLACE).

*Apprentices.*

In Men's Hairdressing Saloons.

One male apprentice to every three or fraction of three male workers receiving not less than the minimum wage.

In Ladies' Hairdressing Saloons.

One apprentice to each female worker receiving not less than the wage of 20s. 3d. per week. Provided that a male working employer shall be entitled to an apprentice.

In places where both Men's and Ladies' Hairdressing is carried out.

One apprentice to every three or fraction of three workers, male or female, receiving not less than the minimum wage if male, or 20s. 3d. per week if female.

*Improvers.*

One male improver to every fifteen male workers receiving not less than the minimum wage.

One female improver to every fifteen persons receiving not less than the minimum wage.

An amended indenture of apprenticeship prescribed by the Board was approved on 26th March, 1936.

Other Employees.	Wages.	
	Within the Metropolitan District as defined in the Labour and Industry Act; the Cities of Geelong, Geelong West, Warrnambool, and of Newtown and Chillwell.	All Other Parts of Victoria.
	<i>s. d.</i>	<i>s. d.</i>
	Per Week of 40 Hours.	Per Week of 40 Hours.
<i>Men's Hairdressing Saloons.</i>		
Chair workers (male or female) .. .. .	311 0	301 0
Provided that any person appointed by his employer to be foreman of a saloon shall be paid 5s. extra per week if not more than five persons are employed, and if more than five persons are employed he shall be paid 1s. extra per week for each employee.		
<i>Any Other Place.</i>		
Males engaged in—		
Children's haircutting .. .. .	316 0	306 0
Ladies' haircutting .. .. .	353 6	350 6
All other males .. .. .	378 6	375 6
	Per Week of 20 Hours.	Per Week of 20 Hours.
Female window models .. .. .	275 0	269 6
	Per Week of 40 Hours.	Per Week of 40 Hours.
Females engaged in haircutting .. .. .	219 6	216 0
Female receptionists .. .. .	184 6	184 0
All other females .. .. .	207 0	204 3

A. V. BARNES, J.P., Chairman,  
J. W. RYAN, Secretary.

Melbourne, 13th December, 1955.