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Yarra Trams bargaining update

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The Andrews Labor Government has reached an agreement with the Rail, Tram and Bus Union and Yarra Trams.

As part of the agreement:

- The RTBU is withdrawing the industrial action notified for next week (3 and 4 March) and for the days of the Grand Prix (12, 13, 14 and 15 March).
- The Government and Yarra Trams will not proceed with an application to terminate or suspend the industrial action in the Fair Work Commission.
- The Government has agreed to convene high level mediation between Yarra Trams and the RTBU, commencing today, to be attended by the CEO of Yarra Trams, Julien Dehornoy, and the RTBU Branch Secretary, Luba Grigorovitch, and facilitated by the head of Industrial Relations Victoria. The Minister for Public Transport, Melissa Horne, will also attend when required. We will also be attending.

The Government facilitating mediation does not make the State party to the agreement. The Government continues to encourage both parties, Yarra Trams and the RTBU, to come to an agreement as soon as possible.

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