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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 August, 1956.

Dated at Melbourne, this
12th day of November, 1956.

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

TANNERS (FURRED SKINS) BOARD.

Clauses 2 and 3 of the Determination published in *Government Gazette* No. 465 of the 7th May, 1956, shall be replaced by the following clauses:—

2.

ADULT MALES.

	Wages Per Week.
	£ s. d.
Persons engaged shaving on upright knife and/or rotary shaving knife—	
1st year's experience	15 4 0
2nd year's experience	15 12 0
Thereafter	16 9 0
Persons engaged as fleshers on upright knife, beam fleshers, and pullers on upright knife—	
1st year's experience	15 1 0
Thereafter	15 19 0
Machine flesher	14 19 0
Persons engaged as wet drum hands and/or paddle and/or vat hand and/or hydro extractor operators	14 11 0
Persons engaged as dry drum operators	14 11 0
Persons engaged in spraying stencilling or tipping by machine or by hand	14 14 0
Persons engaged as buffing machinists	14 17 6
Persons engaged as fluffing machinists	14 12 0
Persons engaged as fluffing machinists on suede wheel	14 16 0
Persons engaged as staking machine operators	14 12 0
Persons engaged as carding and/or combing machine operators (sheep skins)	14 12 0
Persons engaged as setting out and/or stretching machine operators	14 11 0
Persons engaged ripping by hand or by machine	14 10 0
Persons engaged as clipping and/or epilating machine operators	14 11 0
Table hands	14 10 0
Males not elsewhere included	13 3 0

Men employed at emptying sewers, settling pits, and cleaning sewers shall be paid at the rate of 1s. per hour in addition to their ordinary or overtime rate whilst engaged on such work.

WET WORK.

The weekly wage of all adult employees engaged in the following classes of work, namely—

Shaving on upright and/or rotary shaving knife, fleshers on upright knife, beam fleshers, pullers on upright knife, machine fleshers, wet drum hands, and/or paddle and/or vat hand and/or hydro extractor operators and ripping by hand or by machine,

shall be increased by the sum of 3s. 6d. per week as wet workers

ADULT FEMALES.

Females operating rotary shaving knife, beam fleshing, pulling and fleshing on upright knife shavers, shall be paid the rate which is prescribed for adult males.

	£	s.	d.
Females (other than those employed upon epilating)---			
First month's experience	10	1	6
Second and third month's experience	10	7	6
Fourth, fifth and sixth month's experience	10	13	6
Thereafter	10	19	6
Females engaged upon epilating	11	3	6

3.

		Wages per Week.
		£ s. d.
<i>Males.</i>		
Under 16 years of age		3 19 0
16 and under 17 years of age		5 5 0
17 and under 18 years of age		6 11 6
18 and under 19 years of age		7 18 0
19 and under 20 years of age		10 10 6
20 and under 21 years of age		13 3 0
<i>Females.</i>		
Under 16 years of age		3 13 0
16 and under 17 years of age		4 12 6
17 and under 18 years of age		5 4 6
18 and under 19 years of age		5 18 0
19 and under 20 years of age		6 12 0
20 and under 21 years of age		8 3 6
and thereafter the minimum wage prescribed for adult females for the class of work which they are doing, provided, however, that a junior female after 4 years' experience in the industry covered by this Determination shall be paid the full adult rate prescribed in clause 2.		

Clauses, other than clauses 2 and 3 of the said Determination, shall remain in force.