NORTHERN INDUSTRIAL DISTRICT COOPERS—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 Industrial District Coopers' award, dated the 16th day of June, 1948, and recorded in 48 Book of Awards 1000.

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 12th day of April, 1949, 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. The minimum wage to be paid to coopers shall be £8 1s. 4d. per week. No deduction shall be made from the weekly wage of any worker employed under this award except for sickness, accident, or the default of the worker."
- (2) By deleting clause 4 and substituting therefor the following clause:—

## " Casual Workers

- "4. Casual workers shall be paid a minimum rate of 4s. 2d. per hour. A worker shall be deemed to be a casual worker who is employed for a period of less duration than one week."
- 2. That this order shall come into force on the 1st day of June, 1949.

Dated this 4th day of May, 1949.

[L.S.] A. TYNDALL, Judge.