

**NEW ZEALAND FURNITURE, GLASS-WORKING, AND WICKER-WORKING
INDUSTRIES—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 Furniture, Glass-working, and Wicker-working Industries Apprenticeship Order, dated the 10th day of September 1956, and recorded in 56 Book of Awards 1580.

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 Furniture Trades Apprenticeship Committee for amendment of the New Zealand Furniture, Glass-working, and Wicker-working Industries Apprenticeship Order, dated the 10th day of September 1956, and recorded in 56 Book of Awards 1580: And whereas the Court 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 deleting subclause (c) of clause 10 (wages) and substituting the following subclause:

“(c) Every apprentice who, whether he has been ordered to attend classes or not, shall have obtained from the New Zealand Trades Certification Board a notification that he has passed the relevant First Qualifying Examination of that board shall, upon production of that notification to his employer, be paid at a rate of not less than 5s. a week in excess of the minimum rate prescribed above; and if he produces a notification that he has passed the relevant Second Qualifying Examination of that

board, he shall be paid at a rate of not less than 7s. 6d. a week in excess of the minimum rate prescribed above; and if he produces a notification that he has passed the relevant Trade Certificate Examination of that board, he shall be paid at a rate of not less than 10s. a week in excess of the minimum rate prescribed above."

(2) By deleting clauses 16 and 17, and substituting the following clauses:

"16. *Conditions of Award to Apply*—The conditions of the award or agreement referred to in clause 10 hereof in so far as they relate to the method and time of payment of wages, holidays, travelling time, suburban work, country work, meal money and other matters (other than tool allowance and membership of union) relating generally to the employment and not in conflict with this order shall be applicable to apprentices.

17. *Tool-money*—(a) The employer shall pay to the apprentice tool allowance at the rate prescribed for workers in the award or agreement referred to in clause 10 of this order.

(b) The employer shall either purchase, or advance to the apprentice by way of orders on suitable suppliers such sums as are sufficient for the purchase of, at least the tools listed in the Second Schedule to this order, and the cost of such purchases, or such advances, shall be repaid by deductions from the tool allowance payable by virtue of subclause (a) of this clause.

(c) If a contract is terminated, the apprentice shall refund to the employer the cost of any tools supplied in excess of the amount of the tool allowance provided for in subclause (a) of this clause."

(3) By adding to the order the following Schedule:

"SECOND SCHEDULE

In accordance with subclause (b) of clause 17 of this order, an employer shall endeavour to arrange for the supply of the necessary first-grade Disston, Stanley, Cheney, Marples, Spear and Jackson tools, or tools of equal quality, as set out herein, and of the textbook referred to:

Cabinetmaking and Chairmaking

During the First 1,000-hour Period of Employment—Apron, claw hammer, 3 ft. rule, pencil, 2 nail punches, 6 in. or 8 in. square, iron smoothing plane, iron jack plane, oilstone and oilcan, tenon saw, screwdriver, scraper, sandpaper cork, large bradawl, 1 in. and $\frac{1}{2}$ in. chisel, Walton 'Woodworking Theory and Practice' (or such other book as may be approved by the New Zealand Committee).

During the Second 1,000-hour Period of Employment— $\frac{1}{8}$ in., $\frac{1}{4}$ in., $\frac{3}{8}$ in., $\frac{3}{4}$ in. bevel edge chisels, panel saw, brace, gauge, $\frac{3}{16}$ in., $\frac{1}{4}$ in., $\frac{3}{4}$ in. bits, small screwdriver, small bradawl, spokeshave, marking point, countersink.

Upholstery

During the First 1,000-hour Period of Employment—Scissors, web stretcher, tack hammer, stripping chisel, mallet, 6 dz. skewers, 1 regulator, 1 long double ended mattress needle, 1 curved needle, 1 tape measure.

Carpet Planning

During the First 1,000-hour Period of Employment—Scissors, tack hammer, stripping chisel, mallet, carpet stretcher, lino knife, 1 carpet sharp, 3 ft. rule, plugging chisel, iron smoothing plane, panel saw, lino straight edge."

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

Dated this 1st day of August 1957.

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A. TYNDALL, Judge.