NORTHERN, TARANAKI, WELLINGTON, NELSON, MARLBOROUGH, AND OTAGO AND SOUTHLAND WOOL, GRAIN, HIDE AND MANURE STORES EMPLOYEES—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, Taranaki, Wellington, Nelson, Marlborough, and Otago and Southland Wool, Grain, Hide and Manure Stores Employees Award, dated the 2nd day of April 1959, and recorded in 59 Book of Awards 589.

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 Federated Storemen and Packers (Other than in Retail Shops) and Warehouse Employees (Other than Drivers and Clerks) Industrial Association

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) and (b) of clause 2 (Wages) and substituting the following subclauses:
- "(a) Casual workers employed in stores of the employers parties hereto shall be paid not less than 6s. $2\frac{1}{2}$ d. per hour.
- (b) Permanent hands similarly employed shall be paid not less than £12 8s. per week."
- (2) By deleting subclause (a) of clause 3 (Employment of Youths) and substituting the following subclause:
 - "(a) Youths may be employed at not less than the following rates:

				Per Week £ s. d.		
Under 17 years of age	·		• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	$\tilde{4}$	16	9
17 to $17\frac{1}{2}$ years of age		••••		5	8	6
$17\frac{1}{2}$ to 18 years of age			******	6	1	6
18 to 19 years of age				7	0	9
19 to 20 years of age				8	0	10
20 to 21 years of age				9	8	0"

(3) By deleting clause 5 and substituting the following clause:

"Requirements of Economic Stabilisation Regulations

- 5. 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 from the undermentioned clauses the figures and symbols set out in the first column hereunder and substituting in each case the figures and symbols respectively set out in the second column hereunder.

			First Column			Second Column				
			£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.		
Clause 4 (a)	*****	 	10	14	2	13	5	7		
Clause 6 (c)		 	0	8	0	0	9	11		
Clause 7		 	0	4	0	0	5	0		

2. That this order shall be deemed to have come into force on the first day of the working week in each establishment commencing on or after the 26th day of September 1960.

Dated this 3rd day of October 1960.

[L.S.]

A. TYNDALL, Judge.