(11220.) WELLINGTON INDUSTRIAL DISTRICT (EXCEPT WELLINGTON TWENTY-FIVE MILES RADIUS) TIMBER-YARDS AND SAWMILLS EMPLOYEES.—AMENDMENT OF AWARD.

In the Court of Arbitration of New Zealand.—In the matter of the Industrial Conciliation and Arbitration Amendment Act, 1936; and in the matter of an application for amendment of the Wellington Industrial District (except Wellington Twenty-five Miles Radius) Timber-yards and Sawmills Employees' award, dated the 17th day of June, 1936, and recorded in Book of Awards, Vol. XXXVI, p. 260.

Monday, the 12th day of October, 1936.

Upon reading the application of the Wellington Timber-yards and Sawmills Industrial Union of Workers for amendment of the Wellington Industrial District (except Wellington Twenty-five Miles Radius) Timber-yards and Sawmills Employees' award, dated the 17th day of June, 1936, and recorded in Book of Awards, Vol. XXXVI, p. 260, and upon hearing the duly appointed representatives of the employers and workers concerned, this Court, in pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by section 21 of the Industrial Conciliation and Arbitration Amendment Act, 1936, and with the consent of the said representatives, doth hereby order as follows:—

- 1. That the said award shall be amended—
- (a) By fixing at 40 the maximum number of hours (exclusive of overtime) that may be worked in any week by any worker bound by the said award;

(b) By adjusting the rates of pay in accordance with subsection (3) of section 21 of the said Act, so that the ordinary rates of weekly wages of any worker shall not be reduced by reason of the reduction made in the number of working-hours.

2. That this order shall be read subject to the terms and conditions contained in the judgment and memorandum of the Court, issued on the 2nd July, 1936, and the 28th August, 1936, respectively in connection with the timber-yard and sawmilling, &c., industry.

3. That this order shall come into force on the day of the date hereof.

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E. Page, Judge.