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The Associate to Justice Ross AO Fair Work Commission Level 4, 11 Exhibition Street, MELBOURNE VIC 3000

By email: <u>chambers.ross.j@fwc.gov.au</u>

Dear Associate,

RE: VARIATION OF AWARDS ON THE INITIATIVE OF THE COMMISSION – ADDITIONAL MEASURES DURING COVID-19 PANDEMIC (2020/12)

We refer to the above matter and hereby confirm the Australian Hotels Association supports the provisional views of the Full Bench of the Fair Work Commission with reference to s.136 (1) (a) and (c) and s.139 (1) (h).

We also support the provisional view that the variation is necessary to achieve the modern awards objective.

Yours faithfully,

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