



# **JOURNALISTS (SPECIALIST PUBLICATIONS) (STATE) AWARD WAGES SCHEDULE**

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**WAGE RATES**

**DATE OF OPERATION;** Effective from the first pay period to commence on or after 20 October 2001

In accordance with the State Wage Case 2001 decision, the wage rates in this award have been increased. Details of the increases are set out as follows:

<b>Classification</b>	<b>Previous Minimum Weekly Rates of Pay \$</b>	<b>SWC 2001</b>	<b>Column 1 Minimum Weekly Rates of Pay \$</b>	<b>Column 2 Minimum Weekly Rates of Pay \$</b>
Grade 1	563.40	15.00	578.40	613.10
Grade 2	654.70	17.00	671.70	712.00
Grade 3	746.20	17.00	763.20	809.00
Grade 4	793.20	17.00	810.20	858.80
Grade 5	853.80	17.00	870.80	923.05
Grade 6	909.90	17.00	926.90	982.50
Trainee Yr 1 (70% Grade 1)	394.38		404.90	429.20
Trainee Yr 2 (90% Grade 1)	507.06		520.55	551.80

Column 2 is the sum of corresponding Column 1 minimum award rate of pay plus six (6) percent paid for an employee required to use a visual display terminal to create camera ready copy.

**Table 2 – Other rates and allowances**

<b>Item No.</b>	<b>Clause</b>	<b>Brief description</b>	<b>Amount \$</b>
1	7(a)(iv)	VDT operation – spectacles changed by optometrist – cost of frames	Up to 96.00
2	7(a)(v)	Employer to pay difference between health fund and actual cost	Up to 96.00