INVERCARGILL FIRE-BRIGADE 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 Invercargill Fire-brigade Employees' award, dated the 15th day of December, 1947, and recorded in 47 Book of Awards 3001.

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 (a) of clause 3 (Wages) and substituting therefor the following subclause:—
 - "(a) The following shall be the minimum rates of wages:-

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				£ s.	d.
"Probationer	firemen	• •		6 6	8
"Third-class	firemen			6 11	8
" Second-class	firemen			6 16	8
" First-class fi	remen.		٠	7 6	8
"Senior firem	en			7 9	2
" Mechanic				7 16	1
" Foreman or	station officer			8 4	11 "

(2) By deleting clause 11 and substituting therefor the following clause:—

" Salvage Duties

"11. Payment for salvage shall be 3s. 9½d. per hour from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. and 4s. 9½d. per hour from 5 p.m. to 8 a.m."

(3) By deleting subclause (a) of clause 12 (Part-time Firemen) and substituting therefor the following subclause:—

- "(a) Part-time firemen shall be paid as follows:—
 - "(i) For attendance on watch-room duty per night, with a maximum of four hours, 8s. 3d.
 - "(ii) For attending drills (one hour each), 3s. 10½d. per drill.
 - "(iii) For attending calls and fires, 4s. 1½d. per hour or part of an hour."

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

Dated this 9th day of May, 1949.

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