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**Subject:** RE: AM2016/3 Proposed Helicopter Award

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Dear Mr Miller,

The extension sought in your email below is granted.

Kind regards,

**Elise Delpiano**

Associate to Vice President Hatcher

**Fair Work Commission**

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Dear Associate to Vice President Hatcher,

I refer to the above matter and advise that this email is being sent with the knowledge and consent of Babcock and the AWU.

During the conference on 15 October 2021 in relation to this matter, the Vice President sought the views of the representatives at the conference in relation to a proposed timetable to finalise this

matter, which involved the parties filing an additional submission within 14 days after the provision of the transcript of the conference.

The parties agreed to this course.

The transcript for the conference was provided on Friday 22 October 2021, and as such, the Vice President's direction requires submissions to be filed by this Friday, 5 November 2021.

Since the Conference on 15 October 2021, the AMWU, AWU and Babcock (**the parties**) have been engaged in productive discussions with a view to eliminating, (or at the very least minimising) the scope of the outstanding matters in dispute between the parties.

While these discussions have been productive, the parties jointly consider that a short extension to the time for filing further submissions is necessary to determine if an agreement can be reached on the final outstanding matters, and if so, to finalise such an agreement.

The parties all agree that an agreement is likely.

In these circumstances the parties jointly request a brief extension to the time for filing submissions until **Friday 12 November 2021**, and thank the Fair Work Commission for considering this request.

Yours sincerely,

**Gabriel Miller**

National Research Officer

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