

## Commission still considering new CASS Care EA

Dear Member,

As you know, your new enterprise agreement was voted up by staff in July last year and sent to the Fair Work Commission for approval.

In December, the Fair Work Commission contacted the union and CASS Care to discuss a number of issues. These issues included concerns about:

- Ordinary hours of work for day workers;
- Overtime rates on Saturday and Sunday;
- Loading for casual employees;
- First aid allowance; and
- Payment for attendance at meetings outside of ordinary working hours.

The HSU has been part of the discussion between CASS Care and the Fair Work Commission. CASS Care has proposed a number of positive commitments (known as undertakings) to help fix those issues and to ensure that your new agreement meets the requirements of the Fair Work Act.

However, the discussion between CASS Care and the Fair Work Commission is ongoing. We will keep union members updated and will send out a copy of your new agreement with full details of the undertakings, once it is approved.

If you have any questions or would like more information, please contact the HSU on 1300 478 679.

If your colleagues are not yet HSU members, ask them to join so that they are protected at work. They can join online today at [www.hsu.asn.au/join](http://www.hsu.asn.au/join) or by calling 1300 478 679.

In unity,



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Secretary, HSU NSW/ACT/QLD