

NEW ZEALAND PLUMBING AND GASFITTING INDUSTRY—AMENDMENT  
OF APPRENTICESHIP ORDER

Dated 15/8/74

In the Court of Arbitration of New Zealand – In the matter of the Apprentices Act 1948; and in the matter of the New Zealand Plumbing and Gasfitting Industry Apprenticeship Order, dated the 30th day of May 1972, and recorded in 72 Book of Awards 2405.

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 Plumbing and Gasfitting Apprenticeship Committee for amendment of the New Zealand Plumbing and Gasfitting Industry Apprenticeship Order dated the 30th day of May 1972: 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 (as amended by Order of the Court dated 30 August 1972) shall be further amended by deleting clause 7 and substituting therefor the following clause—

“7. Prerequisite Education—It shall be necessary for any person desiring to become an apprentice to produce to the local committee evidence that he has completed two years’ secondary education and to satisfy the local committee that he has attained a standard in English and mathematics which in the opinion of the local committee is sufficient to enable him to qualify in due course for registration or, having been prevented by exceptional circumstances from completing two years’ secondary education has nevertheless attained a standard of education satisfactory to the New Zealand Committee. In exceptional cases the local committee may, with the prior approval of the New Zealand Committee, consent to the apprenticeship and such consent may, if the New Zealand Committee considers it necessary, be given on the condition that, in addition to his normal apprentice classes or correspondence course, the apprentice shall take tuition in English and mathematics for such time as the New Zealand Committee considers necessary.”

2. That this order shall operate and take effect as from the day of the date hereof.

Dated this 15th day of August 1974.

A. P. BLAIR, Judge.