

NEW ZEALAND REFRIGERATION ENGINEERING INDUSTRY—AMENDMENT  
OF APPRENTICESHIP ORDER

In the Court of Arbitration of New Zealand.—In the matter of the Apprentices Act 1948; and in the matter of the New Zealand Refrigeration Engineering Industry apprenticeship order, dated the 26th day of November 1952 and recorded in 52 Book of Awards 2314.

WHEREAS by section 13 (2) of the Apprentices Act 1948 the Court is empowered to amend any apprenticeship order: And whereas application has been made to the Court by the New Zealand Refrigeration Engineering Apprenticeship Committee for amendment of the New Zealand Refrigeration Engineering Industry Apprenticeship Order, dated the 26th day of November 1952, and recorded in 52 Book of Awards 2314: And whereas the Court has heard the employers, workers, and other persons concerned, and has considered the recommendations made to it by the said Committee: Now, therefore, the Court, in pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it by the said Act, doth hereby order as follows:—

1. That the said apprenticeship order shall be amended in the manner following:—

(1) By adding the following subclause to clause 21 (Obligations of Employer):—

“(d) Except within the limits of the electrical skills specified in paragraph 14 of the schedule to this order, an apprentice in the refrigeration engineering industry shall not be permitted to engage in the work of an apprentice in the electrical servicing branch, or that of an apprentice in the general wiring branch, of the electrical industry, as defined in the New Zealand Electrical Industry Apprenticeship Order.”

(2) By adding the following paragraph to the schedule of operations and skills:—

“14. At least 2,000 hours of experience in the following work associated with refrigeration equipment under the supervision and in the presence of a suitable registered person: replacement of fuse links, attachment and replacement of flexible cords, fitting of plug tops, adjustment or replacement of motor control equipment restricted to motors of 5 H.P. or under, adjustment or replacement of solenoid valves, pressure switches, and thermostats, assembly of refrigeration units, disconnection and reconnection of unit motors not exceeding 5 H.P.”

2. That this order shall operate as from the day of the date hereof.

Dated this 6th day of December 1954.

[L.S.]

A. TYNDALL, Judge.