

**ACETONE ILLUMINATING AND WELDING CO., LTD., DUNEDIN,  
EMPLOYEES—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 Acetone Illuminating and Welding Co., Ltd., Dunedin, Employees' award, dated the 24th day of June, 1948, and recorded in 48 Book of Awards 1079.

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 subclause (b) of clause 3 (Classification and Rates of Pay) and substituting therefor the following subclause:—

“(b) The minimum rates of wages payable to the under-mentioned classes of workers shall be as follows:—

		Per Hour.	
		s.	d.
“Chargemen .. .. .	.. .. .	3	9½
“Compressor hand .. .. .	.. .. .	3	8¼
“Labourers .. .. .	.. .. .	3	5½”

(2) By deleting subclause (b) of clause 8 (Employment of Youths) and substituting therefor the following subclause:—

“(b) *Wages.*—The following shall be the minimum weekly rates of wages payable to youths:—

Age Commencing.	First Six Months.	Second Six Months.	Third Six Months.	Fourth Six Months.	Fifth Six Months.	Sixth Six Months.	Seventh Six Months.	Eighth Six Months.	Ninth Six Months.	Tenth Six Months.
Under 17	38/6	44/6	51/-	60/-	71/6	78/-	86/6	92/6	107/6	114/-
17 to 18	51/-	60/-	71/6	78/-	86/6	92/6	107/6	114/-	..	..
18 to 19	71/6	78/-	86/6	92/6	107/6	114/-	..	..	..	..
19 to 20	86/6	92/6	107/6	114/-	..	..	..	..	..	..
20 to 21	107/6	114/-	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..

“Thereafter, adult wages.”

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2. That this order shall come into force on the 1st day of June, 1949.

Dated this 11th day of May, 1949.

[L.S.]

A. TYNDALL, Judge.

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