

**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 24th day of November, 1947, and recorded in 47 Book of Awards 2722.

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 by deleting clauses 4 and 5 and substituting therefor the following clauses:—

“Wages

“4. (a) The minimum rates of wages payable to shop-assistants shall be as follows:—

	Males.			Females.		
	Per Week.			Per Week.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
“ 15 to 15½ years of age ..	1	13	0	1	13	0
“ 15½ to 16 years of age ..	1	19	6	1	18	6
“ 16 to 16½ years of age ..	2	7	0	2	4	6
“ 16½ to 17 years of age ..	2	14	0	2	10	6
“ 17 to 18 years of age ..	3	12	0	3	6	0
“ 18 to 19 years of age ..	3	18	6	3	12	0
“ 19 to 20 years of age ..	4	9	6	4	0	6
“ 20 to 21 years of age ..	5	8	6	4	6	6
“ 21 and over ..	7	9	6	4	17	1

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

“Casual Workers

“5. For the purpose of this award a casual worker is a worker whose engagement is for a period of less than five and a half days in any one week. Such workers shall be paid at a rate of not less than 4s. 1½d. per hour in the case of adult males and not less than 2s. 10d. per hour in the case of junior males, and 2s. 11½d. per hour in the case of adult females and 2s. 3d. per hour in the case of junior females, with a minimum of six hours on any day on which such worker shall be employed from Monday to Friday, both days inclusive, with a minimum of four hours on Saturday.”

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

Dated this 17th day of May, 1949.

[L.S.]

A. TYNDALL, Judge.