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Subject: RE: (AM2019/17) Finalisation of Exposure Drafts (Tranche 3) - Timber Industry Award 2010

Dear Ms Wiles,

An extension of time has been granted.

Any party opposing the views expressed in the April Decision are to file written submissions by no later than **4.00pm Friday, 26 June 2020**.

Kind regards,

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The Fair Work Commission acknowledges that our business is conducted on the traditional lands of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples. We acknowledge their continuing connection to country and pay our respects to their Elders past present and emerging.



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Subject: (AM2019/17) Finalisation of Exposure Drafts (Tranche 3) - Timber Industry Award 2010

Dear Associate,

(AM2019/17) Finalisation of Exposure Drafts – Tranche 3
Timber Industry Award 2010 (“Timber Award”)

I refer to the Statement issued by the Full Bench [2020] FWCFB 2984 on 10 June 2020 in relation to the Timber Award (“June 2020 Statement”).

The CFMMEU – Manufacturing Division (“CFMMEU – MD”) has a primary interest in the Timber Award and has actively been involved in its review as part of the 4 Yearly Review of Modern Awards.

At paragraph [5] of the June 2020 Statement to parties were directed to file submissions as follows:

*[5] The employer parties and/or any party generally supporting the views expressed at [439] – [440] of the April Decision are to file written submissions on the issue identified by no later than **4.00pm Wednesday, 17 June 2020**. Any party opposing the views expressed in the April Decision are to file written submissions by no later than **4.00pm Wednesday, 24 June 2020**.*

The process of additional submissions referred to in paragraph [5] above was sought by Australian Business Industrial & NSW Business Chamber (“ABI”) at a conference held before Commissioner Bissett on 4 June 2020.

The Housing Industry Association (“HIA”) filed correspondence on Wednesday, 17 June 2020.

However, the ABI did not file its submission (in which it raised new matters) until late Friday, 19 June 2020.

In the above circumstances, the CFMMEU – MD requests that it be provided an extension of an equivalent 2 days i.e. close of business Friday, 26 June 2020 to file its submission in response. In support of this request, I advise that there is currently a shortage of industrial staff in the CFMMEU-MD as a result of unscheduled leave of key personnel.

Kind Regards

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