NEW ZEALAND **LEAD-BURNING AND CHEMICAL PLUMBING 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 Lead-burning and Chemical Plumbing Industry Apprenticeship Order, dated the 13th day of March 1950, and recorded in 50 Book of Awards 133.

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 Lead-burning and Chemical Plumbing Apprenticeship Committee for amendment of the New Zealand Lead-burning and Chemical Plumbing Industry Apprenticeship Order, dated the 13th day of March 1950, and recorded in 50 Book of Awards 133: And whereas the Court has considered the recommendations made to it by the said Committee and has afforded the employers and workers in the industry an opportunity of being heard: 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 clause 10 (wages) and substituting therefor the following clause:

"10. Wages—The minimum weekly rates of wages payable to apprentices shall be the undermentioned percentages of the minimum weekly rate of wages for journeymen in the industry, as prescribed by the award or agreement relating to the employment of such journeymen for the time being and from time to time in force in the establishment in which the apprentices are employed:

For apprentices commencing before their eighteenth birthdays:

				Pe	r Cent
For the first period of 1,000 hour	'S				44
For the second period of 1,000 hou	rs				49
For the third period of 1,000 hour	·s				54
For the fourth period of 1,000 hour	rs				59
For the fifth period of 1,000 hour	'S		*****		64
For the sixth period of 1,000 hour	'S				69
For the seventh period of 1,000 hou	rs	*****			74
For the eighth period of 1,000 hour	rs		*****		79
For the ninth period of 1,000 hour					84
For the tenth period of 1,000 hour		******			89

For apprentices commencing on or after their eighteenth birthdays:

Pe	r Cent
	50
*****	55
	60
	65
	70
	75
	80
	85
	90
	95"

2. That this order shall operate and take effect as from the day of the date hereof. Dated this 4th day of December 1957.

[L.S.]

A. TYNDALL, Judge.