

**AGRICULTURAL WAGES (REGULATION) ACT, 1924.**

**ORDER DEFINING THE BENEFITS OR ADVANTAGES WHICH MAY BE RECKONED AS PAYMENT OF WAGES IN LIEU OF CASH.**

The Cornwall and Isles of Scilly Agricultural Wages Committee in pursuance of the powers vested in them by the Agricultural Wages (Regulation) Act, 1924, and the Regulations made thereunder do by this Order vary as from 20th December, 1931, their Order of 6th December, 1926, defining the benefits or advantages (not being benefits or advantages prohibited by law) which may be reckoned as payment of wages in lieu of payment in cash for the purpose of the application of any minimum rate of wages fixed by the said Committee for the area comprising the administrative counties of Cornwall and Isles of Scilly so as to provide that such benefits or advantages and the values at which they are to be reckoned shall be as follows:—

**1. Benefits or Advantages.**

**(a) Milk.**

(b) *Potato ground*, provided that the employer supplies 2 cwt. of potato manure per 20 yards and cultivates the land, and provided also that the worker supplies 2 cwt. of seed potatoes per 20 yards (i.e. one-eighth of a statute acre).

(c) *Lodging*, except in any case in which the Agricultural Wages Committee shall have determined that the lodging accommodation provided is so defective as to be injurious to health.

(d) *Board*, including any meals but not including intoxicating drink.

(e) *Cottage*, including any garden hitherto given or let with the cottage, except where the cottage is one in regard to which the Medical Officer of Health has reported that it is in a state so dangerous or injurious to health as to be unfit for human habitation.

**2. Values.**

(a) *Milk*.—New Milk 3d. per quart.

Skimmed or scalded milk,  
1½d. per quart.

(b) *Potato ground*.—1s. per week per 20 yards, provided that, in the event of the contract of service between employer and worker being terminated before the crop is lifted, the employer shall refund to the worker (i) an amount equal to that by which his cash wages have been reduced on account of this benefit or advantage since the previous Michaelmas, and (ii) an amount equal to the price of the seed potatoes (if any) which have been sown.

(c) and (d) *Board and lodging for male workers*:—

	19 years of age and over.	17 and under 19 years.	16 and under 17 years.	15 and under 16 years.	14 and under 15 years.
	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
Full Board and Lodging for a 7-day week.	15 0	14 0	11 0	10 0	7 0
Board only (excluding intoxicants) for a 7-day week.	10 6	9 6	8 0	7 0	4 0
Lodging only for a 7-day week ...	4 6	4 6	3 0	3 0	3 0
Individual meals (to apply to cases not provided for above).	6	5½	4½	3	2½

(e) *Cottage* 3s. per week less any rates paid by the occupier.

3. In pursuance of their said powers the said Committee hereby order that except as in this Order provided, no benefit or advantage shall be reckoned as payment of wages in lieu of cash.

By Order of the Cornwall and Isles of Scilly Agricultural Wages Committee.

21, Bedford Circus, Exeter.  
12th December, 1931.

F. Wheeler,  
Secretary.

Copies of the above Orders may be obtained from the Secretary, Cornwall and Isles of Scilly Agricultural Wages Committee, 21, Bedford Circus, Exeter.

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Whereas the Agricultural Wages Committee for the area comprising the administrative county of Derby, which for the purposes of the Agricultural Wages (Regulation) Act, 1924, shall be deemed to include the county borough of Derby, have, in pursuance of the above Act,

duly fixed minimum and overtime rates of wages for workers employed in agriculture for time work in that area, and the said rates are set out in the Schedule to this Order. Now the Agricultural Wages Board, in pursuance of the said Act and for the purpose of carrying out the decision of the said Committee, hereby order that the provisions contained in the Schedule to this Order shall become effective on 26th December, 1931.