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Taxi Industry

Yellow Cabs

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Yellow Cabs Members Report Back Meeting

Your Union, the Australian Services Union (ASU), had a meeting with the Management of Yellow Cabs on the 21st of January, 2010.

At that meeting Yellow Cabs rejected the idea of a Collective Agreement for its staff. The company's position is to wait for the new pay rates to come out for the new modern award. The company also made it clear that if any negotiations were to begin that everything will be on the table, keeping in mind that the company will have to abide by the New Modern Award, its pay rates and the National Employment Standards as the base.

The question for ASU members is where to from here?

The following is the log of claims put forward in a letter to Yellow Cabs by the ASU. This log was developed through the surveys and meetings with members and staff at Yellow Cabs.

1. A union negotiated Collective Agreement.
2. Better chairs.
3. Increased penalty rates for Friday and Saturday.
4. Wipes to clean the desk.
5. Every second Christmas and every second New Years off.
6. 1 weekend a month off.
7. Ability to take days off in pairs.
8. Capture shift workers 5 weeks leave per annum in a Collective Agreement.
9. A casual conversion clause.
10. Rosters out a month in advance.
11. 6% per annum wage increase.
12. Clear job descriptions.
13. Yellow Cabs and ASU work with Brisbane City Council to improve parking for staff during office hours.
14. A review of all pay levels including supervisors.
15. Guaranteed Privacy when issues are raised in confidence with managers and supervisors.
16. A flexibility clause.
17. A consultation clause with a consultative committee to be established.
18. 2 days personal leave a year.
19. Supervisor to have regular meetings with staff to exchange information and get briefings similar to what happens now with query ops.
20. Delegates rights and recognition clause.

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The ASU reserves the right to respond to employer proposals and amend our claim where required, in accordance with the Fair Work Act.

These are legitimate claims however your union needs direction from you as to where you want to take this next.

**ASU Organiser, John Kelly will available at:
MacDonald's Coorparoo - 235 Old Cleveland Rd, Cnr Wellington Street.
Friday 5th of February, 2010 from 2:00pm - 5:00pm**

If you cannot make it you can call John on 3844 8402 ext 202 to have your say.

If you require further information regarding this bulletin, please contact your ASU Organiser, John Kelly on 3844 8402 ext 202 or email: info@qld.asu.net.au

The Australian Services Union (Clerical and Administrative Branch) represents workers in the clerical, administrative and call centre industries across both the public and private sectors throughout central and southern Queensland.

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