

as defined in Paragraphs 1 (a) and (2) of Section III of this Part of this Notice:

A.—General Minimum Time-Rates at Present in Operation:

General Minimum Time-Rates.

(i) Learners commencing employment in this section of the trade under the age of 21 years—

During the first year of employment, 20s. per week of 48 hours.

During the second year of employment, 30s. per week of 48 hours.

During the third year of employment, 40s. per week of 48 hours.

During the fourth year of employment, 45s. per week of 48 hours.

During the fifth year of employment, 50s. per week of 48 hours.

During the sixth year of employment, 55s. per week of 48 hours.

During the seventh year of employment, 60s. per week of 48 hours.

B.—General Minimum Time-Rates proposed:

Provided that a male or female Learner commencing employment in this section of the trade under the age of 21 years shall cease to be a Learner and become entitled to the General Minimum Time-Rate applicable to him or her under Sub-section (A) (1) of Section I of Part I of the above-mentioned Notice Z (8) on attaining the age of 21 years.

(ii) Learners commencing employment in this section of the trade at the age of 21 years or over—

During the first six months of employment, 50s. per week of 48 hours.

During the second six months of employment, 55s. per week of 48 hours.

Thereafter a Learner shall cease to be a Learner and be entitled to the General Minimum Time-rate applicable to him or her under Sub-section (a) of Section I of Part I of the above-mentioned Notice Z (8).

					LEARNERS COMMENCING EMPLOYMENT IN THIS SECTION OF THE TRADE AT			
					14 and under 16 years of age.	16 and under 18 years of age.	18 and under 20 years of age.	20 years of age and over.
					Column I.	Column II.	Column III.	Column IV.
					Per week of 48 hours.	Per week of 48 hours.	Per week of 48 hours.	Per week of 48 hours.
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During 1st year of employment	15 0	22 6	30 0	35 0
" 2nd	"	"	17 6	27 6	35 0	42 6
" 3rd	"	"	20 0	35 0	40 0	47 6
" 4th	"	"	...	...	25 0	40 0	42 6	55 0
" 5th	"	"	...	...	35 0	45 0	47 6	—
" 6th	"	"	...	...	45 0	50 0	55 0	—
" 7th	"	"	...	...	55 0	55 0	—	—

A Learner shall cease to be a Learner and shall become entitled to the full General Minimum Time-Rate applicable to workers other than Learners, upon completion of 7 years' employment as a Learner.

Provided that a worker shall cease to be a Learner on attaining the age of 24 years, notwithstanding that he or she may not have completed 7 years' employment as a Learner.

SECTION II.—For Female Workers employed as Machinists, Liners, or Finishers:—

A.—General Minimum Time-Rates at Present in Operation.

General Minimum Time-Rates.

(1) Workers other than Learners as specified in Sub-section (B) (2) of Section I of Part I of the above-mentioned Notice Z (8)—

(a) Workers of 18 years of age and over employed as Machinists, 45s. per week of 48 hours.

(b) Workers of 18 years of age and over employed as Liners or Finishers, 40s. per week of 48 hours.

(2) Learners as defined in Section I of Part III of the above-mentioned Notice Z (8)—

(c) Learners commencing employment in this section of the trade under the age of 18 years—

During the first year of employment, 15s. per week of 48 hours.

During the second year of employment, 20s. per week of 48 hours.

During the third year of employment, 20s. per week of 48 hours.

During the fourth year of employment, 35s. per week of 48 hours.