(11260.) NORTHERN INDUSTRIAL DISTRICT BACON-WORKERS.— 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 to amend the Northern Industrial District Bacon-workers' award, dated the 17th day of May, 1934, and recorded in Book of Awards, Vol. XXXIV, p. 255.

Friday, the 18th day of September, 1936.

Upon reading the application of the Auckland Butchers' Industrial Union of Workers for amendment of the said Northern Industrial District Bacon-workers' award, dated the 17th day of May, 1934, and recorded in Book of Awards, Vol. XXXIV, p. 255; and upon hearing the duly appointed representatives of the employees 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 44 the maximum number of hours (exclusive of overtime) that may be worked from Monday to Saturday inclusive in any week by any male worker over the age of sixteen years bound by the said award.

- (b) By fixing at 40 the maximum number of hours (exclusive of overtime) that may be worked from Monday to Saturday inclusive in any week by any male worker under the age of sixteen years, or any female worker, bound by the said award.
- (c) By adjusting the rates of pay prevailing on the day of the date hereof 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 in the number of working-hours.
- 2. That this order shall come into force on the day of the date hereof.

[L.S.]

E. PAGE, Judge.