

UFUQ Auxiliary Update

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Auxiliary Negotiations Update 21 September 2012

Auxiliary update QIRC conciliation conference

UFUQ and QFRS appeared before a conciliation conference at the Queensland Industrial Relations Commission on 17 September 2012 (QIRC matter number CA/2012/539).

UFUQ Industrial Officer Anthony Cooke and Auxiliary South Delegate Jason Hall outlined to QIRC the attempts made by your union to have QFRS agree to begin discussing a certified agreement for auxiliaries.

To date QFRS have not altered their position that the standing order be maintained and only be updated to include revised wages if and when the communications and career firefighters agreement is concluded.

It is important that issues relevant to auxiliaries be discussed in detail and not merely as a postscript to the traditional negotiations.

UFUQ have again written to QFRS on 18 September 2012 proposing that they meet with your union to negotiate how the standing order can be modernised to include improved wages and conditions.



In the meantime we will consider additional options in relation to these issues.

We will keep auxiliaries posted as to further progress in these matters.

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Management



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