

TRADE BOARDS ACTS, 1909 AND 1918.

FUR TRADE BOARD (GREAT BRITAIN).

PROPOSAL TO FIX CERTAIN MINIMUM RATES OF WAGES FOR MALE AND FEMALE WORKERS.

In accordance with Regulations made under Section 18 of the Trade Boards Act, 1909, by the Minister of Labour, and dated 31st October, 1918, the Trade Board established in Great Britain under the Trade Boards Act, 1918, for the Fur Trade as specified in the Trade Boards (Fur) Order, 1919, hereby give notice, as required by Section 3 (5) of the Trade Boards Act, 1918, that they propose to fix certain General Minimum Piece-Rates for Male and Female Workers and Piece-Work Basis Time-Rates for certain classes of Male Workers, as follows:—

PART I.

*Proposed General Minimum Piece-Rates for Male and Female Workers.*SECTION I.—*Machine Fleshing.*

Skin and Proposed General Minimum Piece-Rate.

Anteaters, 1s. 3d. per skin.
 Antelopes, 1s. 3d. per skin.
 Badgers, 4d. per skin.
 Bears, Brown and Black, large, 2s. per skin.
 Bears, Brown and Black, medium, 1s. 6d. per skin.
 Bears, Brown and Black, cubs, 10d. per skin.
 Bears, Grizzly, extra large, 3s. per skin.
 Bears, Grizzly, large, 2s. 6d. per skin.
 Bears, Grizzly, medium, 1s. 9d. per skin.
 Bears, Grizzly, cub, 1s. per skin.
 Bears, Polar, extra large, 3s. per skin.
 Bears, Polar, large, 2s. 6d. per skin.
 Bears, Polar, medium, 1s. 9d. per skin.
 Bears, Polar, cub, 1s. per skin.
 Beavers, large, 7d. per skin.
 Beavers, small, 5d. per skin.
 Cats, House, 2d. per skin.
 Cats, Wild, 2d. per skin.
 Cats, Bush, 3d. per skin.
 Cats, Civet, 9d. per doz. skins.
 Cats, Dutch, 2d. per skin.
 Cats, Leopard, 6d. per skin.
 Cats, Lynx, 6d. per skin.
 Calves, 1s. 6d. per skin.
 Cheetah, 1s. 6d. per skin.
 Coyotes, 4d. per skin.
 Deer, Faun, 9d. per skin.
 Deer, small, 1s. 6d. per skin.
 Deer, medium, 2s. per skin.
 Deer, large, 2s. 6d. per skin.
 Dik-Dik, 4d. per skin.
 Dogs, small, 6d. per skin.
 Dogs, medium, 10d. per skin.
 Dogs, large, 1s. 3d. per skin.
 Fishers, 8d. per skin.
 Fitch, open, 4s. 2d. per 100 skins.
 Fitch, cased, 6s. per 100 skins.
 Foxes, Red, 20s. per 100 skins.
 Foxes, English, 20s. per 100 skins.
 Foxes, Australian, 16s. 8d. per 100 skins.
 Foxes, Grey, 16s. 8d. per 100 skins.
 Foxes, Indian, 16s. 8d. per 100 skins.
 Foxes, Kid, 16s. 8d. per 100 skins.
 Foxes, Jap, 20s. per 100 skins.
 Goats, small, 8d. per skin.
 Goats, medium, 1s. per skin.
 Goats, large, 1s. 6d. per skin.

Hair Seals, small, 9d. per skin.
 Hair Seals, large, 1s. per skin.
 Horse and Pony, 10s. per skin.
 Hyena, small, 6d. per skin.
 Hyena, large, 8d. per skin.
 Jackal, 3d. per skin.
 Jaguar, 1s. 6d. per skin.
 Kangaroo, small, 4d. per skin.
 Kangaroo, medium, 6d. per skin.
 Kangaroo, large, 8d. per skin.
 Kolinsky, 5s. per 100 skins.
 Leopard, 1s. 6d. per skin.
 Lion, 5s. per skin.
 Lioness, 5s. per skin.
 Marmot, 8s. 4d. per 100 skins.
 Marten, Baum, 8s. 4d. per 100 skins.
 Marten, Stone, 8s. 4d. per 100 skins.
 Marten, Canadian, 8s. 4d. per 100 skins.
 Marten, Jap, 8s. 4d. per 100 skins.
 Mink, Canadian, 8s. 4d. per 100 skins.
 Mink, Jap, 4s. 2d. per 100 skins.
 Musquash, 6s. per 100 skins.
 Musquash, Kit, 3s. 3d. per 100 skins.
 Moles, 2s. per 100 skins.
 Nutria, 8s. 4d. per 100 skins.
 Ocelot, 6d. per skin.
 Opossum (all round), Australian, 6s. per 100 skins.
 Opossum (all round), American, 5s. per 100 skins.
 Opossum, Fleshing, 1s. per 100 skins.
 Opossum, Paring out, 5s. per 100 skins.
 Opossum, Ringtails, 5s. per 100 skins.
 Opossum, Victorian and Tasmanian, 9s. per 100 skins.
 Otters, 6d. per skin.
 Pahmi, 4s. per 100 skins.
 Panthers, 1s. per skin.
 Platypus, 1d. per skin.
 Puma, 1s. 6d. per skin.
 Rabbits, Wild and Australian, Fleshing, 5s. 6d. per 100 skins.
 Rabbits, Wild and Australian, Paring out, 2s. per 100 skins.
 Rabbits, Tame, 8s. 4d. per 100 skins.
 Raccoons, 2d. per skin.
 Sheep, small, 8d. per skin.
 Sheep, medium, 1s. per skin.
 Sheep, large, 1s. 6d. per skin.
 Skunk, Fleshing, 2s. 1d. per 100 skins.
 Skunk, Paring out, 6s. 3d. per 100 skins.
 Tiger, 3s. per skin.
 Tiger cubs, 6d. per skin.
 Wallaby, extra extra large, 30s. per 100 skins.
 Wallaby, extra large, 30s. per 100 skins.
 Wallaby, large, 16s. 8d. per 100 skins.
 Wallaby, medium, 12s. 6d. per 100 skins.
 Wallaby, small, 8s. 4d. per 100 skins.
 Wallaby, extra small, 6s. 3d. per 100 skins.
 Wolves, Canadian, small, 25s. per 100 skins.
 Wolves, Canadian, large, 33s. per 100 skins.
 Wolves, Russian, 50s. per 100 skins.
 Wolverines, 6d. per skin.
 Wombat, 4½d. per skin.
 Weazels, 3s. 6d. per 100 skins.
 Whitecoats, small, 10d. per skin.
 Whitecoats, large, 10d. per skin.
 Zebra, 10s. per skin.
 Bullocks and Cows, 10s. per skin.

SECTION II.—*Hand Fleshing and Shaving:—*

Skin and Proposed General Minimum Piece-rate.

Marten Tails, Jap, 6s. per 100 skins.