

1960/23

THE AGRICULTURAL WORKERS WAGES ORDER 1960

COBHAM, Governor-General
ORDER IN COUNCIL

At the Government Buildings at Wellington this 14th day of March 1960

Present:

THE RIGHT HON. W. NASH, C.H., PRESIDING IN COUNCIL

PURSUANT to section 14 of the Agricultural Workers Act 1936, and having regard to the prices for the time being fixed under section 16 of the Dairy Products Marketing Commission Act 1947, His Excellency the Governor-General, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council, hereby makes the following order.

ORDER

1. (1) This order may be cited as the Agricultural Workers Wages Order 1960.

(2) This order shall be deemed to have come into force on the 1st day of February 1960 and shall continue in force until the 31st day of July 1960, and thereafter until a further order is made in substitution therefor.

2. The Agricultural Workers Wages Order 1955* is hereby revoked.

3. (1) Subject to the provisions of this clause, the following shall be the minimum rates of wages payable under the said section 14 to agricultural workers employed on dairy farms:

	A Week
	£ s. d.
(a) For workers under the age of 17 years	4 10 6
(b) For workers of the age of 17 years but under the age of 18 years	5 13 3
(c) For workers of the age of 18 years but under the age of 19 years	6 17 9
(d) For workers of the age of 19 years but under the age of 20 years	8 1 0
(e) For workers of the age of 20 years but under the age of 21 years	9 3 3
(f) For workers of the age of 21 years and upwards	10 5 6

(2) The above rates shall be deemed to include allowance for work done at weekends and on holidays as part of the normal week's work.

(3) In the case of those workers who are not provided with board and lodging by their employers the aforesaid rates shall be increased by £2 2s. 6d. a week.

4. The following shall be the minimum rates of wages payable under the said section 14 to casual workers employed on dairy farms:

Harvesters 5s. 4d. an hour with rations.

	By the Hour				By the Day					
	Found		Not Found		Found		Not Found			
	s.	d.	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
(a) Of the age of 18 years and upwards	4	6½	5	4	1	16	4	2	2	6
(b) Under the age of 18 years	3	1	3	10½	1	4	10	1	11	0

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 as from 1 February 1960 the wage rates payable to agricultural workers employed on dairy farms for the purpose of granting them the increases provided for other workers by the general wage order made by the Court of Arbitration on 18 September 1959.

Issued under the authority of the Regulations Act 1936.
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These regulations are administered in the Department of Labour.