

Metro Operations EA Update



20 September 2019

Federal Court Hearing & Mass Meeting

As members would be aware, the RTBU's Federal Court application fighting for your right to take industrial action was heard yesterday. After hearing both the RTBU's and Metro's submissions, the Judge decided to adjourn the case until Monday 14 October.

The case is expected to run for 2-3 days and a decision is not expected to be handed down by the judge immediately. We will update members further on the outcome of this case once it unfolds, but should you have any specific queries prior to this date, don't hesitate to contact the RTBU.

Noting that our Protected Industrial Action Ballot Order (PABO) will lapse on 27 September, and pending the case before the Federal Court, we will be unable to apply for a new PABO until we have an outcome from the Federal Court hearing.

We will continue to conduct meetings across the network with a new meeting schedule to be circulated shortly.

Members' Mass Meeting at 11am Friday 4 October at Victorian Trades Hall. This meeting will be open to all off-duty Metro RTBU Members and will be an opportunity to discuss the road forward while we fight for the right to take industrial action!

We will continue to stand united and fight against this multi-national, profit driven company to fight for your rights and conditions at work.

Should you have any questions, don't hesitate to contact your RTBU Organiser directly, or alternatively you can contact the Union office by calling 8630 9100 or emailing rtbu@rtbuvic.com.au

In unity,

Luba Grigorovitch **Branch Secretary**

Marc Marotta

Locomotive Division Secretary

Keep an eye out for the RTBU members and Trades Hall volunteers handing out flyers to commuters at train stations every Tuesday and Thursday morning!

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Calling all off-roster RTBU Metro Operations members to attend the mass meeting to discuss YOUR EA!

Friday 4 October 2019 11am - 1pm Victorian Trades Hall

54 Victoria Street, Carlton VIC

