## NEW ZEALAND HORTICULTURAL AND GARDENING 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 Horticultural and Gardening Industry apprenticeship order, dated the 22nd day of December 1948, and recorded in 48 Book of Awards 2360.

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 Horticultural and Gardening Apprenticeship Committee for amendment of the New Zealand Horticultural and Gardening Industry apprenticeship order, dated the 22nd day of December 1948, and recorded in 48 Book of Awards 2360: 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 by adding to clause 9 (Wages) the following new subclause—

"(c) (i) An apprentice passing the First Qualifying Examination as prescribed by the New Zealand Trades Certification Board shall be entitled to 5s. a week in addition to the minimum rate prescribed in subclause (a) of this clause, from the date of the granting of a pass in this examination.

(ii) An apprentice passing the Second Qualifying Examination as prescribed by the New Zealand Trades Certification Board shall be entitled to 10s. a week in addition to the minimum rate prescribed in subclause (a) of this clause, from the date of the granting of a pass in this examination.

(iii) An apprentice passing the Trade Certificate Examination as prescribed by the New Zealand Trades Certification Board shall be entitled to 15s. a week in addition to the rates prescribed in subclause (a) of this clause, from the date of the granting of a pass in this examination."

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

Dated this 10th day of March 1959.

A. TYNDALL, Judge.