

NEW ZEALAND (EXCEPT AUCKLAND TWENTY-FIVE-MILE RADIUS) **PASSENGER-TRANSPORT DRIVERS.**—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 New Zealand (except Auckland Twenty-five-mile Radius) Passenger-transport Drivers' award, dated the 19th day of November, 1945, and recorded in 45 Book of Awards 2223.

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 clause 3, and substituting therefor the following clause:—

“ Wages

“ 3. Except where otherwise provided, the minimum wage payable to omnibus-drivers covered by this Part of the award shall be £7 2s. 9d. per week.”

(2) By deleting clause 7, and substituting therefor the following clause:—

“ Wages

“ 7. The minimum wage payable to drivers of service cars covered by this Part of the award shall be £7 2s. 9d. per week.”

(3) By deleting subclause (a) of clause 11 (Casual Drivers), and substituting therefor the following subclause:—

“(a) Drivers employed for a period of less than one week shall be deemed to be casual drivers, and may be employed at a wage of 4s. 0½d. per hour ordinary time, and 4s. 9d. per hour for any time worked in excess of ten hours on any one day. This clause shall not apply to regular employees whose substantial employment is not that of driving, but who may be employed occasionally or in emergency at driving.”

(4) By deleting clause 12 (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 provisions of the Court's general orders of 9th August, 1940, and 31st March, 1942.

A. TYNDALL, Judge.