

WELLINGTON CITY COUNCIL (ENGINEERS' AND MILK DEPARTMENTS)
ENGINEERS AND METAL TRADE EMPLOYEES—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 Wellington City Council (Engineers' and Milk Departments) Engineers and Metal Trade Employees' award, dated the 10th day of July 1952, and recorded in 52 Book of Awards, 1139.

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 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 subclause (c) of clause 3 (Special Conditions Relating to Shift and Other Workers Employed in the Milk Department of the Wellington City Council) and substituting the following subclause:—

“(c) Shift-workers shall be paid £14 17s. 11d. weekly, which sum shall be deemed to include penal rates for Saturdays, Sundays, award holiday pay, and shift allowance.”

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

“Wages

“7. (a) The minimum rate of wages for fitters, turners, blacksmiths, mechanics, sheet-metal workers, water-meter fitters, oxy-acetylene and electrical welders, and tinsmiths shall be 5s. 5d. per hour.

“(b) The minimum rate of wages for garage attendants, fitters’ assistants, sheet-metal workers’ assistants, and blacksmiths’ strikers shall be 4s. 11½d. per hour.

“(c) A worker required to operate a Kerrick steam cleaner or similar cleaners shall be paid 4s. extra per day.

“(d) Wages shall be paid weekly and within working-hours.

“(e) Any worker appointed to take charge of three other workers shall be paid 5¼d. per hour in addition to his ordinary pay.

“(f) Workers employed at oxy-acetylene or electric welding, except on spot or butt welding machines, for four hours or less in a day shall be paid 1s. 5¼d. extra per day; for more than four hours in a day 2s. 3½d. extra per day.”

(3) By deleting clause 8 (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:—

	<i>First Column.</i>	<i>Second Column.</i>
Clause 3 (k)	4s. 8d.	5s. 4½d.
Clause 4 (f)	3s.	3s. 6d.
Clause 9 (a)	3d.	3½d.
	2s.	2s. 3½d.
Clause 12	2d.	2¼d.
	3d.	3½d.
	4d.	4½d.
	5d.	5¾d.

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

Dated this 18th day of March 1953.

[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.