NEW ZEALAND FOOTWEAR MANUFACTURING INDUSTRY—AMENDMENT OF APPRENTICESHIP ORDER

In the Court of Arbitration of New Zealand.—In the matter of the Apprentices Act, 1948; and in the matter of the New Zealand Footwear Manufacturing Industry apprenticeship order, dated the 30th day of June 1950, and recorded in 50 Book of Awards 577.

Whereas by section 13 (2) of the Apprentices Act, 1948, the Court is empowered to amend any apprenticeship order: And whereas application has been made to the Court by the New Zealand Footwear Manufacturing Apprenticeship Committee for amendment of the New Zealand Footwear Manufacturing

Industry apprenticeship order, dated the 30th day of June 1950, and recorded in 50 Book of Awards 577: And whereas the Court has considered the recommendations made to it by the said Committee: Now, therefore, the Court, in pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it by the said Act, doth hereby order as follows:—

1. That the said apprenticeship order shall be amended by deleting clause 11 and substituting the following clause:—

"11. Trade Training.—(a) An apprentice residing within such distance of a technical school and such other place as may be determined by a local Committee may be ordered by the New Zealand Committee to attend during three years of his apprenticeship at classes for four hours on two evenings a week in each year.

"(b) Subject to the local Committee receiving a report from the technical school that the apprentice's progress, attendance, and conduct at classes have been satisfactory, the employer shall, within twenty-eight days of the closing of classes in each term, pay to the apprentice a sum equivalent to the minimum rates prescribed by clause 10 for the number of hours he has attended classes.

"(c) Time spent at such classes shall be reckoned as time served."

2. That this order shall operate from the day of the date hereof. Dated this 18th day of November 1952.

[L.S.]

W. F. STILWELL, Judge.