



DIRECTIONS

Fair Work Act 2009

s.156 – 4 yearly review of modern awards

Supported Employment Services Award 2020

(AM2014/286)

VICE PRESIDENT HATCHER
DEPUTY PRESIDENT SAUNDERS
COMMISSIONER CAMBRIDGE

SYDNEY, 15 FEBRUARY 2022

Further to the Statement issued on 31 January 2022 ([2022] FWCFB 6) and the directions hearing conducted on 14 February 2022, the following directions are made:

1. The following shall file a joint position document in relation to the matter on or before **4.00pm (AEDT) 16 March 2022**:
 - (a) the employer interests appearing in the proceedings (Australian Business Industrial, the NSW Business Chamber, National Disability Services, Greenacres Disability Services, Activ Foundation and any other aligned employer organisations/entities); and
 - (b) the union parties (ACTU, HSU and any other interested union).
2. The Association of Employees with a Disability Inc/AED Legal Centre shall file the following on or before **4.00pm (AEDT) 16 March 2022**:
 - (a) a position document in relation to the matter; and
 - (b) a document identifying any jurisdictional issues that are intended to be raised in the matter in connection with any variation of the *Supported Employment Services Award 2020* arising from the Commission's decisions of 3 December 2019 ([2019] FWCFB 8179) and 30 March 2020 ([2020] FWCFB 1704).
3. Our Voice Australia may file a position document in relation to the matter on or before **4.00pm (AEDT) 16 March 2022**.
4. The position document referred to in directions 1, 2 and 3 above shall:
 - (a) identify the parties' position in relation to the proposed new wages structure contained in the Schedule to the Commission's decision of 30 March 2020 ([2020] FWCFB 1704) in light of the outcomes contained in the ARTD Report of the trial of that wages structure published on the Commission's website on 31 January 2022 (Report);

- (b) identify the parties' position in relation to the issues stated at paragraph [9] of the Commission's statement of 31 January 2022 ([2022] FWCFB 6) and any other issues arising from the Report; and
 - (c) not exceed five A4 pages in length.
5. The matter shall be the subject of a further directions hearing before the Full Bench at **9.00am (AEDT) on Tuesday 22 March 2022**. At that directions hearing, the Full Bench will:
- (a) hear any further application for a conference to be conducted in relation to the matter; and
 - (b) program the matter for final hearing.
6. All documents to be filed pursuant to these directions shall be sent to amod@fwc.gov.au
7. Liberty to apply is granted.



VICE PRESIDENT

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