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Labour and Industry Acts.

**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 Acts, 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, 1956.

Dated at Melbourne, this
25th day of May, 1956.

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

CEMENT BOARD.

Clause 2, of the Determination published in *Government Gazette* No. 560 of the 22nd July, 1955, shall be replaced by the following clause:—

2.

WAGES.

APPRENTICES AND IMPROVERS.

	(a) CEMENT WORKS.			
	Wages per Week.			
	Percentage of Basic Wage.	Rate.	Plus War Loading.	Total Wage.
	%	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
Under 16 years of age	43	110 0	2 0	112 0
Under 17 years of age	53	135 6	2 9	138 3
Under 18 years of age	61	156 0	3 3	159 3
Under 19 years of age	74	189 6	4 0	193 6
Under 20 years of age	84	215 0	4 3	219 3
Under 21 years of age	95	243 0	5 0	248 0

(b) The wages for apprentices and improvers shall be the appropriate rates prescribed for cement works plus 7s. per week.

PROPORTION (in any factory or place).

Apprentices.

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

Improvers.

One improvers to every five or fraction of five workers receiving not less than the minimum Wage

OTHER EMPLOYEES (MALES).

(a)	Cement Works.	Wages per Week.
		<i>s. d.</i>
Cement Burner		320 0
Tester on Slurry Controls		315 0
Miller		312 6
Coal Drier		312 6
Potash plant attendant		308 6
Loader in railway trucks at bagging sheds		317 0
Machine Bag Filler		317 0
Electrostatic Precipitator Attendant		305 0
Pipe Line Attendant		295 0
Slurry Tank Attendant		305 0
Mammoth Crusher Attendant		318 6
Mammoth Crusher Assistant		300 6
Truck Trimmer		293 0
Truck Cleaner		291 0
Cleaner (other)		289 0
Truck Tarper		297 6
Mill Room Helper		296 6
Centrifuge Operator		300 6
Potash Residue Attendant		297 0
Experienced Factory Operative		291 6
Train Attendant		300 0
All others		268 0

(b)	Quarries.	Wages per Week.
		<i>s. d.</i>
Powder Monkey		337 0
Jack Hammerman		337 0
Platelayer		313 6
Bankman		311 0
Underground Quarryman		325 0
Pump Attendant		316 0
Signal Attendant		300 0
Leverman		297 6
Dump Man		300 0
String Puller		295 0
Switch Attendant		295 0
Dray Attendant		299 6
All others		275 0

LEADING HANDS.

(c) In addition to the appropriate wages rate prescribed in sub-clauses (a) or (b) hereof a Leading Hand shall be entitled to the following allowance:—

If in charge of 4 or less men	1s.	per day
If in charge of 5 to 8 men	1s. 6d.	per day
If in charge of 9 men or more	2s.	per day

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