

**NEW ZEALAND SOLUBLE SLAGS, LTD. (HUNTLY), FERTILIZER WORKERS—AMENDMENT OF AGREEMENT UNDER THE LABOUR DISPUTES INVESTIGATION ACT, 1913**

In the Court of Arbitration of New Zealand.—In the matter of the Labour Disputes Investigation Act, 1913, and the Economic Stabilization Emergency Regulations 1942; and in the matter of the New Zealand Soluble Slags, Ltd. (Huntly), Fertilizer Workers' agreement under the Labour Disputes Investigation Act, 1913, made on the 1st day of September, 1948, and recorded in 48 Book of Awards 1943.

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 agreement shall be amended by deleting subclauses (a) and (e) of clause 4 (Wages) and substituting therefor the following subclauses:—

“(a) The minimum rates of pay shall be as follows:—

		Per Hour.	
		s.	d.
“(i) Factory Workers—			
“ Day workers	.. ..	3	8½
“ Crane drivers	.. ..	3	9
“ Crusher hands	.. ..	3	9
“ Furnace chargers	.. ..	3	9
“ Furnacemen	.. ..	3	11
“ Men on tube mills, slag, or coal	.. ..	3	9
“ Greasers	.. ..	3	9½
“ Bagging-machine men	.. ..	3	9½
“ Loaders .. ..	.. ..	3	9
“(ii) Quarry Workers—			
“ Poppermen	.. ..	3	10½
“ Crusher men and aerial man	.. ..	3	10
“ Spallers and all others	.. ..	3	9½

“(e) Youths may be employed at not less than the following rates of pay:—

	Per Hour.	
	s.	d.
“ Under eighteen years of age ..	2	5
“ Eighteen to nineteen years of age ..	2	7½
“ Nineteen to twenty years of age ..	2	11
“ Over twenty years of age ..	..	Adult rates.”

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

Dated this 24th day of June, 1949.

[L.S.]

A. TYNDALL, Judge.

MEMORANDUM

This amendment gives effect to an agreement of the representatives of the parties.

A. TYNDALL, Judge.