

**QUEENSLAND INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS COMMISSION**

*Industrial Relations Act 2016 – s 458*

Together Queensland, Industrial Union of Employees

*Applicant – B/2025/49*

Queensland Council of Unions

*Applicant – B/2025/50*

V

State of Queensland

*Respondent*

**APPLICATION FOR A DECLARATION OF GENERAL RULING  
STATE WAGE CASE**

**DIRECTIONS ORDER**

AFTER reading the applications in the above matters filed on 4 June 2025, IT IS ORDERED:

1. That the parties jointly file in the Industrial Registry a statement of agreed facts and any agreed supporting material that they intend to rely upon in their submissions or at hearing **by 4.00pm 10 July 2025.** Where any agreed supporting material is in the public domain the requirement to file a hard copy version outlined in Practice Direction No. 3 of 2021 is waived for the purposes of this direction.
2. In respect of the written submissions of each party, the page limitation outlined in Practice Direction No. 2 of 2023, is taken not to apply.
3. That the Applicants file in the Industrial Registry, and serve on the parties notified, submissions in support of their Application and any affidavit material and expert reports **by 4.00pm 11 July 2025.**
4. The State of Queensland to file, and serve on the parties notified, its submissions in response to the Applications and any affidavit material and expert reports **by 4.00pm 25 July 2025.**
5. The Local Government Association of Queensland to file, and serve on the parties notified, its submissions in response to the Applications and any affidavit material and expert reports **by 4.00pm 1 August 2025.**
6. The Applicants file any submissions in response to the State of Queensland's and Local Government Association of Queensland's submissions in response and any further affidavit material and expert reports **by 4.00pm on 12 August 2025.**

7. Each party shall be at liberty to file in the Industrial Registry, and serve on each other party, any further submissions in reply **by 4.00pm on 15 August 2025.**
8. That the matter be heard before a Full Bench comprised of President Davis, Vice President O'Connor and Deputy President Hartigan at the Queensland Industrial Relations Commission, Level 22, Central Plaza 2, 66 Eagle Street (Corner Elizabeth and Creek Streets), Brisbane, at **10.00am on 19 August 2025.**
9. The parties have liberty to apply on two days' notice to the other parties for a further mention before the Vice President.

Dated 23 June 2025

D.L. O'Connor  
Vice President