

**ACETONE ILLUMINATING AND WELDING CO., LTD., NEW ZEALAND (DUNEDIN) EMPLOYEES—  
AMENDMENT OF INDUSTRIAL AGREEMENT**

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 Acetone Illuminating and Welding Co., Ltd., New Zealand (Dunedin) Employees industrial agreement, made on the 30th day of October 1951, and recorded in 51 Book of Awards 2055.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it by the Economic Stabilization Regulations 1952, 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 July 1952, doth hereby order as follows:—

1. That the said industrial agreement shall be amended in the manner following:—

(1) By deleting subclause (b) of clause 3 (Classification and Rates of Pay) and substituting the following subclause:—

“(b) The minimum rates of wages payable to the undermentioned classes of workers shall be as follows :—

				Per Hour.	
				s.	d.
“Chargemen	..	..	..	..	4 9½
“Compressor hand	..	..	..	..	4 7
“Labourers	..	..	..	..	4 4”

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

“(b) Wages : The following shall be the minimum weekly rates of wages payable to youths :—

Age Commencing.	First Six Months.	Second Six Months.	Third Six Months.	Fourth Six Months.	Fifth Six Months.	Sixth Six Months.	Seventh Six Months.	Eighth Six Months.	Ninth Six Months.	Tenth Six Months.
Under 17 years..	48/-	55/6	64/-	75/-	89/6	97/6	108/-	115/6	134/6	142/6
17-18 years ..	64/-	75/-	89/6	97/6	108/-	115/6	134/6	142/6	..	..
18-19 years ..	89/6	97/6	108/-	115/6	134/6	142/6	..	..	..	..
19-20 years ..	108/-	115/6	134/6	142/6	..	..	..	..	..	..
20-21 years ..	134/6	142/6	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..

“ Thereafter adult wages according to the class of work he is called upon to perform.”

(3) By deleting clause 9 (Increase in Rates of Remuneration).

(4) By deleting from the undermentioned clauses the words, figures, and symbols set out in the first column hereunder and substituting in each case the words, figures, and symbols respectively set out in the second column hereunder :—

	First Column.	Second Column.
Clause 2 (c)	.. .. Two shillings and sixpence.	Two shillings and tenpence halfpenny.
Clause 5 ..	.. .. 2s.	2s. 3½d.
Clause 12 ..	.. .. 3s.	3s. 6d.

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

Dated this 29th day of July 1952.

[L.S.]

A. TYNDALL, Judge.

#### MEMORANDUM

The rates of remuneration prescribed in the industrial agreement are *not* to be increased by the application of the provisions of the Court's general order of the 30th January 1951.

A. TYNDALL, Judge.