WELLINGTON CITY COUNCIL (ENGINEERS' AND MILK DEPARTMENTS) ENGINEERS AND METAL TRADE EMPLOYEES—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 City Council (Engineers' and Milk Departments) Engineers and Metal Trade Employees' award, dated the 6th day of September, 1948, and recorded in 48 Book of Awards 1682.

In pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it by Regulation 39c of the Economic Stabilization Emergency Regulations 1942; and upon application made in that behalf by the union of workers party

to the Wellington City Council (Engineers' and Milk Departments) Engineers and Metal Trade Employees' award, dated the 6th day of September, 1948, and recorded in 48 Book of Awards 1682; this Court doth hereby order as follows:—

- 1. That the said award shall be amended in the manner following :-
- (1) By deleting subclause (c) of clause 3 (Special Conditions Relating to Shift and Other Workers Employed in the Milk Department of the Wellington City Council) and substituting therefor the following subclause:—
- "(c) Shift engineers shall be paid £11 7s. 6d. weekly, which sum shall be deemed to include penal rates for Saturdays, Sundays, award holiday pay, and shift allowance."

(2) By deleting subclauses (a) and (b) of clause 8 (Wages) and

substituting therefor the following subclauses :-

"(a) The minimum rate of wages for fitters, turners, blacksmiths, mechanics, sheet-metal workers, water-meter fitters, oxy-acetylene and electric welders, and patternmakers and tinsmiths shall be 4s. 2½d. per hour."

(b) The minimum rate of wages for garage attendants, fitters'

assistants, and blacksmiths' strikers shall be 3s. 104d. per hour."

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

Dated this 31st day of October, 1949.

[L.S.]

A. TYNDALL, Judge.