

WELLINGTON, NELSON, WESTLAND, AND MARLBOROUGH HOSPITAL BOARDS' GARDENERS, LABOURERS, AND OTHER 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 Wellington, Nelson, Westland, and Marlborough Hospital Boards' Gardeners, Labourers, and other Workers award, dated the 21st day of March 1952 and recorded in 52 Book of Awards 185.

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 subclauses (a) and (b) of clause 3 (Wages) and substituting the following subclauses:—

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

	Per Week.
	£ s. d.
“ Incinerator attendants	9 14 9
“ Incinerator attendants employed by the Wellington Hospital Board	10 0 6
“ Head gardeners	11 0 5
“ First-class gardeners	10 7 11
“ Gardeners	9 5 4
“ Groundsmen and other general workers	8 19 2
“ The caretaker-gardener at McCarthy Home, Lower Hutt	9 4 6

“ He shall be supplied with house, light, gas, and heating free of costs. The hours of work provisions of this award shall not apply to this worker so long as he is provided with a house rent-free and light, gas, and fuel free of cost.

“(b) Head gardener in charge of eight or more other employees shall be paid an additional 5s. 9d. per week.”

(2) By deleting clause 4 (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 5 (b)	3s.	3s. 6d.
Clause 5 (c)	3s.	3s. 6d.
Clause 9 (a)	2s.	2s. 3½d.
Clause 9 (c)	6d.	7d.
	2s.	2s. 3½d.
Clause 9 (h)	2s.	2s. 3½d.

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

Dated this 17th 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.