- NORTHERN INDUSTRIAL DISTRICT (EXCEPT GISBORNE JUDICIAL DISTRICT) RETAIL GROCERS' ASSISTANTS AND DRIVERS—ORDER VARYING APPLICA-TION OF GENERAL ORDER OF 19 NOVEMBER 1953
- In the Court of Arbitration of New Zealand.—In the matter of the Industrial Conciliation and Arbitration Act 1925, and the Economic Stabilization Regulations 1953; and in the matter of the Northern Industrial District (except Gisborne Judicial District) Retail Grocers' Assistants' and Drivers' award dated the 5th day of August 1953, and recorded in 53 Book of Awards 979.

UPON reading the application made by the Auckland Grocers' Shop Managers' Industrial Union of Workers and the Auckland Grocers' Assistants' Industrial Union of Workers, parties to the Northern Industrial District (except Gisborne Judicial District) Retail Grocers' Assistants' and Drivers' award, dated the 5th day of August 1953, and recorded in 53 Book of Awards 979; and upon hearing the duly appointed representatives of the said unions of workers and of the employers concerned; the Court, in pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred on it by regulation 4 of the Economic Stabilization Regulations 1953, and of every other power in that behalf enabling it, doth hereby order as follows:

1. That adult female workers whose employment is subject to the said award, other than those mentioned in clause 4 thereof, shall be excluded from the operation of the general order of the 19th November 1953.

2. That, subject to the following provisions, the rates of remuneration determined by the said award for such adult female workers shall be increased by an amount equal to ten per cent thereof.

3. That there shall be excluded from the scope of this order such portion of the remuneration in each week of the said workers as exceeds the amount of $\pounds 12$.

4. That there shall also be excluded from the scope of this order all allowances prescribed in the said award in respect of tools, bicycles, motorvehicles, protective or special clothing, or special footwear.

5. That the increase provided for by this order shall apply to the unexcluded portion of the prescribed minimum remuneration of each worker.

6. That for the purposes of this order "remuneration" means salary or wages; and includes time and piece wages and overtime and bonus and other special payments; and also includes allowances, fees, commission, and every other emolument, whether in one sum or several sums; and also includes travelling expenses.

7. That this order shall be deemed to have come into force on the 15th day of September 1953.

Dated this 28th day of April 1954.

[L.S.]

A. TYNDALL, Judge.

MEMORANDUM

This order follows the precedent established in the judgment issued by the Court on the 31st December 1953 in respect of other similar applications. A. TYNDALL, Judge.