NEW ZEALAND (EXCEPT AUCKLAND TWENTY-FIVE-MILE RADIUS) LOCAL BODIES' (RURAL SECTION) 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) Local Bodies' (Rural Section) Drivers' award, dated the 31st day of October, 1945, and recorded in 45 Book of Awards 1921.

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), and substituting therefor the following subclause:—

"(a) The minimum rates of wages for workers coming within the scope of this award shall be as follows:—

 "(i) For those driving and attending one horse
 Per Week.

 "(ii) For those driving and attending two horses
 £ s. d.

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"(iii)	For those driving and attending
	more than two horses, an extra
	rate of 6d. per day or 2s. 6d.
	per week shall be paid for
	each horse above two.

"(iv) Drivers of any class of motorvehicle (not otherwise specified) with a combined weight of vehicle and maximum load not exceeding the weights set out in the following schedule shall be paid not less than the following rates_

"Up to 2 tons (including							Per Week.				
	"	Up t	to 2	tons tons	s (in	clud	ing	£	s.	d.	
		ma	otor-	cycle	and	tri-ca	ar)	6	11	7	
	"			tons	and	$\mathbf{u}\mathbf{p}$	to			-	
		4	tons	8			••	6	14	2	
	"			tons	and	up	to				
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	"	Over	53	tons	and	up	to				
		10	ton	ıs				7	1	0	
	"	Over	10	tons				7	4	2	

- "(v) For those driving and operating tractors not otherwise specified 6 15
- "(vi) For drivers driving a tractor and at the same time operating a grader without the assistance of any other worker, and for grader-drivers, drivers of mechanical shovels. bulldozers. excavators, or any other selfpropelled mechanical implement not elsewhere specified than motor-lawn and other mowers . .
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- "(vii) For drivers of heavy road-rollers 7 (other than steam driven) ...
- "(viii) For workers operating small motor rollers such as footpath 6 11 7" rollers

(2) By deleting clause 5 (Increase in Rates of Remuneration).

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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.