WELLINGTON, CANTERBURY AND OTAGO AND SOUTHLAND WOOLSCOURING-WORKS' EMPLOYEES — AMENDMENT OF AWARD

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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, Canterbury, and Otago and Southland Wool Scouring-works' Employees' award, dated the 9th day of June, 1947, and recorded in 47 Book of Awards 965.

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 23rd day of September, 1947) shall be further amended in the manner following:---

(1) By deleting subclause (a) of clause 6 (Wages) and substituting therefor the following subclause:—

"(a) The following shall be the minimum rates of wages for workers twenty-one years of age or over:---

· · ·				Per	Hour. d.
" Wool-sorters				4	$0\frac{1}{2}$
"Wool-scourer in	charge o	f machine		3	9 <u>3</u>
" Wool-pressers-					
"Hand	· ·			3	83
"Power			·	3	81
"Hydro-extractor	operator			3	81
" All other worke	rs			3	71 "

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

"(a) Boys and youths may be employed at the discretion of the employer at not less than the following minimum rates of wages:— Per Week.

					£ s.	d.
"Under 16	years		• .:		2 4	0
"16 to 161	years			•••	2 9	6
" 161 to 17	years			÷	2 15	0
" 17 to 171	years					
"171 to 18	years			• • •	3 17	0
"18 to 19	years				4 8	0
					Per	Hour.
		•			S.	d.
"19 to 20	years	· · ·			2	5
"20 to 21	years				2	9
"And there	eafter,	the m	inimum	adult		
rate for	r work	ters 21	years	of age		
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and over."

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.