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Upcoming Industrial Action CBM Ban Cancelled

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Yarra Trams is at it again. Instead of concentrating on bargaining for a fair deal, Yarra Trams would rather spend time complaining that for technical reasons our ban on tram drivers accepting Change by Management (CBM) shifts isn't protected industrial action. We disagree.

However, we don't intend to get distracted by the issue. Instead, we will concentrate on the bans on voluntary overtime (VOT) and cancelled days off (DOCs), as well as stoppages.

Therefore, we have decided to **withdraw the ban on tram drivers accepting CBMs** that was to occur from the first tram service on Sunday, 10 November 2019 and finish when the last tram service scheduled on Saturday, 16 November 2019 ends on Sunday, 17 November 2019. Accordingly, there are **no bans on accepting CBMs**. There are also no bans on accepting changes to base rosters.

However, the following forms of industrial action remain in place:

- 1. A ban on members (other than AOs, Starters and TODs) working voluntary overtime (VOT) and on cancelled days off (DOCs).** This will commence at the first tram service on **Sunday, 10 November 2019** and finish when the last tram service scheduled on **Saturday, 16 November 2019** ends on Sunday, 17 November 2019.
- 2. A 4-hour stoppage of all work by members (other than AOs, Starters and TODs).** This will commence at **10am on Thursday, 28 November 2019** and finish at **2pm on Thursday, 28 November 2019**.
- 3. A 4-hour stoppage of all work by members (other than AOs, Starters and TODs).** This will commence at **10am on Thursday, 5 December 2019** and finish at **2pm on Thursday, 5 December 2019**.

We all need to stand united and fight!

Together, we will achieve a fair deal!

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