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The Hon. Justice Ross, President
Fair Work Commission
11 Exhibition Street
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Dear Justice Ross

Re. 4 Yearly Review of Modern Awards: Group 4A – 4C Exposure Drafts

We refer to the revised directions issued by the Fair Work Commission (Commission) on 10 May 2016 in respect of awards allocated to Group 4 of the award stage of the 4 yearly review of awards. Specifically, parties were directed to file submissions on technical and drafting issues arising from Group 4A – 4C exposure drafts by 30 June 2016.

Ai Group has an interest in a significant number of Group 4A – 4C awards.

We have filed a submission in respect of the following exposure drafts:

1. *Exposure Draft – Aged Care Award 2016;*
2. *Exposure Draft – Air Pilots Award 2016;*
3. *Exposure Draft – Aircraft Cabin Crew Award 2016;*
4. *Exposure Draft – Airline Operations – Ground Staff Award 2016;*
5. *Exposure Draft – Children’s Services Award 2016;*
6. *Exposure Draft – Social, Community, Home Care and Disability Services Award 2010.*

Regrettably, despite our best efforts, we have not been able to finalise our analysis of the following construction industry exposure drafts within the timeframe in the Commission’s directions:

1. *Exposure Draft – Building and Construction General On-Site Award 2016;*
2. *Exposure Draft – Electrical, Electronic and Communications Contracting Award 2016;*
3. *Exposure Draft – Joinery and Building Trades Award 2016;*
4. *Exposure Draft – Mobile Crane Hiring Award 2016; and*
5. *Exposure Draft – Plumbing and Fire Sprinklers Award 2016.*

Accordingly, we request a short extension of time to file submissions regarding technical and drafting issues arising from the aforementioned construction industry exposure drafts. We expect to be able to do so by close of business on Wednesday 6 July 2016.

Thank-you for consideration of our request.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'S. Smith', written in a cursive style.

Stephen Smith

Head of National Workplace Relations Policy