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Vice President Hatcher Fair Work Commission Level 10 Tower Terrace 80 William Street EAST SYDNEY NSW 2011

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Your Honour,

4 YEARLY REVIEW OF MODERN AWARDS – COMMON ISSUE – PART TIME AND CASUAL EMPLOYMENT – AM2014/197 & AM2014/196

We refer to the above matters in which Master Builders Australia maintains an interest and write further to the mention of 16 June 2016 regarding the *Joinery and Building Trades Award 2010*.

We have formed the view that a hearing on 15 July 2016 would not be necessary were the Commission to allow Master Builders (and other employer parties) to file further written submissions addressing reply submissions as filed by non-employer parties. This position relates solely to our claim with regard to the *Joinery and Building Trades Award 2010* and not to claims made, also in this matter, for the *Building and Construction General On-Site Award 2010*.

Alternatively, if it is the Commission's preference that the parties attend the hearing, Master Builders Australia will appear in Sydney on 15 July 2016.

We thank the Commission for the opportunity to provide our views.

Yours sincerely

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NATIONAL DIRECTOR OF INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS