WELLINGTON INDUSTRIAL DISTRICT UMBRELLA-MAKERS— 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 Wellington Industrial District Umbrella-makers' award, dated the 30th day of October, 1947, and recorded in 47 Book of Awards 2424.

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 clause 4 and substituting therefor the following clause:—

" Wages

"4. (a) The minimum rate of wages for journeymen shall be $\pounds 7$ 9s. 4d. per week.

"(b) The minimum rates of wages for junior males shall be as follows:— Per Week.

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			£	s.	d.
	"First six months	 	1	10	6
	"Second six months	 	1	16	0
	" Third six months	 	2	1	6
	"Fourth six months	 	2	7	0
	"Fifth six months	 	2	12	6
	"Sixth six months	 	$\overline{2}$	18	0
	" Seventh six months	 	3	4	6
	"Eighth six months	 	3	10	6
	"Ninth six months	 	4	0	6
	"Tenth six months	 	4	11	0
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"Thereafter, journeymen's rates:

"Provided that any worker of the age of twenty-one years or upwards shall be paid not less than £5 16s. 8d. per week. "(c) The minimum rate of wages for journeywomen shall be £4 10s, per week.

"(d) The minimum rates of wages for junior females shall be as follows:— Per Week.

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		£	s.	d.
"First six months		 1	7	6
"Second six months		 1	13	0
"Third six months		 1	18	6
"Fourth six months		 2	4	0
"Fifth six months		 2	10	6
"Sixth six months		 2	18	0
"Fourth year		 3	5	6
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"Thereafter, journeywomen's rates:

"Provided that any worker of the age of twenty-one years or upwards shall be paid not less than £3 13s. per week.

"(e) The minimum rate of wages for pieceworkers shall be not less than 10 per cent. above the minimum rates prescribed in the foregoing subclauses."

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

Dated this 20th day of May, 1949.

[L.S.]

A. TYNDALL, Judge.