

AGREEMENT TO ROLLOVER OF YOUR UNION COLLECTIVE AGREEMENTS

JOINT RAIL UNIONS TO REPRESENT YOU IN THE BARGAINING PROCESS

The campaign against the privatisation of Queensland Rail remains our number one priority. To ensure that members wages and conditions of employment are protected in the event of a sale the joint Rail Unions have been successful in reaching agreement with representatives of QR National to commence negotiations for a “rollover” of your current EBA’s with wage increases in order to ensure that employees maintain their existing terms and conditions of employment – consistent with the promise made by the State Government when the sale was announced.

To commence this process QR Limited and QR Network will be issuing a notice to employees who will be employed by QR National, advising that bargaining will commence. **The Joint Rail Unions will represent members in the bargaining process as we have always done. As a member of a Joint Rail Union you will not need to appoint your union as a bargaining representative as this will automatically occur.**

The Joint Rail Unions are satisfied that the best possible protection of your current terms and conditions of employment is by making a new EBA which secures your conditions and protects job security. This way what you currently receive is not at risk of being attacked by a private operator in April next year.

Discussions about commencing the same process for employees of Queensland Rail from 1 July are continuing.

Further updates will be provided to members.

Please contact your local union offices for further information.

