

DUCON (NEW ZEALAND), LIMITED, ELECTRICAL GOODS MANUFACTURERS EMPLOYEES—
AMENDMENT OF AGREEMENT UNDER LABOUR DISPUTES INVESTIGATION
ACT, 1913

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 Ducon (New Zealand) Limited, Electrical Goods Manufacturers Employees agreement under the Labour Disputes Investigation Act, 1913, made on the 15th day of May 1951, and recorded in 51 Book of Awards 777.

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 above-mentioned agreement, 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 agreement shall be amended in the manner following:—

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

“ *Wages*

“ 7. Production assistant : 5s. 1½d. per hour

“ Male Process worker : 4s. 6½d. per hour ”

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

“ (b) The minimum weekly rate of wages payable to such boys and youths shall be in accordance with the following scale:—

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 ..	49/-	55/6	63/-	73/-	84/-	94/-	103/-	117/6	122/6	132/-
17-18 ..	55/6	66/6	75/6	86/6	96/6	110/6	117/6	132/-	..	..
18-19 ..	67/6	77/6	89/-	110/6	117/6	132/-	..	..	..	..
19-20 ..	89/-	103/-	117/6	132/-	..	..	..	..	..	..
20-21 ..	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 deleting subclause (a) of clause 9 (Females) and substituting the following subclause:—

“ (a) Female workers shall be paid not less than the following minimum weekly rates of wages:—

Age Commencing.	First Six Months.	Second Six Months.	Third Six Months.	Fourth Six Months.	Fifth Six Months.	Sixth Six Months.	Seventh Six Months.
Under 17	43/-	52/-	59/-	67/-	79/6	89/6
17-18	50/-	59/-	67/-	75/6	88/-	96/6
18-19	55/-	64/-	75/6	86/6	95/-	..
19-20	62/6	72/6	84/6	94/-	..	..
20-21	70/-	83/-	..	..	..	..

“ And thereafter, or on attaining the age of twenty-one years, not less than £5 17s. 4d. per week.”

(4) By deleting clause 10 (Increase in Rates of Remuneration).

(5) 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 4 (<i>d</i>)	2s. 6d. 3s.	2s. 10½d. 3s. 6d.
Clause 5 (<i>h</i>)	3s.	3s. 6d.
Clause 11 (<i>a</i>)	2s.	2s. 3½d.

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

Dated this 29th day of August 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 agreement 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.
