

NORTHERN INDUSTRIAL DISTRICT (EXCEPT GISBORNE JUDICIAL DISTRICT) **FISH-TRADE EMPLOYEES.—AMENDMENT OF AWARD**

In the Court of Arbitration of New Zealand.—In the matter of the Industrial Conciliation and Arbitration Act, 1925, and the Economic Stabilization Emergency Regulations 1942; and in the matter of the Northern Industrial District (except Gisborne Judicial District) Fish-trade Employees' award, dated the 9th day of October, 1939, and recorded in 39 Book of Awards 1512.

In pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it by the Economic Stabilization Emergency Regulations 1942, and of every other power in that behalf thereunto enabling it, this Court, for the purpose of giving effect to the pronouncement made by it on the 15th day of August, 1947, doth hereby order as follows:—

1. That the said award (as amended by Order of the Court dated the 10th day of September, 1945) shall be further amended in the manner following:—

(1) By deleting subclause (a) of clause 3 (Wages), and substituting therefor the following subclause:—

“(a) The minimum rates of wages to be paid to adult workers covered by this award shall be £6 10s. 10d. per week. Workers wholly or substantially employed as smokers, freezing- or ice-room hands shall be paid not less than £6 16s. 8d. per week.

(2) By deleting subclause (a) of clause 4 (Employment of Youths), and substituting therefor the following subclause:—

“(a) Youths employed shall be paid not less than the following rates of pay:—

	Per Week.		
	£	s.	d.
“ During the first six months of service	2	3 6
“ During the second six months of service	2	9 0
“ During the third six months of service	2	17 6
“ During the fourth six months of service	3	8 6
“ During the fifth six months of service	4	2 0
“ During the sixth six months of service, and there- after until the age of twenty-one years is reached	4	15	0”

(3) By deleting subclause (a) of clause 5 (Casual Labour), and substituting therefor the following subclause:—

“(a) Casual labour may be employed at 3s. 4 $\frac{3}{4}$ d. per hour. When employed discharging or icing trawlers or boats, 3d. extra per hour shall be paid.”

(4) By inserting, after clause 5 (Casual Labour), the following new clause:—

“*Exclusion from Operation of General Orders*

“5A. The rates of remuneration provided for in this award shall not be subject to the provisions 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.”

2. That this order shall come into force on the 1st day of October, 1947.

Dated this 22nd day of August, 1947.

[L.S.]

A. TYNDALL, Judge.

MEMORANDUM

The rates of remuneration prescribed in the award are *not* to be increased by the application of the provisions of the Court's general orders of 9th August, 1940, and 31st March, 1942.

A. TYNDALL, Judge.
