

NORTHERN, WELLINGTON, NELSON AND CANTERBURY CANISTER 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 Northern, Wellington, Nelson and Canterbury Canister Workers' Award, dated the 23rd day of February 1959, and recorded in 59 Book of Awards 76.

WHEREAS on the 18th day of September 1959 the Court made a pronouncement under regulation 5A of the Economic Stabilisation Regulations 1953: And whereas the New Zealand Engineering, Coachbuilding, Aircraft and Related Trades Industrial Union of Workers, a party to the abovementioned award, has made application to the Court pursuant to regulation 5C of the said regulations to amend the said award by incorporating in such rates of remuneration as the Court thinks just and equitable, as an integral part of such rates, the effect of the general order dated the 18th day of September 1959: And whereas at the request of the Court made pursuant to paragraph 6 of the said regulation 5C the representatives of the original parties to the said award have conferred on the application and have sent to the Court the terms of the agreement arrived at: Now, therefore, the Court, in pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred upon it by the said regulation 5C, doth hereby order as follows:

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

(1) By deleting subclauses (a), (b), (h) and (i) of clause 3 (Wages) and substituting the following subclauses:

“(a) The minimum rate of pay for adult male canister makers and repairers shall be 6s. 2½d. per hour.”

“(b) The minimum weekly wage for junior males shall be as follows:

Age Commencing	First Six Months	Second Six Months	Third Six Months	Fourth Six Months	Fifth Six Months	Sixth Six Months	Seventh Six Months	Eighth Six Months	Ninth Six Months	Tenth Six Months
Under 17 ..	68/10	76/11	86/10	99/2	113/6	125/11	137/8	155/8	162/6	174/10
17 to 18 ..	76/11	91/2	102/11	116/7	129/7	147/-	155/8	174/10	..	..
18 to 19 ..	91/10	104/9	119/8	146/4	155/8	174/10	..	..	..	..
19 to 20 ..	118/5	137/8	155/8	174/10	..	..	..	..	..	..
20 to 21 ..	137/8	174/10	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..

And thereafter, or on attaining the age of twenty-one years, not less than the adult rates herein provided.”

“(h) Female workers shall be paid not less than the following weekly rates of wages:

Age Commencing	First Six Months	Second Six Months	Third Six Months	Fourth Six Months	Fifth Six Months	Sixth Six Months	Seventh Six Months
Under 17	61/5	73/2	82/6	93/1	109/2	121/6	132/1
17 to 18	70/8	82/6	93/1	103/7	119/8	130/10	..
18 to 19	77/7	89/4	103/7	117/10	129/-	..	..
19 to 20	86/10	100/5	115/4	127/9	..	..	..
20 to 21	97/5	114/1	..	..	..	..	..

And thereafter, or on attaining the age of twenty-one years, not less than £8 0s. 8d.”

“(i) Adult female workers employed as press operators shall be paid not less than £8 7s. 6d. per week.”

(2) By deleting paragraph (ii) of subclause (j) of clause 3 (Wages) and substituting the following paragraph:

“(ii) Adult female workers employed on soldering work and using soldering irons not more than 2 lb. in weight shall be paid not less than £10 4s. 8d. per week.”

(3) By deleting clause 4 and substituting the following clause:

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4. No worker bound by this award shall in any week be paid a lesser amount by his employer than the worker would have been entitled to be paid under this award if it had specifically applied the general order of the Court dated 18 September 1959 otherwise than by incorporation pursuant to the pronouncement of the Court dated 18 September 1959.”

(4) By deleting subclause (a) of clause 6 (General Conditions) and substituting the following subclause:

“(a) The employer shall allow meal money at the rate of 5s. per meal when workers are called upon to work overtime after 6 p.m., and after 1 p.m. on days other than ordinary working days: Provided that the 5s. need not be paid if the employer provides a meal of equivalent value on the premises.”

2. That this order shall come into force on the 1st day of August 1960.

Dated this 29th day of July 1960.

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A. TYNDALL, Judge.