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The Associate to Vice President Hatcher
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Dear Associate,

**Four yearly review of modern awards –Part-time and casual employment common issue–
AM2014/196 and 197 – Clubs Australia - Witnesses required for cross examination**

1. We refer to the witnesses called by Clubs Australia in this matter. We are writing to advise that United Voice does not require all witnesses for cross examination. Some witnesses add little to the evaluation of the issues raised. United Voice does not require the following witnesses for cross examination:
 - a. Lesley Thomson
 - b. Maree Sophocleous
 - c. Collette Williams
 - d. Denis Kildare
 - e. Karen Giles
 - f. Walter Lee
 - g. Melissa Faddy
2. United Voice notes the objections to evidence lodged on 8 March 2016. We wish to indicate that the comments pressed then will be repeated in final submissions but they will be confined to the weight which should be given to the evidence.
3. United Voice notes the request from Clubs Australia that Robinson and Jarvis be dealt with in August. United Voice repeats its position that we do not stridently object to this course but notes that if those are the only witnesses for that day our preference is to conduct the cross examination from Canberra. We also note that if the final witnesses are truly critical to the claim put by Clubs Australia that a delay from July to August could have implications for the timeline for submissions.
4. If you have any queries regarding this letter please contact the author.

Kind Regards



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