

DIRECTIONS

Fair Work Act 2009 s.248 - Application for a single interest employer authorisation

Independent Education Union of Australia

v

Catholic Education Western Australia Limited, Mercy Education Limited, Servite College Council Inc, Norbertine Canons Inc, Mazenod College Limited, John XXIII College Inc, EREA Colleges Ltd, EREA Flexible Schools Ltd, Marist Schools Australia Limited, Loreto Nedlands Limited (B2023/703)

DEPUTY PRESIDENT HAMPTON

ADELAIDE, 21 JULY 2023

Application for a single interest employer authorisation regarding proposed enterprise agreement for Western Australian Catholic Education Employers.

The Fair Work Commission (Commission) has conducted a preliminary conference in this matter on 20 July 2023. The Respondent Employers have advised that they have agreed to bargaining together with the Independent Education Union of Australia (IEU) for an enterprise agreement within the framework of the proposed single interest authorisation.

Under s 615 of the *Fair Work Act 2009* (the Act) the President of the Commission has subsequently directed that this matter be determined by a Full Bench.

The Commission directs as follows:

- 1. The IEU file in the Commission and provide to the Respondent Employers, a Statement of Facts Agreed between the parties by **5.00pm (AWST) Friday 28 July 2023**.
- 2. The IEU and the Respondent Employers each file in the Commission and provide to the other party, written submissions addressing the requirements of s 248, s 249 and related provisions of the Act and any other submissions regarding the application by **5.00pm** (AWST) Friday 4 August 2023.
- 3. Any other party or intervenor seeking to be heard in the matter is to file in the Commission and provide to all other parties, written submissions regarding the basis upon which they seek to be heard and their position on the application by **5.00pm** (AWST) Wednesday 9 August 2023.
- 4. The IEU and the Respondent Employers file in the Commission and provide to the parties any submissions in reply by **5.00pm (AWST) Monday 14 August 2023**.

- 5. Subject to further direction, all materials provided to the Commission in this matter will be published by the Commission on a major cases webpage dedicated to this application.
- 6. Subject to further direction, the Full Bench will determine the matter based on the materials filed in accordance with these directions without conducting a hearing.



DEPUTY PRESIDENT

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Note: materials to be filed with the Commission are to be provided by email to Bargaining Support <u>bargainingsupport@fwc.gov.au</u> and <u>Chambers.hampton.dp@fwc.gov.au</u>