

**NEW ZEALAND PAINTING AND DECORATING 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 Painting and Decorating Industry Apprenticeship Order, dated the 25th day of March 1953, and recorded in 53 Book of Awards 449.

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 Painting and Decorating Apprenticeship Committee for amendment of the New Zealand Painting and Decorating Industry Apprenticeship Order, dated the 25th day of March 1953, and recorded in 53 Book of Awards 449: and whereas the Court has considered the recommendations made to it by the said committee and has afforded the employers and workers in the industry an opportunity of being heard: 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 by deleting subclause (a) of clause 11 (wages) and substituting therefor the following subclause:

“(a) The minimum weekly rates of wages payable to apprentices shall be the undermentioned percentages of an amount equal to forty times the minimum hourly wage rate for journeymen painters and decorators, as prescribed by the award or agreement relating to the employment of such journeymen in the establishment in which the apprentice is employed and in force for the time being and from time to time:

For apprentices other than glaziers commencing their apprenticeship under eighteen years of age with 10,000-hour term:

	Per Cent
For the first 1,000-hour period	32
For the second 1,000-hour period	37
For the third 1,000-hour period	42
For the fourth 1,000-hour period	47
For the fifth 1,000-hour period	52
For the sixth 1,000-hour period	57
For the seventh 1,000-hour period	62
For the eighth 1,000-hour period	67
For the ninth 1,000-hour period	72
For the tenth 1,000-hour period	77

For apprentices other than glaziers commencing their apprenticeship under eighteen years of age with 9,000-hour term as provided in subclause (b) of clause 9:

	Per Cent
For the first 1,000-hour period	37
For the second 1,000-hour period	42
For the third 1,000-hour period	47
For the fourth 1,000-hour period	52
For the fifth 1,000-hour period	57
For the sixth 1,000-hour period	62
For the seventh 1,000-hour period	67
For the eighth 1,000-hour period	72
For the ninth 1,000-hour period	77

For apprentices other than glaziers commencing their apprenticeship when eighteen years of age or over:

	Per Cent
For the first 1,000-hour period	42
For the second 1,000-hour period	47
For the third 1,000-hour period	52
For the fourth 1,000-hour period	57
For the fifth 1,000-hour period	62
For the sixth 1,000-hour period	67
For the seventh 1,000-hour period	72
For the eighth 1,000-hour period	77

For apprentices to glazing only commencing their apprenticeship when under eighteen years of age:

	Per Cent
For the first 1,000-hour period	32
For the second 1,000-hour period	38
For the third 1,000-hour period	44
For the fourth 1,000-hour period	51
For the fifth 1,000-hour period	58
For the sixth 1,000-hour period	65
For the seventh 1,000-hour period	71
For the eighth 1,000-hour period	77

For apprentices to glazing only commencing their apprenticeship when eighteen years of age or over:

				Per Cent
For the first 1,000-hour period	.....	.....	.....	44
For the second 1,000-hour period	.....	.....	.....	51
For the third 1,000-hour period	.....	.....	.....	58
For the fourth 1,000-hour period	.....	.....	.....	65
For the fifth 1,000-hour period	.....	.....	.....	71
For the sixth 1,000-hour period	.....	.....	.....	77"

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

Dated this 5th day of December 1957.

[L.S.]

A. TYNDALL, Judge.