



ORDER

Fair Work Act 2009

s.306E - Application for a regulated labour hire arrangement order

Mining and Energy Union

(LH2024/76)

DEPUTY PRESIDENT ROBERTS

SYDNEY, 12 SEPTEMBER 2025

Regulated labour hire arrangement order – Ready Workforce (a Division of Chandler Macleod) Pty Ltd and Chandler Macleod Group Limited in relation to work performed for Central Queensland Services Pty Ltd – BMA Caval Ridge Mine Enterprise Agreement 2023.

- A. Further to the decision issued in [\[2025\] FWC 2711](#), the Fair Work Commission makes this regulated labour hire arrangement order (order) pursuant to s 306E of the Fair Work Act 2009 (Cth) (FW Act).
- A.1 The regulated host covered by the order is Central Queensland Services Pty Ltd (the Regulated Host).
- A.2 The employers covered by the order are Ready Workforce (a Division of Chandler Macleod) Pty Ltd and Chandler Macleod Group Limited (the Employers).
- A.3 The regulated employees covered by the order are employees of the Employers, who;
- a. perform work at the Caval Ridge Mine in the State of Queensland, and
- b. who would, if employed by the Regulated Host, be covered by the Host Employment Instrument.
- A.4 The Host Employment Instrument covered by the order is the BMA Caval Ridge Mine Enterprise Agreement 2023 [AE519992] (the Host Employment Instrument).
- B. This order comes into force on 13 October 2025.
- C. This order ceases to be in force where the Host Employment Instrument ceases to apply and no other new employment instrument starts to apply pursuant to s 306EB of the FW Act.

NOTE: Section 306F(2) of the FW Act provides that, while a regulated labour hire order is in force, an employer covered by the order must pay any regulated employee covered by the order no less than the 'protected rate of pay' for the employee in connection with the work performed by the employee for the regulated host. The 'protected rate of pay' for a regulated employee is defined in ss 306F(4)–(6). There are certain exceptions to this obligation under ss 306F(3) and (3A).



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