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SUBJECT: Modern Award Annual Leave Amendments
ATTENTION: Chief Executive Officer

As per our previous communications and the Fair Work Commission Full Bench decision, [2016] FWCFB 3177, regarding the 4 yearly review of Modern Awards and annual leave, we confirm the Fair Work Commission (**FWC**) has now published the amended Modern Awards.

The amendments to the Modern Awards listed in the decision pertain to:

- cashing out of annual leave;
- electronic funds transfer (EFT) and paid annual leave;
- granting annual leave in advance; and
- excessive annual leave.

These changes are to take effect from the first pay period after **29 July 2016**.

The amended Modern Awards are now available to our clients via your website access.

If you have any questions pertaining to this information, please contact the Siag's National Advisory Service on 03 9644 1400 or 1300 (SIAG HR) / 1300 742 447.

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