

NEW ZEALAND (EXCEPT WESTLAND) PRIVATE HOSPITALS' DOMESTIC  
WORKERS—AMENDMENT OF AWARD

In the Court of Arbitration of New Zealand—In the matter of the Industrial Conciliation and Arbitration Act 1954, and the Economic Stabilisation Regulations 1953; and in the matter of the New Zealand (Except Westland) Private Hospitals' Domestic Workers Award, dated the 5th day of August 1955, and recorded in 55 Book of Awards 1072.

UPON reading the application made on behalf of the New Zealand Federated Hotel, Hospital, Restaurant, and Related Trades Employees Industrial Association of Workers and other parties to the New Zealand (Except Westland) Private Hospitals' Domestic Workers Award, dated the 5th day of August 1955 and recorded in 55 Book of Awards 1072, the Court, in pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred on it by regulation 4 of the Economic Stabilisation Regulations 1953, and of every other power in that behalf enabling it, doth hereby order as follows:

1. That the said award shall be amended in the manner following:

(1) By deleting subclause (a) of clause 10 (meals and sleeping accommodation) and substituting the following subclause:

“(a) Board and lodging provided for any worker shall be valued for the purpose of this award at £1 9s. 7d. per week. Workers living out may arrange with the employer to be provided with meals while on duty.

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One meal per day for five days	.....	8	0	per week
Two meals per day for five days	.....	10	9	per week
Over ten meals per week	.....	16	2	per week
Meals for part-time workers	.....	2	1	per meal

This clause shall not be interpreted to mean that it is obligatory on the employer to provide meals.

The above-mentioned amounts which may be deducted for meals or for board and lodgings shall be deemed to be varied to the extent that rates of remuneration are varied by general orders made in future from time to time by the Court of Arbitration.”

(2) By deleting clause 11 and substituting the following clause:

*“Increase in Rates of Remuneration*

11. The rates of remuneration determined by this award shall be increased to the extent and in the manner prescribed by the general order of the Court made under the Economic Stabilisation Regulations 1953, and dated the 26th day of October 1956.

(EXPLANATORY NOTE—The general order of 26 October 1956 increased rates of remuneration determined by awards and industrial agreements by an amount equal to 18 per cent thereof, but excluded from the scope of the increase:

- (1) Such portion of the remuneration of each worker in each week as exceeded the amount of £13 in the case of adult male workers, the amount of £9 15s. in the case of adult female workers, and the amount of £7 10s. in the case of male and female workers under the age of twenty-one years; and
- (2) All allowances in respect of tools, bicycles, motor vehicles, protective or special clothing, or special footwear.

The term ‘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 any other emolument, whether in one sum or several sums; and also includes travelling expenses.)”

2. That this order shall be deemed to have come into force on the 19th day of November 1956.

Dated this 27th day of November 1956.

[L.S.]

A. TYNDALL, Judge.