MASTERTON DISTRICT CARPENTERS AND JOINERS.—AMEND-MENT OF APPRENTICESHIP ORDER

In the Court of Arbitration of New Zealand, Wellington Industrial District.—In the matter of the Apprentices Act, 1923, and the Economic Stabilization Emergency Regulations 1942; and in the matter of the Masterton District Carpenters and Joiners' apprenticeship order, dated the 23rd day of June, 1925, and recorded in 25A Book of Awards 577.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it by the Economic Stabilization Emergency Regulations 1942, and upon application made in that behalf for amendment of the Masterton District Carpenters and Joiners' apprenticeship order, dated the 23rd day of June, 1925, and recorded in 25A Book of Awards 577, this Court doth hereby order as follows:—

1. That clause 8 of the said apprenticeship order (as amended by order of the Court dated the 27th day of October, 1944) shall be deleted, and the following clause substituted therefor:—

"8. The minimum weekly rates of wages payable to apprentices shall be the undermentioned percentages of an amount equal to forty times the nominal hourly rate of wages for journeymen carpenters and joiners, as prescribed by the award or agreement relating to the employment of such journeymen in force from time to time in the locality:---

"For apprentices commencing their apprenticeship when under eighteen years of age-

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	"For the first six months		23
	"For the second six months		29
	"For the third six months		35
	"For the fourth six months	••	$\dots 41$
	"For the fifth six months		47
	"For the sixth six months		53
	"For the seventh six months		59
	"For the eighth six months		65
	"For the ninth six months		71
	"For the tenth six months		77

"For apprentices commencing their apprenticeship when eighteen years of age or over— Per Cent.

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"For the first six months			35
"For the second six months			41
"For the third six months			47
"For the fourth six months			53
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"For the sixth six months			65
"For the seventh six months		••	71
"For the eighth six months	• •	• •	77
"For the ninth six months			83
"For the tenth six months		• •	89"

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 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, on and from the date on which it takes effect, be deemed to apply according to its tenor to all contracts of apprenticeship in force on that date and entered into subject to the provisions of the said apprenticeship order.

4. That this order shall be deemed to have taken effect on the 1st day of July, 1945.

Dated this 4th day of December, 1945.

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A. TYNDALL, Judge.