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Subject: RE: AM2020/99; AM2021/63 & AM2021/65 – Work value case – Aged Care Industry

Dear Associate

The ANMF opposes the application for an extension of time on the following bases:

1. No proper basis for the extension sought has been articulated.
2. The Applicants and other union parties would have less than five weeks to reply to the evidence and submissions of the employers and employer organisations, in circumstances where our client does not know how many employers and employer organisations will file evidence and submissions in the matters.
3. If an application for an extension of time to file reply material is made after 11 March 2022, there is a significant risk that the listing for the hearing of evidence would also be disrupted.

Please note that our client would not oppose further amendments to the directions as follows:

8. Employers and employer organisations will file evidence and submissions by 4pm on ~~Friday 18 February 2022~~ **Friday 4 March 2022**.
9. The Applicants and other union parties will file evidence and submissions in reply by 4pm on ~~Thursday 14 April 2022~~ **Thursday 21 April 2022**.

Regards

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