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Subject: AM2016/15 - Plain Language - Pharmacy Industry Award

Dear Parties,

Interested parties are requested to advise the Commission (via the Chambers of Vice President Hatcher) as to the following matters within 7 days:

1. whether there remains any issue about the coverage of the Pharmacy Industry Award in relation to on-hire employees as expressed in clause 4.3(a) of the exposure draft published on 20 January 2017; and
2. their position with respect to the following proposed modified definition of the classification currently described as Pharmacy assistant level 3 in A.3 of Schedule A of the exposure draft published on 20 January 2017:

A.3 Pharmacy assistant / Dispensary assistant level 3 is an employee who has acquired the competencies required to be the holder of a Certificate III in Community Pharmacy, as determined by the National Quality Council or a successor body, and who is required by the employer to work at this level.

A pharmacy assistant / dispensary assistant level 3 may be required by the employer to:

(a) supervise pharmacy assistants levels 1 or 2; or

(b) work in a compounding lab or compounding section of a community pharmacy assisting with extemporaneous preparations as the major part of their duties; or

(c) perform the duties of a dispensary assistant, that is, work in the dispensary performing dispensing duties under the direct supervision of a pharmacist.

Kind regards,

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