

QUEENSLAND INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS COMMISSION

CITATION: *In the making of the Stadiums Queensland Staff Certified Agreement 2019* [2020] QIRC 090

PARTIES: **Stadiums Queensland**
,
and
The Australian Workers' Union of Employees, Queensland
The Electrical Trades Union of Employees Queensland
Together Queensland, Industrial Union of Employees
United Voice, Industrial Union of Employees, Queensland

CASE NO: CB/2020/21

PROCEEDING: Certification of an agreement

DELIVERED ON: 9 June 2020 (written reasons 16 June 2020)

HEARING DATE: 9 June 2020

HEARD AT: Brisbane

MEMBER: O'Connor VP

ORDER: **1. *The Stadiums Queensland Staff Certified Agreement 2019* is certified.**

CATCHWORDS: INDUSTRIAL LAW – application for certification of an agreement – requirements for certification – agreement certified

LEGISLATION: *Industrial Relations Act 2016*, s 189, s 193, s 195, s 196, s 197, s 198, s 199, s 200, s 201, s 204, s 205, s 206, s 207, s 208, s 209, s 216, s 227, s 228

APPEARANCES: Mr B Cooper of Mapien as agent for Stadiums Queensland

Mr M Thomas of Together Queensland, Industrial Union of Employees

Mr B Watson of The Australian Workers' Union of Employees, Queensland

Ms K Flynn of The Electrical Trades Union of Employees Queensland

Mr S Ong of United Voice, Industrial Union of Employees, Queensland

Reasons for Decision

- [1] Stadiums Queensland has made an application to certify an agreement pursuant to section 189 of the *Industrial Relations Act* 2016. As required by s 189(3) of the Act, the application was made within 21 days of the date on which the agreement was made. The agreement is between:
- Stadiums Queensland (the "employer"); and
 - all employees employed by the employer (with the exception of staff on individual contracts and event day casuals); and
 - The Australian Workers' Union of Employees, Queensland; and
 - The Electrical Trades Union of Employees, Queensland; and
 - Together Queensland, Industrial Union of Employees; and
 - United Voice, Industrial Union of Employees, Queensland.
- [2] In proceedings on 9 June 2020 the Commission as presently constituted certified the agreement.
- [3] In certifying the agreement, the Commission recognises that:¹ each relevant requirement under subdivision 2 of Division 2 of Part 5 of the Act has been satisfied;² and, that there was nothing in the agreement which would require the Commission to refuse to grant the application under subdivision 3 of Division 2 of Part 5 of the Act.³

¹ Ibid s 193(1)(a)-(b).

² Ibid ss 195, 196, 197, 198, 199, 200(1)(b), 201(b).

³ Ibid ss 204, 205, 206, 207, 208, 209.

[4] The agreement operates from the day it was certified, namely 9 June 2020.⁴ Although the nominal expiry date of the agreement is 31 July 2023, the agreement continues to operate until it is terminated under s 227 or s 228 of the Act.

[5] The application to certify the *Stadiums Queensland Staff Certified Agreement 2019* is granted.

[6] I make the following order:

- 1. The *Stadiums Queensland Staff Certified Agreement 2019* is certified.**

⁴ Ibid s 216(a).