

NEW ZEALAND (EXCEPT OTAGO) **COAL, COKE, FIREWOOD, ETC. WORKERS**—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 (except Otago) Coal, Coke, Firewood, &c., Workers award, dated the 9th day of March 1951, and recorded in 51 Book of Awards 144.

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 award shall be amended in the manner following :—

(1) By deleting clauses 6 and 7 and substituting the following clauses :—

“ *Wages* ”

“ 6. (a) The following shall be the minimum rates of wages :—

		Per Week.		
		£	s	d.
“ Sawyers employed on a weekly basis	8	19	11
“ Other workers employed on a weekly basis	8	15	1
“ Casual workers—		Per Hour.		
		s.	d.	
“ Sawyers	4	6	
“ Other workers	4	4½	

“ Foremen or leading hands in charge of four or more workers shall receive 2s. 4d. per day additional to the rates prescribed in this clause.

“ (b) A ‘ casual worker ’ means a worker whose employment is for less than one week.

“ *Youths* ”

“ 7. Each establishment, employer, or firm shall be entitled to employ one youth.

“ Additional youths may be employed in the proportion of one youth to each three adult employees at the following rates of wages :—

		Per Week.		
		£	s	d.
“ From 18 to 18½ years of age	4	5	0
“ From 18½ to 19 years of age	4	13	0
“ From 19 to 20 years of age	5	10	6
“ From 20 to 21 years of age	6	16	0
“ And thereafter the adult rates.				

“ No youth under the age of eighteen shall be employed.”

(2) By deleting clause 8 (Increase in Rates of Remuneration).

(3) 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 4 (b)	3s.	3s. 6d.
Clause 9	2d.	2¼d.

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

Dated this 4th day of August 1952.

[L.S.]

A. TYNDALL, Judge.

MEMORANDUM

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.

A. TYNDALL, Judge.