
(5917.) SOUTHLAND (WEST OF MOLYNEUX VALLEY) AND STEWART ISLAND TIMBER-YARDS AND SAWMILLS EMPLOYEES.—ORDER AMENDING AWARD.

In the Court of Arbitration of New Zealand, Otago and Southland 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 Southland (West of Molyneux Valley) and Stewart Island Timber-yards and Sawmills Employees' award dated the 19th day of December, 1919, and recorded in Book of Awards, Vol. xx, p. 1400.

UPON reading the application of the union party to the said award filed herein on the 21st day of May, 1920, and upon hearing the duly appointed representatives of the said union and of the employers parties to the said award, this Court, having regard to all the relevant considerations and being of opinion that it is just and equitable to amend the said award, and by virtue and in exercise of the powers conferred by the said Acts and of every other power in that behalf enabling it, doth hereby order that the said award shall be amended in manner following, that is to say—

1. Clause 9 of the said award is amended by the addition thereto of the following subclause:—

“(aa.) Unless and until the Court shall otherwise order the minimum rates above prescribed, save and except those specified in subclause (x), shall be increased by a bonus of 1d. per hour as from the 1st day of January, 1920, which bonus shall be increased to 2½d. per hour as from the 1st day of May, 1920. The minimum rates prescribed in subclause (x) shall be increased by a bonus of 3s. per week as from the 1st day of May, 1920.”

2. Subject as above this order shall operate and take effect as from the 1st day of May, 1920.

Dated this 11th day of June, 1920.

T. W. STRINGER, Judge.