NEW ZEALAND REFRIGERATION ENGINEERING 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 Refrigeration Engineering Industry Apprenticeship Order, dated the 26th day of November 1952, and recorded in 52 Book of Awards 2314.

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 Refrigeration Engineering Apprenticeship Committee for amendment of the New Zealand Refrigeration Engineering Industry Apprenticeship Order, dated the 26th day of November 1952, and recorded in 52 Book of Awards 2314: 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 clause 7 and substituting the following clause:
- "7. Prerequisite Education—It shall be necessary for a person desiring to become an apprentice to produce to the local committee satisfactory evidence that he has completed two years' post-primary education; provided however that in any case where the proposed apprentice has not completed two years' post-primary education the New Zealand Committee on application shall have power to waive the requirements of this clause subject to such conditions if any it may deem fit to impose."
- (2) By deleting subclause (b) of clause 11 (Wages) and substituting the following subclause:
- "(b) (i) An apprentice passing the First Qualifying Examination of the New Zealand Trades Certification Board shall be entitled to 5s. a week in addition to the wages prescribed in subclause (a) of this clause from the date of the granting of a pass in the examination.
- (ii) An apprentice passing the Second Qualifying Examination of the Trades Certification Board shall be entitled to 10s. a week in addition to the wages prescribed in subclause (a) of this clause from the date of the granting of a pass in the examination.
- (iii) The New Zealand Committee may approve of any other examinations for the purposes of paragraphs (i) and (ii) of this clause."
  - 2. That this order shall operate and take effect as from the day of the date hereof. Dated this 7th day of December 1961.