NEW ZEALAND CARPENTRY AND JOINERY 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 Carpentry and Joinery Industry Apprenticeship Order, dated the 2nd day of November 1966, and recorded in 66 Book of Awards 2280.

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 Carpentry and Joinery Apprenticeship Committee for amendment of the New Zealand Carpentry and Joinery Industry Apprenticeship Order, dated the 2nd day of November 1966, and recorded in 66 Book of Awards 2280: 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 subclause (f) of clause 8 (Term of Apprenticeship) and substituting therefor the following subclause:

"(f) Where during any period of his apprenticeship except the final period an apprentice passes the Trade Certificate Examination of the New Zealand Trades Certification Board, or passes all of the units specified for the first two years of the New Zealand Certificate in Building course of the Technicians Certification Authority of New Zealand, his term of apprenticeship shall be reduced by 1,000 hours, but where an apprentice qualifies by one of these methods during the final period of his apprenticeship his term of apprenticeship shall be deemed to be completed on the date of notification of his attaining such a qualification."

(2) By deleting subclause (d) of clause 11 (Wages) and substituting therefore the following subclause:

"(d) An apprentice who produces to his employer a notification from the New Zealand Trades Certification Board that he has passed the Second Qualifying Examination of that Board, or a notification that he has passed in any four units (including Building Construction I) of the subjects for the first two years for the New Zealand Certificate in Building course of the Technicians Certification Authority of New Zealand shall, from the date of the notification, be paid the rate prescribed as if he had served an additional 1,000 hours of his term of apprenticeship. Such 1,000 hours shall be in addition to the 500 hours mentioned in the preceding subclause (c)."

2. That this order shall operate and take effect as from the day of the date hereof. Dated this 10th day of June 1971.

(L.S.)

A. P. BLAIR, Judge.