

FUR TRADE BOARD (GREAT BRITAIN).

MINIMUM RATES OF WAGES FOR MALE AND FEMALE WORKERS.

The Schedule to this Notice sets out all the General Minimum Time-Rates, Piece-Work Basis Time-Rates and overtime Rates as Fixed or as Varied by the Trade Board and made effective by Orders of the Minister of Labour.

- (a) The General Minimum Time-Rates (and the Overtime Rates based thereon) and the Piece-Work Basis Time-Rates marked † are effective as from 14th April, 1924.*
- (b) The other Minimum Rates of Wages set out in the Schedule below are effective as from 9th February, 1922, or earlier as shown on previous Notices issued by the Trade Board.

* Should this date not correspond with the beginning of the period for which wages are paid by an employer who pays wages at intervals not exceeding seven days, the rates shall become effective as from the beginning of the next full pay period, but in no case later than 20th April, 1924.

SCHEDULE.

PART I.

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

SECTION I.—FURRIERS' SECTION.

Cutters and Nailers :—

(A) MALE and FEMALE WORKERS employed as CUTTERS or NAILERS.

(1) WORKERS OTHER THAN LEARNERS as specified in Sub-section (A) (2) of this Section, and other than APPRENTICES as specified in Sub-section (A) (3) of this Section :—	General Minimum Time-Rates per week of 48 hours.		Piece-Work Basis Time-Rates per hour.	
	s.	d.	s.	d.
(a) Workers of 21 years of age or over employed as CUTTERS who have had not less than 4 years' experience in Cutting	80	0	2	2½
(b) Workers of 21 years of age or over employed as CUTTERS who have had less than 4 years' experience in Cutting	65	0	1	9½
(c) Workers of 21 years of age or over employed as NAILERS	60	0	1	8

Learners to Cutting and/or Nailing :—

(2) MALE AND FEMALE LEARNERS to Cutting and/or Nailing as defined in Section I of Part III of this Schedule :—

	LEARNERS COMMENCING EMPLOYMENT IN THE FURRIERS' SECTION OF THE TRADE AT						
	14 and under 15 years of age.	15 and under 16 years of age.	16 and under 17 years of age.	17 and under 18 years of age.	18 and under 19 years of age.	19 and under 20 years of age.	20 years of age or over.
	Column I.	Column II.	Column III.	Column IV.	Column V.	Column VI.	Column VII.
	Per week of 48 hours.	Per week of 48 hours.	Per week of 48 hours.	Per week of 48 hours.	Per week of 48 hours.	Per week of 48 hours.	Per week of 48 hours.
During 1st year of employment	s. d. 15 0	s. d. 15 0	s. d. 17 6	s. d. 20 0	s. d. 25 0	s. d. 30 0	s. d. 35 0
" 2nd " " "	17 6	17 6	20 0	25 0	35 0	35 0	40 0
" 3rd " " "	20 0	20 0	25 0	35 0	40 0	40 0	47 6
" 4th " " "	25 0	25 0	35 0	45 0	42 6	47 6	—
" 5th " " "	35 0	35 0	45 0	50 0	47 6	—	—
" 6th " " "	45 0	45 0	50 0	55 0	—	—	—
" 7th " " "	55 0	55 0	55 0	—	—	—	—

A Learner to Cutting and/or Nailing shall cease to be a learner and shall become entitled to the full General Minimum Time-Rate applicable under Section I (A) (1) of this Part upon the 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.