

**TARANAKI CLEANERS, CARETAKERS, AND LIFT
ATTENDANTS.—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 Taranaki Cleaners, Caretakers, and Lift Attendants' award, dated the 17th day of April, 1940, and recorded in 40 Book of Awards 321.

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 19th day of March, 1946) shall be further amended in the manner following:—

(1) By deleting subclauses (a), (b), (d), and (e) of clause 3 (Wages), and substituting therefor the following subclauses:—

“(a) The minimum rates of wages shall be as follows: for caretakers, £6 8s. 7d. per week or its equivalent, provided that any female caretaker now in the employment of any of the parties bound by this award may continue her service to the same employer at her present rate of wages; for cleaners and cleaner-lift attendants, £6 per week; for lift attendants, £5 15s. 6d. per week.

“(b) Hourly wages: For lift attendants or cleaners or cleaner-lift attendants, 3s. 1½d. per hour.”

“(d) The following shall be the minimum rates of wages for the following classes of workers: female cleaners, £3 17s. per week; female cleaners employed by the hour, 2s. 5½d. per hour.

“(e) If a female is employed as a lift attendant, she shall be paid the rate fixed in this award for a male lift attendant (namely £5 15s. 6d. per week): Provided, however, that a female employed as a lift attendant on 31st March, 1938, may continue in her same employment so long as she is paid not less than £3 18s. 2d. per week.”

(2) By deleting the words and figures “ Watchmen shall be paid not less than £5 14s. 2d. per week ” in subclause (m) of clause 3 (Wages), and substituting therefor the words and figures “ Watchmen shall be paid not less than £6 14s. 10d. per week.”

(3) By inserting after clause 3 the following new clause :—

“ *Exclusion from Operation of General Orders*

“ 3A. 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 2nd day of September, 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.