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Upcoming Industrial Action Uniform Ban Cancelled

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Yarra Trams is at it again. Instead of bargaining for a fair deal, Yarra Trams would rather spend time complaining that a uniform ban isn't protected industrial action. We disagree.

However, we know that the most powerful way to send a message to Yarra Trams is overtime bans and stoppages.

Therefore, we have decided to **cancel all bans on wearing uniforms.** Members should attend work in uniform. It's important that members continue to comply with Yarra Trams' uniform policy.

The following forms of industrial action remain in place:

- A 4-hour stoppage of work by members (other than AOs, Starters and TODs). This
 will commence at 10am on Friday, 30 August 2019 and finish at 2pm on Friday, 30
 August 2019.
- 2. A ban on members (other than AOs, Starters and TODs) working voluntary overtime (VOT) and on cancelled days off (DOCs).

This will commence from the first tram service scheduled on Monday 26, August 2019 and finish when the <u>last tram service</u> scheduled on <u>Monday 26 August 2019 ends on Tuesday, 27 August 2019.</u>

3. A ban on members (other than AOs, Starters and TODs) working voluntary overtime (VOT) and on cancelled days off (DOCs).

This will commence from the first tram service scheduled on Wednesday 28, August 2019 and finish when the <u>last tram service</u> scheduled on <u>Thursday</u>, 29 August 2019 ends on <u>Friday</u>, 30 August 2019.

We believe that industrial action is the only way to ensure our members get a fair deal. Industrial action can still be avoided if Yarra Trams takes a reasonable approach to our claims and gets serious about bargaining.

We will continue to fight for our members' interests!

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