NEW ZEALAND **ELECTRICAL 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 Electrical Industry Apprenticeship Order, dated the 26th day of September 1961, and recorded in 61 Book of Awards 1360.

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 Electrical Industry Apprenticeship Committee for amendment of the New Zealand Electrical Industry Apprenticeship Order, dated the 26th day of September 1961, and recorded in 61 Book of Awards 1360: 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 (b) of clause 8 (Term of Apprenticeship) and substituting therefor the following subclause:
- "(b) The term of apprenticeship of an apprentice who has obtained a pass in School Certificate subjects giving admission to form VI under Education Department criteria shall be 9,500 hours divided into one 500-hour period and nine 1,000-hour periods: Provided that the term of apprenticeship of an apprentice who in that examination has obtained not less than 50 percent of the possible marks in mathematics and one of the following subjects: electricity, general science (including the physics sections), physics, shall be 9,000 hours divided into nine 1,000-hour periods."
- (2) By deleting the words "one evening" from subclause (i) of clause 12 (Technical Education) and substituting therefor the words "two evenings".
- 2. That this order shall operate and take effect as from the day of the date hereof.

Dated this 27th day of August 1968.

[L.S.]

A. P. BLAIR, Judge.