

SOUTHLAND PROVINCIAL DISTRICT FURNITURE TRADE.—  
AMENDMENT OF APPRENTICESHIP ORDER

In the Court of Arbitration of New Zealand, Otago and Southland Industrial District.—In the matter of the Apprentices Act, 1923, and the Economic Stabilization Emergency Regulations 1942; and in the matter of the Southland Provincial District Furniture Trade apprenticeship order, dated the 17th day of June, 1942, and recorded in 42 Book of Awards 624.

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 Southland Provincial District Furniture Trade apprenticeship order, dated the 17th day of June, 1942, and recorded in 42 Book of Awards 624, this Court doth hereby order as follows:—

1. That the said apprenticeship order shall be amended by deleting subclause (a) of clause 10, and substituting therefor the following subclause:—

“(a) The minimum weekly rates of wages payable to apprentices in branches of the industry for which a five-year term of apprenticeship is provided shall be the undermentioned percentages of an amount equal to forty times the nominal hourly wage rate for journeymen in the branch of the industry to which the apprentice is apprenticed as prescribed by the award or agreement relating to the employment of journeymen in force from time to time in the locality:—

	Per Cent.
“ For the first six months .. ..	20
“ For the second six months .. ..	25
“ For the third six months .. ..	30
“ For the fourth six months .. ..	35
“ For the fifth six months .. ..	45
“ For the sixth six months .. ..	55
“ For the seventh six months .. ..	65
“ For the eighth six months .. ..	70
“ For the ninth six months .. ..	75
“ For the tenth six months .. ..	80 ”

2. 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that date and entered into subject either to the provisions of an apprenticeship order that has before that date been superseded, directly or indirectly, by the said apprenticeship order.

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

Dated this 7th day of February, 1946.

[L.S.]

A. TYNDALL, Judge.

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