SOUTH ISLAND ELECTRICAL WORKERS (RADIO SECTION).— 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 South Island Electrical Workers' (Radio Section) award, dated the 19th day of November, 1946, and recorded in 46 Book of Awards 1615.

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 subclause (a) of clause 4 (Wages, including Factory Workers), and substituting therefor the following subclause:—

"(a) The following shall be the minimum rates of pay for adult workers employed in factories in the manufacture, construction, assembling, repairing, and/or servicing of radio instruments or sound equipment:—

"(i) Radio designing engineer, £8 3s. 9d. per week.

"(ii) Salesman-serviceman substantially employed as a serviceman in charge of one unit shops, £7 13s. 3d. per week.

"(iii) Licensed serviceman, £7 2s. 9d. per week.

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"(iv) Unlicensed serviceman with five years' experience, £6 12s. 3d. per week.

"(v) All other male workers over twenty-one years, £6 7s. per week.

"Youths.—The minimum weekly rates of wages payable to youths shall be as follows:—

Age commencing.		Firs Six Mont	Seco Six Month	Third Six Month	Fourth Six Months	Fifth Six Months.	Sixth Six Months.	Seventh Six Months.	Eighth Six Months.	Ninth Six Months.	Tenth Six Months.
Under 16		30/-	35/6	41/6	47/6	56/-	61/6	67/6	73/-	82/-	93/-
16 to 17			38/-	44/-	49/-		65/-	72'/6	79/-		93/-
17 to 18		38/-	43/6	53/-	59/-	67/6	76/-	86/6	93/-		
18 to 19		43/6	53/-	59/-	64/6	73/-	84/-	93/-			
19 to 20		58/6	67/-	72/6	86/-	93/-					
20 to 21		72/-	81/-	93/-				1.1			

"And thereafter at adult rates: Provided that youths on obtaining radio serviceman's licence shall be paid 7s. 6d. per week extra."

(2) By deleting subclause (c) of clause 5 (Employment of Females), and substituting therefor the following subclause:—

"(c) Female workers shall be paid not less than the following minimum weekly rates of wages:—

Age com	First Six Months.	Second Six Months.	Third Six Months.	Fourth Six Months.	Fifth Six Months.	Sixth Six Months.	Seventh Six Months.		
Under 16	A.,		28/-	33/-	38/6	43/6	50/-	56/-	65/-
16 to 17	1.		31/6	37/6	42/6	48/6	54/6	64/6	
17 to 18			36/6	41/6	47/6	53/6	63/6		
18 to 19	••		40/-	47/-	53/-	62/-			
19 to 20			45/-	51/6	61/-				
20 to 21			48/6	60/-					

"And thereafter, or on attaining the age of twenty-one years, not less than $\pounds 4$ 3s. 5d. per week."

(3) By deleting clause 6 (Increase in Rates of Remuneration).

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

Dated this 10th day of September, 1947.

[L.S.]

A. TYNDALL, Judge.

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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.