

NEW ZEALAND (EXCEPT NORTHERN AND MARLBOROUGH) **TINSMITHS AND SHEET-METAL 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 Northern and Marlborough) Tinsmiths and Sheet-metal Workers award, dated the 18th day of December 1950, and recorded in 50 Book of Awards 2153.

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 subclauses (a), (b), (c), (d), (e), (f), and (g) of clause 4 (Wages of Adults) and substituting the following subclauses:—

“(a) Journeymen sheet-metal workers, and art-metal workers, spinners, head grease-tinners, head copper-tinners, head galvanizers, head paint-sprayers, head porcelain-enamel sprayers, head man of department in which a guillotine machine or a machine for manufacturing spouting, ridging, and downpipes, or for curving iron or for soldering downpipes, ridging, or flashing or soldering releasers is used, and men employed soldering milk or cream cans, releasers, teat-cups, and dairy utensils shall be paid a minimum rate of 5s. per hour.

“(b) Workers, other than those covered by subclause (a) hereof, employed as galvanizers, grease- or copper-tinners shall be paid the minimum rate of 4s. 7 $\frac{3}{4}$ d. per hour.

“(c) Hoop-tinners, hicycle grinders, and power-hammer operators shall be paid a minimum rate of 4s. 6 $\frac{3}{4}$ d. per hour.

“(d) Refrigerator and gas and electric stove assemblers shall be paid a minimum rate of 4s. 5 $\frac{3}{4}$ d. per hour.

“(e) Picklers, assistant tinners, paint-sprayers and porcelain-enamel sprayers, other than those covered by subclause (a) hereof, and adult male workers on repetition manufacturing work after six months with the same employer, shall be paid a minimum rate of 4s. 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ d. per hour.

“(f) ‘Welder, first-class’ means an adult worker using electric, arc, and/or oxy-acetylene blowpipe and/or coal-gas cutting plant who is required to apply general trade experience as a welder.

“(Welder, second-class’ means an adult trainee welder during his first twelve months at the trade, and/or until he has passed public-works test, and/or a welder substantially employed cutting scrap metal with an oxy-acetylene blowpipe.

“(Welder, third-class’ means an adult worker using an electric spot, butt, or similar welding machine.

“The minimum rate payable to welders shall be as follows:—

	Per Hour.	
	s.	d.
“ First-class welder	5	0
“ Second-class welder	4	7
“ Third-class welder		
“ On sheet metal 20 gauge or heavier	4	5 $\frac{1}{2}$
“ On sheet metal lighter than 20 gauge	4	4

“(g) All other adult workers shall be paid a minimum rate of 4s. 4d. per hour.”

(2) By deleting subclause (b) of clause 5 (Boys and Youths) and substituting the following subclause :—

“(b) Boys and youths employed on the work set out in subclause (a) hereof shall be paid not less than the following weekly rates :—

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 16	44/-	53/-	62/-	71/6	82/-	92/-	102/-	112/-	122/6	132/-
16 to 17	50/6	57/-	64/-	73/-	84/-	94/-	103/-	117/6	122/6	132/-
17 to 18	57/-	66/6	75/6	86/6	96/6	110/6	117/6	132/-	..	..
18 to 19	67/6	77/6	89/-	110/6	117/6	132/-	..	..	..	..
19 to 20	89/-	103/-	117/6	132/-	..	..	..	..	..	..
20 to 21	103/-	132/-	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..

“And thereafter, or on attaining the age of twenty-one years, not less than the appropriate adult rate according to the class of work he is called upon to perform.”

(3) By inserting after clause 5 the following new clause :—

“*Exclusion from Operation of General Order*”

“5A. The rates of remuneration provided for in this award shall not be subject to the provisions of the general order of the Court, dated the 30th January 1951, and made under the Economic Stabilization Regulations 1950.”

(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 :—

	<i>First Column.</i>	<i>Second Column.</i>
Clause 3 (d)	2s. 6d.	2s. 10½d.
Clause 4 (h)	3s.	3s. 6d.
	2s.	2s. 4d.
Clause 4 (i)	1d.	1¼d.
Clause 4 (j)	1s. 3d.	1s. 5¼d.
	2s.	2s. 3½d.
Clause 4 (l)	2d.	2¼d.
	3d.	3½d.
	4d.	4½d.
	5d.	5¾d.
Clause 6 (h)	3s.	3s. 6d.
Clause 10 (b)	3s.	3s. 6d.
Clause 14 (f)	4½d.	5¼d.
	3d.	3½d.
	2s.	2s. 3½d.

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

Dated this 21st day of July 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.