(5459.) NORTHERN DISTRICT (EXCEPT POVERTY BAY) TAILORESSES.—ORDER AMENDING AWARD.

In the Court of Arbitration of New Zealand, Northern Industrial District.—In the matter of the Industrial Conciliation and Arbitration Act, 1908, and its amendments; and in the matter of the War Legislation and Statute Law Amendment Act, 1918; and in the matter of the Northern District (except Poverty Bay) Tailoresses' award dated the 14th day of September, 1918, and recorded in Book of Awards, Vol. xix, p. 803.

Upon reading the application of the Auckland Tailoresses' Industrial Union of Workers filed herein on the 1st day of October, 1919, and upon hearing the duly appointed representatives of the said union and of the employers parties to the said award and with the consent of the said employers, this Court, having regard to all the relevant considerations and being of opinion that it is just and equitable to amend the said award, doth hereby order that the said award shall be amended in manner following, that is to say—

1. Clause 2 of the said award shall be deleted, and the following

clause substituted therefor:

"2. The minimum wage for workers, including machinists and tailoresses on ladies' work, shall be at the rate of £2 per week."

2. The time statement set forth at the foot or end of the said award shall be paid for at the rate of 10d. per hour, and the words "9d." appearing at the beginning of the said time statement shall be deleted and the words "10d." substituted therefor.

3. This order shall operate and take effect as from the 29th day

of September, 1919.

Dated this 14th day of October, 1919.

T. W. STRINGER, Judge.