

NORTHERN INDUSTRIAL DISTRICT **GLOVE-WORKERS**—
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 Glove-workers' award, dated the 4th day of February, 1947, and recorded in 47 Book of Awards 1.

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 (as amended by order of the Court dated the 26th day of September, 1947) shall be further amended in the manner following:—

(1) By deleting clause 5 and substituting therefor the following clause:—

“Wages of Apprentices and Improvers

“5. The minimum wages for female apprentices and improvers employed in any capacity shall be at the following rates:—

	Per Week.		
	£	s.	d.
“ Apprentices—			
“ For the first six months ..	1	10	6
“ For the second six months ..	1	16	0
“ For the third six months ..	2	1	6
“ For the fourth six months ..	2	8	0
“ Improvers—			
“ For the fifth six months ..	2	15	0
“ For the sixth six months ..	3	2	6
“ For the fourth year ..	3	11	6
“ Thereafter, journeywomen's rates:			

“ Provided that workers commencing over sixteen years of age shall receive 5s. per week in advance of the above rates, and over seventeen years of age 7s. 6d. per week in advance of the above rates, and over eighteen years of age 10s. per week in advance of the above rates; but this proviso shall not operate so as to increase journeywomen's rates: Provided, also, that workers over twenty-one years of age shall be paid not less than £4 per week.”

(2) By deleting clause 8 and substituting therefor the following clause:—

“Journeywomen’s Wages

“8. The minimum rate for journeywomen shall be £4 10s. 9d. per week. A female employed as a cutter shall follow the rates in clause 5 during her apprenticeship and improvership, and shall then be paid a minimum rate of £5 1s. 3d.”

(3) By deleting subclause (b) of clause 9 (Special Provisions relating to Male Workers), and substituting therefor the following subclause:—

“(b) Wages—	Per Week.		
	£	s.	d.
“First-class glove-cutter ..	7	14	4
“Second-class glove-cutter ..	7	7	5”

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

“Wages of Junior Males

“11. Junior males may be employed at the following rates of wages:—

	Per Week.		
	£	s.	d.
“For the first six months ..	1	16	0
“For the second six months ..	2	5	6
“For the third six months ..	2	15	0
“For the fourth six months ..	3	5	0
“For the fifth six months ..	3	17	6
“For the sixth six months ..	4	9	6
“For the seventh six months ..	5	3	6
“For the eighth six months ..	6	0	0
“Thereafter	7	7	5

“Provided that workers commencing over sixteen years of age shall receive 5s. per week in advance of the above rates, and over seventeen years of age 7s. 6d. per week in advance of the above rates, and over eighteen years of age 10s. per week in advance of the above rates; but this proviso shall not operate so as to increase the rate of £7 7s. 5d.”

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

Dated this 13th day of May, 1949.

[L.S.]

A. TYNDALL, Judge.