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Dear Parties

I refer to 19 January 2017 [correspondence](#) from Mr Calver of NatRoad. NatRoad seeks to exclude certain witness statements filed by the Transport Workers' Union.

Background

Directions were issued on 1 December 2016.

These required interested parties seeking variation/s to any of the Transport Awards to file a draft determination by close of business 19 December 2016, and submissions and evidence relating thereto to be filed by 13 January 2017.

Extension of time granted - amended directions

The Transport Workers' Union sought an extension of time, and Amended Directions dated 20 December 2016 were issued requiring interested parties seeking variation/s to any of the Transport Awards to file a draft determination by 3pm on 21 December 2016, and submissions and evidence relating thereto to be filed by 13 January 2017.

Dates of filing

The TWU's draft determination was filed on 21 December 2016. The TWU's [submissions and some evidence](#) was filed on 19 January 2017. Two further statements, those of Robert Bell and Glen Stutsel were filed on 24 January 2017.

Please respond to chambers

Given the potential prejudice to those opposing the TWU's proposed variations, Senior Deputy President Hamberger is not inclined to allow into evidence the statements of:

- Mr Glen Stutsel; and
- Robert Bell

His Honour would appreciate your views by close of business Friday 27 January 2017.

Regards

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