NEW ZEALAND **SHEET METAL WORKING 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 Sheet Metal Working Industry apprenticeship order, dated the 14th day of April 1949, and recorded in 49 Book of Awards 597.

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 Sheet Metal Working, Tinsmithing, and Coppersmithing Apprenticeship Committee for amendment of the New Zealand Sheet Metal Working Industry apprenticeship order, dated the 14th day of April 1949, and recorded in 49 Book of Awards 597: 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 by deleting subclause (b) of clause 11 (Wages) and substituting the following subclause:
- "(b) Every apprentice who produces to his employer a notification from the New Zealand Trades Certification Board that he has passed the First Qualifying Examination of that Board shall, from the date of production of the notification to his employer, be paid for the remainder of his apprenticeship at a rate of not less than 5s. a week in excess of the minimum rate provided in subclause (a) of this clause; and if he produces to his employer a notification of a pass in the Second Qualifying Examination of that Board shall, from the date of production of the notification

to his employer, be paid for the remainder of his apprenticeship at a rate of not less than 10s. a week in excess of the minimum rate provided in subclause (a) of this clause."

2. That this order shall operate from the day of the date hereof. Dated this 22nd day of August 1956.

[l.s.] A. Tyndall, Judge.