

TARANAKI AND WELLINGTON COOL-STORES EMPLOYEES.—  
AMENDMENT OF AWARD

In the Court of Arbitration of New Zealand, Wellington 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 Taranaki and Wellington Cool-stores Employees' award, dated the 6th day of August, 1940, and recorded in 40 Book of Awards 1234.

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 Taranaki and Wellington Cool-stores Employees' award, dated the 6th day of August, 1940, and recorded in 40 Book of Awards 1234, this Court doth hereby order as follows:—

1. That the said award shall be amended—

(i) By deleting clause 3, and substituting therefor the following clause:—

*“ Rates of Pay*

“ 3. The following shall be the ordinary rates of pay:—

“ Permanent hands: £6 4s. 8d. per week, plus payment for all overtime worked.

“ Casual seasonal workers: 2s. 10d. per hour.

“ Casual shipment workers: 2d. per hour additional to the hourly rate paid to the casual seasonal workers.

“ Maintenance men and cleaners: 2s. 8d. per hour.

“ Greasers and/or firemen: £1 1s. 5d. per shift of eight hours.

"Engine-room attendants: £1 4s. 7d. per shift of eight hours.

"Engineers' assistants: 2s. 10d. per hour.

"Night-watchmen: £5 5s. 5d. per week of six nights.

"*Designation.*—Permanent hands are those engaged at the weekly rate of pay; casual hands, those engaged at a rate per hour or shift.

"*Fractional Time.*—The hourly rates of pay, both ordinary time and overtime, shall, in the case of incomplete hours, be apportionable per quarter-hour: Provided that a fraction of a quarter-hour shall be paid for as a complete quarter-hour."

(ii) By deleting subclause (e) of clause 4 (Overtime), and substituting therefor the following subclause:—

"(e) When workers are called back to work overtime and attend for such overtime work, the employers shall pay each worker 2s. to enable him to obtain a meal.

"The provisions of the two general orders of the Court made under the Rates of Wages Emergency Regulations 1940 shall not apply to the meal-money payment provided for in this subclause."

2. That, for the purpose of removing doubts as to the operation of the two general orders of the Court made under the Rates of Wages Emergency Regulations 1940, and dated the 9th August, 1940, and the 31st March, 1942, respectively, it is hereby declared that the amended rates of remuneration provided by this order shall, except where otherwise provided, be increased to the extent and in the manner set forth in the said two general orders of the Court.

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

Dated this 11th day of September, 1945.

[L.S.]

A. TYNDALL, Judge.