

NEW ZEALAND (EXCEPT MARLBOROUGH, NELSON, AND WESTLAND) **TIMBER-WORKERS.**—AMENDMENT OF AWARD

In the Court of Arbitration of New Zealand, Northern, Taranaki, Wellington, Canterbury, and Otago and Southland Industrial Districts.—In the matter of the Industrial Conciliation and Arbitration Act, 1925, and its amendments; and in the matter of the New Zealand (except Marlborough, Nelson, and Westland) Timber-workers' award, dated the 20th day of December, 1944, and recorded in 44 Book of Awards 1289.

Thursday, the 22nd day of November, 1945

UPON reading the joint application of the parties for amendment of the New Zealand (except Marlborough, Nelson, and Westland) Timber-workers' award, dated the 20th day of December, 1944, and recorded in 44 Book of Awards 1289, this Court, in pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it by section 92 (1) (c) of the Industrial Conciliation and Arbitration Act, 1925, and of every other power in that behalf thereunto enabling it, and with the consent of all the parties, doth hereby order as follows:—

1. That the said award shall be amended by inserting after clause 27 the following new clause:—

“Isolation and Weather Conditions

“27A. Workers employed in country indigenous bush saw-milling and logging operations shall be paid an additional sum in the case of bush workers—i.e., bushmen, winch-drivers, loco.-drivers, loco.-tractor drivers, and tramwaymen, 2½d. per hour; and in the case of all other workers, 1½d. per hour.

“The foregoing payment to the workers enumerated shall be payable from the 24th September, 1945, and shall be paid to all such workers employed as at such date, irrespective of the rates of wages they were receiving at such date.

“(NOTE.—This payment is provided expressly as compensation for isolation and for working under adverse weather and other conditions not already provided for in this award.)”

2. That this order shall take effect on the day of the date hereof, and shall operate according to its tenor.

[L.S.]

A. TYNDALL, Judge.

MEMORANDUM

The above amendment has been made at the request of the parties to give effect to an agreement reached by them.

A. TYNDALL, Judge.