

- (b) The expressions "Apprentice" and "Learner" shall include all persons who in fact have been employed as Apprentices and/or Learners in the Retail Bespoke Section of the Tailoring Trade, whether or not employed as Apprentices or Learners as defined by the Trade Board.
- (c) In the case of Apprentices, Learners or Improvers who have served under a contract in writing entered into prior to the 10th October, 1921, providing for their effective instruction in any branch of the Retail Bespoke Section of the Tailoring Trade for a period exceeding five years but not exceeding seven years, the period specified in the contract shall be substituted for the period of five years' employment referred to in such Section.

SECTION III—

General Minimum Time-Rate. Per hour.

ALL MALE WORKERS OTHER THAN (i) Workers specified in Sections I, IV and V (A), (B) and (C) of this Part of this Schedule, and (ii) Cutters and Trimmers.

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SECTION IV—

MALE LEARNERS as defined in, and who comply with the conditions specified in, Part IV of this Schedule (other than Apprentices as defined by the Trade Board in Part I, and in the proviso to Section II of Part II, of their Notice R.B. (19), dated 29th May, 1922) :—

General Minimum Time-Rates per week of 48 hours.

	s.	d.
For the 1st year of Learnership...	9	0
" 2nd "	12	6
" 3rd "	17	6
" 4th "	24	0
" 5th "	34	0

The General Minimum Time-Rates for Male Learners set out in this Section are weekly rates based on a week of 48 hours and are subject to a proportionate decrease according as the number of hours of employment in any week is less than 48,

SECTION V—

The Minimum Rates of Wages for

- (A) MALE APPRENTICES, who are learning to make the various garments throughout under a contract in writing, and who were REGISTERED WITH THE TRADE BOARD AS SUCH APPRENTICES PRIOR TO 10TH OCTOBER, 1921;
- (B) MALE INDENTURED APPRENTICES (as defined by the Trade Board in Part I of their Notice R.B. (19), dated 29th May, 1922), REGISTERED WITH THE TRADE BOARD ON OR AFTER 10TH OCTOBER, 1921; *but excluding* :—
- (C) Apprentices whose indentures (a) were made prior to the 10th October, 1921, and (b) provide for the Apprentice being supplied by the employer with board or with board and lodging,

are set out in the Schedule to the said Notice R.B. (19) dated 29th May, 1922.

PART II.

GENERAL MINIMUM TIME-RATES AND PIECE-WORK BASIS TIME-RATES FOR FEMALE WORKERS.

General Minimum Time-Rate. Per hour. Piece-Work Basis Time-Rate. Per hour.

SECTION I—

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FEMALE WORKERS of 20 years of age and over who have completed not less than five years' total employment, including not less than three years as an Apprentice and/or Learner on operations in the Retail Bespoke Section of the Tailoring Trade as set out in Section II of Part V of this Schedule, other than operations specified in paragraph (4) hereof ... ..

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Provided that :—

- (a) For the purpose of this Section, the expressions "Apprentice" and "Learner" shall include all persons who, in fact, have been employed as Apprentices and/or Learners in the Retail Bespoke Section of the Tailoring Trade whether or not employed as Apprentices or Learners as defined by the Trade Board.
- (b) A worker, for the purpose of ascertaining whether she has completed (a) not less than three years as an Apprentice and/or Learner and (b) not less than the five years' total employment, as specified in this Section, shall be entitled, notwithstanding anything herein contained, to count all previous experience on actual sewing and/or machining operations in the making up of garments coming within the scope of the Ready-Made and Wholesale Bespoke Tailoring Trade Board (Great Britain) and/or the Wholesale Mantle and Costume Trade Board (Great Britain).