NEW ZEALAND AGRICULTURAL PILOTS-AMENDMENT OF AWARD

In the Court of Arbitration of New Zealand, Northern Taranaki, Wellington, Marlborough, Nelson, Westland, Canterbury, and Otago and Southland Industrial Districts—In the matter of the Industrial Conciliation and Arbitration Act 1954; And in the matter of the New Zealand Agricultural Pilots Award, dated the 24th day of December 1969, and recorded in 69 Book of Awards 2976.

Upon reading the joint application made on behalf of the original parties to the New Zealand Agricultural Pilots Award, dated the 24th day of December 1969: and upon being satisfied that the said parties are desirous that the award should be reviewed by it, the Court, in pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it by section 162 (1) (b) of the Industrial Conciliation and Arbitration Act 1954, and with the consent of the said parties, doth hereby order as follows:

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

(1) By deleting subclause (a) of clause 5 (Salary) and substituting therefor the following subclause:

"(a) The following shall be the minimum annual rates of salary and shall be payable monthly, half-monthly or fortnightly as the employer decides:

			DC3 and
		Basic	Lodestar
		Per Annum	Per Annum
		\$	\$
First year	 	 2,831	3,108
Second year	 	 3,080	3,358
Third year	 	 3,330	3,608
Fourth year	 	 3,580	3,857
Fifth year	 	 3,830	4,107
Sixth year	 	 4,079	4,357
Seventh year	 	 4,329	4,607"

(2) By deleting clause 6 and substituting therefor the following clause:

"BONUS

6. A bonus based on productive effort calculated to equate to not less than the undermentioned rates per hour of productive flying time shall be paid not later than the 20th of each month following:

- (i) For lime, fertiliser and fertiliser mixtures, \$3.89 per hour except that in the case of DC3 and Lodestar pilots the rate shall be \$4.44 per hour;
- (ii) For other dry materials, \$4.50 per hour except that in the case of DC3 and Lodestar pilots the rate shall be \$5 per hour."

(3) By deleting from the undermentioned clauses the figures and symbols 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
		\$	\$
Clause 4	 	 1.75	1.95
Clause 7 (j)	 	 1.75	1.95"

2. That the amended rates of remuneration prescribed by this order shall not be increased by the application of the provisions of the general order dated 3 November 1970.

3. That this order shall come into force on the day of the date hereof, except that in so far as it relates to the rates of wages to be paid it shall be deemed to have come into force on the 23rd day of November 1970.

Dated this 3rd day of March 1971.

(L.S.)

A. P. BLAIR, Judge.