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We refer to the Notice of Listing for this matter:

https://www.fwc.gov.au/documents/sites/awardsmodernfouryr/nol-190318-130418-32.pdf.

As indicated at the Mention yesterday, NatRoad is maintaining a watching brief in respect of these proceedings and we will not appear on the days allocated.

As also expressed at the Mention, NatRoad agrees that there should be implemented transitional provisions that are tailored to the application of award coverage for the vehicle relocation sector.

We further reiterate that we do not support the regulation of long distance journeys under the *Road Transport and Distribution Award 2010*. The coverage of that award and the *Road Transport (Long Distance Operations) Award 2010* are defined by reference to whether the journey is a long distance journey and that coverage nexus should not be disturbed.

We ask that the Full Bench take consideration of the position advanced by NatRoad.

## Regards

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