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**THE AGRICULTURAL WORKERS (FARMS AND STATIONS)
EXTENSION ORDER 1949, AMENDMENT NO. 3**

FREYBERG, Governor-General
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 23rd day of
April 1952

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

PURSUANT to the Agricultural Workers Act 1936, and after submission by the Minister of Labour to the organization of the workers of the class affected and to the organization of their employers of the proposal to vary the Agricultural Workers (Farms and Stations) Extension Order 1949* as hereinafter appears, and after approval in all material particulars by the said organizations of the provisions herein contained, His Excellency the Governor-General, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council, hereby orders as follows:—

1. (1) This order may be cited as the Agricultural Workers (Farms and Stations) Extension Order 1949, Amendment No. 3, and shall be read together with and deemed part of the Agricultural Workers (Farms and Stations) Extension Order 1949* (hereinafter referred to as the principal order).

(2) Except as provided in subclause (3) of this clause, this order shall come into force on the day after the date of its notification in the *Gazette*.

(3) The provisions of this order relating to wages shall be deemed to have come into force on the 1st day of April 1952.

2. (1) The Schedule to the principal order is hereby amended by revoking clause 1 (as substituted by clause 2 of the Agricultural Workers (Farms and Stations) Extension Order 1949, Amendment No. 2), and substituting the following clause:—

* Statutory Regulations 1949, Serial number 1949/134, page 557.

Amendment No. 1: (*Revoked by Serial number 1951/34*).

Amendment No. 2: Statutory Regulations 1951, Serial number 1951/34, page 91.

“ 1. Except as hereinafter provided, every worker shall be entitled to receive from his employer payment for his work at such rate as is agreed upon, being not less than the appropriate rate as prescribed hereunder:—

	Per Week and Found.		
	£	s.	d.
“ For workers—			
“ Under the age of 17 years	2	13	6
“ Of the age of 17 but under 18 years	3	7	9
“ Of the age of 18 but under 19 years	4	3	3
“ Of the age of 19 but under 20 years	4	17	9
“ Of the age of 20 but under 21 years	5	12	9
“ Of 21 years and upwards	6	7	6

“ For example—

 “ Man 21 years and over occupying a house on farm, £7 10s. 3d.

 “ Man 21 years and over not provided with board and lodging or a house on the farm, £7 16s. 3d.”

(2) Clause 2 of the Agricultural Workers (Farms and Stations) Extension Order 1949, Amendment No. 2, is hereby revoked.

3. The Schedule to the principal order is hereby amended by revoking clause 7, and substituting the following clause:—

“ 7. *Holidays*.—Farm workers shall be entitled to the following holidays, namely:—

“ (a) The seven statutory holidays, Anzac Day, and Anniversary Day, or days in lieu thereof to be agreed on between the employer and the worker:

“ (b) Another thirty-one days in the aggregate per annum, to be taken as follows: Not less than twelve working days at one period at the convenience of the employer, and the other nineteen days in half-days or at such times as shall be mutually agreed between the employer and the worker:

 “ Provided that if the period of employment is less than twelve months the worker shall be entitled during or on the termination of his employment to a proportion of the holidays specified in this paragraph, according to the length of service performed:

“ (c) The total number of holidays granted under paragraphs (a) and (b) hereof shall amount in the aggregate to not fewer than forty days per annum, including half-days and statutory, special, and annual holidays.”

T. J. SHERRARD,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

[This note is not part of the order, but is intended to indicate its general effect.]

This order increases by 5s. a week the wage of a worker of twenty-one years and upwards and by a proportionate amount the wages of workers between sixteen and twenty-one years of age. It also increases from thirty-four to forty the aggregate number of days per annum to be granted as holidays to workers coming within the scope of the order.

Issued under the authority of the Regulations Act 1936.

Date of notification in *Gazette*: 24th day of April 1952.

These regulations are administered in the Department of Labour and Employment.