



8 February 2018

The Honourable Justice Ross AO, President
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Dear Associate,

AM2017/59 & AM2014/272 Review of the Hospitality Industry (General) Award 2010 – substantive issues

We write in response to the Directions issued 16 January 2018.

United Voice will pursue the following substantive matters in relation to the *Hospitality Industry (General) Award 2010*:

- clause 21.1(b) - Increase of the tool allowance;
- clause 21.1(b)(i) - Tool allowance for apprentice cooks; and
- clause 21.1(h) - Removal of deduction of working away from usual place of work allowance if employee leaves employment within 3 months of payment (transferred from the plain language proceedings).

We note that our claim regarding clause 27.1(e) concerning an employee's right to access and make copies of daily records was referred to the Annualised Salaries common issue (see our submission dated 10 October 2016 within the common issue). As such, we do not intend to progress this claim within these proceedings.

United Voice has conferred with the other parties and we understand that some parties will be filing witness evidence. United Voice may be filing one witness statement.

United Voice proposes the following draft directions:

- any party in support of a claim to file submissions, evidence and draft determinations within 8 weeks;
- any party opposing a claim to file submissions and evidence in reply within a further 8 weeks; and
- any further submissions in reply to be filed within 4 weeks.

If you have any questions regarding this matter, please feel free to contact me.

Regards,

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