

than deductions under the National Health Insurance Act, 1911, as amended by any subsequent enactments or deductions authorised by any Act to be made from wages in respect of contributions to any superannuation or other provident fund.

SECTION II.—The above proposed minimum rates of wages are without prejudice to workers who are earning higher rates of wages, or to agreements made or that may be made between employers and workers for the payment of wages in excess of these minimum rates of wages.

The Trade Board will consider any Objections to the above Proposals which may be lodged with them within two months from 22nd June, 1921. Such Objections should be in

writing and signed by the person making the same (adding his or her full name and address), and should be sent to the Secretary of the Stamped or Pressed Metal Wares Trade Board (Great Britain), 7-11, Old Bailey, London, E.C. 4.

It is desirable that the Objections should state precisely, and so far as possible with reasons, what is objected to.

Dated this twenty-first day of June, 1921.

Signed by order of the Trade Board.

F. Poppewell,

Secretary.

Office of Trade Boards,

7-11, Old Bailey, London, E.C. 4.

TRADE BOARDS ACTS, 1909 AND 1918.

READY-MADE AND WHOLESALE BESPOKE TAILORING TRADE BOARD
(GREAT BRITAIN).

PROPOSAL TO VARY MINIMUM RATES OF WAGES FOR MALE 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 under the Trade Boards Act, 1909 and 1918, for that Section of the Tailoring Trade specified in the Trade Boards (Tailoring) Order, 1919, which is covered by the Regulations made by the Minister of Labour and dated 15th January, 1920, with respect to the Ready-Made and Wholesale Bespoke Section of the Tailoring Trade in Great Britain, HEREBY GIVE NOTICE as required by Section 3 (5) of the Trade Boards Act, 1918 (The Minister of Labour having given his consent to such Notice being given) THAT THEY PROPOSE TO VARY the General Minimum Time-Rates, Piece-work Basis Time-Rates and Overtime Rates for Male Workers, at present fixed and set out in the Schedule to their Notice R.M. (8), dated 20th May, 1921, and effective under an Order of the Minister of Labour, dated 17th May, 1921, the proposed Minimum Rates of Wages being as shown in the Schedule set out below.

SCHEDULE.

PART I.

Proposed Variation of General Minimum Time-Rates and Piece-work Basis Time-Rates for Male Workers.

SECTION I.—Measure Cutters, Cutters, Knife Cutters or Knifemen, Fitters-up, Tailors, Pressers, Machinists, and Passers (as defined in Section I. of Part III. of this Schedule):—

Proposed Variation.		Proposed Variation.	
General	Piece-work	General	Piece-work
Minimum	Basis	Minimum	Basis
Time-Rates.	Time-Rates.	Time-Rates.	Time-Rates.
Per hour.	Per hour.	Per hour.	Per hour.
From	To	From	To
s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.

(1) Workers (other than those specified in Sub-sections (2) and (3) of this Section):—

Cutters:—

Measure Cutters (as defined in Section I. (a) of Part III. of this Schedule):—Who have been employed not less than five years after the age of 19 in actual cutting processes, including not less than three years as a Measure Cutter, as defined in Section I. (a) of Part III. of this Schedule 2 0 1 9 2 1½ 1 10½

Cutters (other than Measure Cutters or Knife Cutters or Knifemen) as defined in Section I. (b) of Part III. of this Schedule—

(a) Who have been employed not less than five years after the age of 19 upon the processes specified in Section I. (b) of Part III. of this Schedule, including not less than three years as a cutter of any class specified in this Schedule 1 10 1 7 1 11½ 1 8½

(b) Who have been employed not less than three years and less than five years after the age of 19 as a knifeman or as a cutter of any class specified in this Schedule... .. 1 7¼ 1 5 1 9¼ 1 6½

Knife Cutters or Knifemen (as defined in Section I. (c) of Part III. of this Schedule)—

(a) Who have been employed not less than five years after the age of 19 as a cutter of any class specified in this Schedule, including not less than three years' experience as a knife cutter or knifeman, as defined in Section I. (c) of Part III. of this Schedule 1 10 1 7 1 11½ 1 8½