

IN THE FAIR WORK COMMISSION

Matter No.: AM2014/67 Black Coal Mining Award

Re Application by: "Automotive, Food, Metals, Engineering, Printing and Kindred Industries Union" known as the Australian Manufacturing Workers' Union (AMWU)



Submissions of the "Automotive, Food, Metals, Engineering, Printing and Kindred Industries Union" known as the Australian Manufacturing Workers' Union (AMWU)

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About the Australian Manufacturing Workers' Union

The Australian Manufacturing Workers' Union (AMWU) is registered as the "Automotive, Food, Metals, Engineering, Printing and Kindred Industries Union". The AMWU represents members working across major sectors of the Australian economy, including in the manufacturing sectors of vehicle building and parts supply, engineering, printing and paper products and food manufacture. Our members are engaged in maintenance services work across all industry sectors. We cover many employees throughout the resources sector, mining, aviation, aerospace and building and construction industries. We also cover members in the technical and supervisory occupations across diverse industries including food technology and construction. The AMWU has members at all skills and classifications from entry level to Professionals holding degrees.

The AMWU's purpose is to improve member's entitlements and conditions at work, including supporting wage increases, reasonable and social hours of work and protecting minimum award standards. In its history the union has campaigned for many employee entitlements that are now a feature of Australian workplaces, including occupational health and safety protections, annual leave, long service leave, paid public holidays, parental leave, penalty and overtime rates and loadings, and superannuation.

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Introduction

1. The Australian Manufacturing Workers' Union (AMWU) makes the these submissions following on from the directions of the Full Bench of the Fair Work Commission on 9 June 2017 [2017 3177] regarding the amended Exposure drafts for Group 1.
2. This submission relates to the following Group 1 exposure drafts.
3. The Black Coal Mining Award Exposure Draft
 - a) At item 20 of the Summary of Revised Exposure drafts, the clause number in the exposure draft column should read 15.
 - b) Clause 10A, Accident Pay, requires a note that it is being reviewed by a separately constituted full bench in AM 2014/190

End

05 July 2017