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**Dear Associate** 

## AM2016/15 - PLAIN LANGUAGE RE-DRAFTING - PHARMACY INDUSTRY AWARD

We confirm that we act for Australian Business Industrial (ABI) and the NSW Business Chamber Ltd (NSWBC) in relation to the above proceedings.

We refer to the decision handed down by the Full Bench on 3 September 2018 ([2018] FWCFB 5504), and to the invitation at paragraph [46] of that decision for interested parties to make final submissions in relation to certain matters raised in that decision as well as in relation to the plain language exposure draft (the **PLED**).

Firstly, we confirm that our clients do not oppose the proposed amendments detailed in paragraphs [31] and [40] of that decision.

Secondly, in relation to the PLED, our clients have had the benefit of reviewing the submissions of both the SDA and the Pharmacy Guild of Australia, and they agree with the submissions from both parties regarding clause 17 (annualised salaries) and the casual conversion clause.

If you have any questions, please contact Kate Thomson on (02) 4989 1003.

Yours sincerely

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