



## 4 Yearly Review of Modern Awards

### ***AM2014/203 - Graphic Arts, Printing and Publishing Award 2010***

#### **About the Australian Manufacturing Workers' Union**

The Australian Manufacturing Workers' Union (AMWU) is registered as the "Automotive, Food, Metals, Engineering, Printing and Kindred Industries Union". The AMWU represents members working across major sectors of the Australian economy, including in the manufacturing sectors of vehicle building and parts supply, engineering, printing and paper products and food manufacture. Our members are engaged in maintenance services work across all industry sectors. We cover many employees throughout the resources sector, mining, aviation, aerospace and building and construction industries. We also cover members in the technical and supervisory occupations across diverse industries including food technology and construction. The AMWU has members at all skills and classifications from entry level to Professionals holding degrees.

The AMWU's purpose is to improve member's entitlements and conditions at work, including supporting wage increases, reasonable and social hours of work and protecting minimum award standards. In its history the union has campaigned for many employee entitlements that are now a feature of Australian workplaces, including occupational health and safety protections, annual leave, long service leave, paid public holidays, parental leave, penalty and overtime rates and loadings, and superannuation.

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Dear Associate,

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On 10 October 2016, the Fair Work Commission (**the FWC**) published a decision, [2016] FWCFB 7254, which concerned a number of Awards under review, including the *Graphic Arts, Printing and Publishing Award 2010* (**the Award**).

On 4 November 2016, the FWC released a further revised exposure draft of the *Award* (**the Revised Exposure Draft**).

In accordance with the Commission's direction that the parties provide feedback in relation to the Revised Exposure Draft, the Australian Manufacturing Workers' Union (**AMWU**) makes the following submissions. There are two typographical errors identified in the Revised Exposure Draft which are namely at;

- a) Clause 5.5(c). It should read as 'Such an agreement under this clause...' and not 'Such agreement under this clause...'. This in accordance with the amendment to the Award in the Report to the Full Bench dated 8 December 2015 (PR574763) at page 4; and
- b) Schedule I, under the definition of 'award'. It should read '*Graphic Arts, Printing and Publishing Award 2016*' not 2015 to ensure consistency with the rest of the Revised Exposure Draft.

Please do not hesitate to contact me if you HAVE any questions regarding the above.

Regards

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