NEW ZEALAND HOSPITAL 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 Hospital Domestic Workers Award, dated the 25th day of November 1954, and recorded in 54 Book of Awards 1773.

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 Hospital Domestic Workers Award, dated the 25th day of November 1954, and recorded in 54 Book of Awards 1773, 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 (Board and Lodging) 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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1 meal per day for 5 days	 	8	0	per	week
2 meals per day for 5 days	 	10	9	per	week
Over 10 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.

A. Tyndall, Judge.

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