

NORTHERN, WELLINGTON, CANTERBURY, AND OTAGO AND SOUTHLAND **FACTORY ENGINEERS.**—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, Wellington, Canterbury, and Otago and Southland Factory Engineers' award, dated the 6th day of September, 1946, and recorded in 46 Book of Awards 1329.

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 shall be amended in the manner following:—

(1) By deleting subclauses (a) and (b) of clause 6 (Wages), and substituting therefor the following subclauses:—

“(a) The following shall be the minimum rates of pay:—

|   | Per Hour. |
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|   | s. d.     |
| “ Toolmaker . . . . .   | 3 9       |
| “ ‘ Toolmaker ’ means a tradesman engaged making and/or repairing any precision tool, gauge, die, jig, or mould, and who is responsible for its proper completion.  |           |
| “ Patternmaker . . . . .  | 3 9       |
| “ ‘ Patternmaker ’ means a tradesman engaged in making patterns in wood.  |           |
| “ Tradesman . . . . .   | 3 7       |
| “ ‘ Tradesman ’ means a worker employed as such who has served five years' apprenticeship to any of the branches of the trade covered by this award, or who applies general trade experience to the branch or branches of any of the trades covered by this award in which he is employed, such as engineers, turners, fitters, blacksmiths, and welders, and who is qualified to work from drawings or prints, to be scaled and/or measured from drawings or prints, and who is capable of using the recognized tools of his trade or precision tools. |           |
| “ Machinist employed on cold-saw, hydraulic press, pneumatic press, screwing-machine, or drilling-machine, and striker . . . . .  | 3 4½      |
| “ Ironworkers' labourer . . . . .   | 3 2”      |

“(b) The minimum wages for junior labourers shall be as follows :—

|                        |    |    | Per Week. |      |    |
|------------------------|----|----|-----------|------|----|
|                        |    |    | £         | s.   | d. |
| “ From 16 to 16½ years | .. | .. | ..        | 1 16 | 0  |
| “ From 16½ to 17 years | .. | .. | ..        | 2 2  | 0  |
| “ From 17 to 18 years  | .. | .. | ..        | 2 15 | 6  |
| “ From 18 to 19 years  | .. | .. | ..        | 3 9  | 0  |
| “ From 19 to 20 years  | .. | .. | ..        | 4 0  | 0  |
| “ From 20 to 21 years  | .. | .. | ..        | 4 18 | 6  |

“The wages provided for in this subclause shall be weekly wages and shall be subject to no deduction except for time lost on account of the worker’s own default, sickness, or accident.”

(2) By deleting clause 7 (Increase in Rates of Remuneration).

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

Dated this 4th 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 Court’s general orders of 9th August, 1940, and 31st March, 1942.

A. TYNDALL, Judge.