

29 March 2022

Vicki Telfer

Commissioner for Public Employment

Northern Territory

Via email only

Dear Commissioner Telfer

Northern Territory Correctional Officers Enterprise Agreement negotiations: protected action notice

As you would be aware, the Declaration of Result from the CiVS dated 24 March 2022 in relation to the protected action ballot (B2022/ 181) stated that all the protected actions as outlined in the Order from the Fair Work Commission dated 10 March 2022 were successful.

On that basis, pursuant to s 414 of the *Fair Work Act*, United Workers Union gives you notice of the following protected actions to be engaged separately, concurrently and/ or consecutively to other actions:

Protected Action 5: All members to take their entitled meal breaks arising from clause 32 of the enterprise agreement.

The Employee claim protected action 5, will commence at 0700 hours on 5 April 2022.

In relation to Employee claim protected action 5, it is not the intention of United Workers Union and our members to engage in industrial action that would (or would threaten to) endanger the life, personal safety or health, or the welfare, of the population or a part of it.

Protected Action 6: A refusal to work in areas where cameras are not operational.

The Employee claim protected action 6, will commence at 0700 hours on 5 April 2022.

In relation to Employee claim protected action 6, it is not the intention of United Workers Union and our members to engage in industrial action that would (or would threaten to) endanger the life, personal safety or health, or the welfare, of the population or a part of it.

Protected Action 7: A refusal to work in areas where there are no cameras.

The Employee claim protected action 7, will commence at 0700 hours on 5 April 2022.

In relation to Employee claim protected action 7, it is not the intention of United Workers Union and our members to engage in industrial action that would (or would threaten to) endanger the life, personal safety or health, or the welfare, of the population or a part of it.

Protected Action 9: While rostered on shift, recognised union delegates will stop performing duties to speak to the media, politicians, and the public regarding enterprise bargaining issues, conditions of employment, and operational issues within Correctional Services.

The Employee claim protected action 9, will commence at 0700 hours on 5 April 2022.

In relation to Employee claim protected action 9, it is not the intention of United Workers Union and our members to engage in industrial action that would (or would threaten to) endanger the life, personal safety or health, or the welfare, of the population or a part of it.

Please contact me if you wish to discuss any concerns about the effect of the above described industrial action.

If you require further information, please do not hesitate to contact me on 0400030834 or erina.early@unitedworkers.org.au.



Erina Early

Secretary – Northern Territory

United Workers Union