

MEMBERS' BULLETIN

RAIL TRAM AND BUS UNION

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To: All Transport NSW RTBU Members

Transport for NSW Salaries and Conditions of Employment Award Finalised

Members are advised that after some considerable negotiations for a new Transport for NSW Salaries and Conditions of Employment Award were completed today.

Agreement was reached on a new Award, which comes into effect on 1 July 2016 and will operate for a period of one year, expiring on 30 June 2017.

Accordingly, salaries and salary related allowances will increase by 2.5% on 1 July 2016. Adjustments to pay will be implemented by the second pay period in July 2016.

TfNSW proposed changes in relation to shift-work options at the Transport Management Centre (TMC) and temporary employment conditions, which were to be addressed in the Award and in policy. However, following extensive negotiations over eight meetings, the parties were unable to reach agreement on the proposed changes.

TfNSW and the Combined Unions subsequently reached an agreement to establish the new Award with no further changes, other than previously agreed amendments relating to the TMC reform.

It should be noted that the assistance provided and the participation of Delegates in these negotiations was very much appreciated.

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