

AUCKLAND (TWENTY-FIVE-MILE RADIUS) **FRUIT- AND VEGETABLE-SHOP ASSISTANTS.**—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 Auckland (Twenty-five-mile Radius) Fruit- and Vegetable-shop Assistants' award, dated the 25th day of October, 1945, and recorded in 45 Book of Awards 1796.

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 4, and substituting therefor the following clause:—

“ *Wages*

“ 4. The minimum rates of wages payable to shop-assistants shall be:—

	Males.			Females.		
	Per Week.			Per Week.		
“(a) Commencing without previous experience when under sixteen years of age—	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
“ First six months ..	1	10	0	1	10	0
“ Second six months ..	1	16	0	1	15	0
“ Third six months ..	2	2	6	2	0	6
“ Fourth six months ..	2	9	0	2	6	0
“ Thereafter, in accordance with subclause (g).						

	Males.			Females.		
	Per Week.			Per Week.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
“(b) Commencing without previous experience when between sixteen and seventeen years of age—						
“ First six months ..	1	19	6	1	17	0
“ Second six months ..	2	6	0	2	2	6
“ Third six months ..	3	3	0	2	7	6
“ Fourth six months ..	3	3	0	2	12	6
“ Thereafter, in accordance with subclause (g).						
“(c) Commencing without previous experience when between seventeen and eighteen years of age—						
“ First six months ..	3	2	0	2	1	6
“ Second six months ..	3	2	0	2	7	6
“ Third six months ..	3	10	0	2	14	0
“ Fourth six months ..	3	10	0	3	0	6
“ Thereafter, in accordance with subclause (g).						
“(d) Commencing without previous experience when between eighteen and nineteen years of age—						
“ First six months ..	3	10	0	2	10	6
“ Second six months ..	3	10	0	2	17	6
“ Thereafter, in accordance with subclause (g).						
“(e) Commencing without previous experience when between nineteen and twenty years of age—						
“ First six months ..	3	19	0	3	1	0
“ Second six months ..	3	19	0	3	7	6
“ Thereafter, in accordance with subclause (g).						
“(f) Commencing without previous experience when between twenty and twenty-one years of age—						
“ First year	4	15	6	3	10	0
“ Thereafter, in accordance with subclause (g).						

	Males.			Females.		
	Per Week.			Per Week.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
"(g) Between sixteen and seventeen years of age—						
" First six months ..	2	12	0	2	8	6
" Second six months ..	2	18	0	2	13	6
" Between seventeen and eighteen years of age	3	5	6	3	0	0
" Between eighteen and nineteen years of age	3	11	6	3	5	6
Between nineteen and twenty years of age	4	1	6	3	13	0
" Between twenty and twenty-one years of age	4	18	6	3	18	6
" Twenty-one years of age and over	6	17	10	4	7	1

"(h) Any worker who is in charge of a shop or department of shop shall receive £1 per week additional to the minimum rate prescribed for male or female workers twenty-one years of age and over."

(2) By deleting clause 5, and substituting therefor the following clause:—

"Casual Workers"

"5. Casual hands shall be paid not less than 3s. 10d. per hour in the case of adult males, 2s. 7d. per hour in the case of junior males, 2s. 8½d. per hour in the case of adult females, and 2s. 0½d. per hour in the case of junior females, with a minimum of six hours on any day on which such worker shall be employed."

(3) 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 9th 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.