

**MARLBOROUGH, NELSON, WESTLAND, AND CANTERBURY  
ELECTRICAL WORKERS.—AMENDMENT OF AWARD**

In the Court of Arbitration of New Zealand, Canterbury Industrial District.—In the matter of the Industrial Conciliation and Arbitration Act, 1925, and the Economic Stabilization Emergency Regulations 1942; and in the matter of an application for amendment of the Marlborough, Nelson, Westland, and Canterbury Electrical Workers' award, dated the 7th day of December, 1942, and recorded in 42 Book of Awards 1394.

In pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it by the Economic Stabilization Emergency Regulations 1942; and upon application made by a party to the Marlborough, Nelson, Westland, and Canterbury Electrical Workers' award, dated the 7th day of December, 1942, and recorded in 42 Book of Awards 1394, this Court doth hereby order as follows:—

1. That the said award shall be amended—

(i) By deleting subclauses (a) and (b) of clause 4 (Wages), and substituting therefor the following subclauses:—

“(a) The minimum rate of wages for journeymen electricians shall be 3s. 0½d. per hour.

“(b) Chargemen: Any worker who is placed in charge of work on which three or more journeymen are employed shall be paid not less than 3s. 3½d. per hour while so employed.”

(ii) By deleting subclause (e) of clause 6 (Overtime), and substituting therefor the following subclause:—

“(e) Meal-money: Employers shall allow meal-money at the rate of 2s. per meal when workers are called upon to work overtime after 6 p.m. on five days of the week, provided that such workers cannot reasonably get home to their meals.

“The provisions of clause 20 increasing rates of remuneration shall not apply to the meal-money payment provided for in this subclause.”

2. That this order shall be deemed to have come into force on the 1st day of April, 1945.

Dated this 23rd day of July, 1945.

[L.S.]

A. TYNDALL, Judge.