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NEW ZEALAND WATCH AND CLOCK REPAIRING AND MANUFACTURING JEWELLERY, ETC. INDUSTRY AMENDMENT TO APPRENTICESHIP ORDER

Dated: 6.7.82

In the Arbitration Court of New Zealand — In the matter of the Apprentices Act 1948; and in the matter of the New Zealand WATCH AND CLOCK REPAIRING AND MANUFACTURING JEWELLERY, ETC. INDUSTRY Apprenticeship Order dated the 5th day of April 1974, recorded in 74 Book of Awards 139.

WHEREAS by section 13 (2) of the Apprentices Act 1948, the Arbitration Court is empowered to amend any apprenticeship order: AND WHEREAS application has been made to the Court by the New Zealand Watch and Clock Making and Repairing and Manufacturing Jewellery Industry Apprenticeship Committee for amendment of the New Zealand Watch and Clock Repairing and Manufacturing Jewellery, etc. Industry Apprenticeship Order dated the 5th day of April 1974: 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 following

manner:

By deleting subclause (g) of clause 9 (Proportion) and substituting therefore

the following:

"(g) Notwithstanding the foregoing provisions, a local committee may approve a proportion of apprentices to journeypersons in excess of one to two or fraction thereof, where the local committee is satisfied that the employer has the necessary facilities for teaching the branch or branches of the industry: Provided that where there is no local committee the New Zealand Committee may, on the recommendation of the District Commissioner of Apprenticeship, (obtained after consultation with the appropriate employer and employee organisation in the locality) approve a proportion in excess of one apprentice to two journeypersons or fraction thereof, where it is satisfied that the employer has the necessary facilities to teach the branch or branches of the industry: Provided further that in no case shall the proportion of apprentices to journey persons exceed one to one."

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

hereof.

Dated this 6th day of July 1982.

(L.S.)

D.S. Castle, Judge.