NEW ZEALAND ENGINE-DRIVERS, FIREMEN, AND GREASERS (HOSPITAL SECTION)— 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 Regulations 1952; and in the matter of the New Zealand Engine-drivers, Firemen, and Greasers (Hospital Section) award, dated the 25th day of July 1951, and recorded in 51 Book of Awards 889.

In pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it by regulation 9 (1) of the Economic Stabilization Regulations 1952 and upon application made in that behalf by the parties to the abovementioned award, this Court, for the purpose of giving effect to the pronouncement made by it on the 12th day of July 1952, doth hereby order as follows:—

- 1. That the said award shall be amended in the manner following:-
- (1) By deleting clause 3 and substituting the following clause:—

" Wages

- "3. The following shall be the minimum rates of wages:-
- "(a) Where the work that an engine-driver is employed to do requires that he shall hold a first-class certificate as a stationary-engine that he is the holder of such a certificate that he is the ho
- "(b) Where the work that an engine-driver is employed to do requires that he shall hold a second-class certificate as a stationary-engine driver and he is the holder of such a certificate ... 10 9
- (2) By deleting subclause (b) of clause 15 (Youths) and substituting the following subclause:—
 - "(b) Youths employed as firemen or assistants shall be paid the following rates:—
 - "(i) Eighteen and under nineteen years of age, £7 2s. 6d. per week.
 - "(ii) Firemen or assistants over nineteen years of age shall be paid the minimum rate of wages prescribed by this award."
 - (3) By deleting clause 4 (Increase in Rates of Remuneration).
- (4) By deleting from the undermentioned clauses the figures and symbols set out in the first column hereunder and substituting in each case the figures and symbols respectively set out in the second column hereunder:—

			First Column.	$Second \\ Column.$
Clause 2 (c)			3s.	3s. 6d.
Clause 5 (a)			1s.	1s. $1\frac{3}{4}$ d.
			2s.	2s. $3\frac{1}{2}d$.
			2s.	2s. $3\frac{1}{2}d$.
Clause 5 (b)		 	2s. 6d.	2s. $10\frac{1}{2}$ d.
Clause 6 (d)	 		3s.	3s. 6d.

2. That this order shall be deemed to have come into force on the 1st day of September 1952.

Dated this 2nd day of September 1952.

[L.S.]

W. F. STILWELL, Judge.

MEMORANDUM

This amendment gives effect to an agreement of the representatives of the parties. The rates of remuneration prescribed in the award are *not* to be increased by the application of the provisions of the Court's general order of the 30th January 1951.

W. F. STILWELL, Judge.