

Form 2 – General Application to Queensland Industrial Relations Commission



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Industrial Relations Act 2016, sections 527 and 989

Industrial Relations (Tribunals) Rules 2011, rule 8

Information

Use this form for making any of the following applications to the Queensland Industrial Relations Commission:

Industrial Relations Act 2016 and Industrial Relations (Tribunals) Rules 2011

- for the commission to deal with a general protections dispute (s 309)
- for a declaration (ss 463, 465, rr 72, and 73)
- to amend or declare void a contract (s 471, r 74)
- for an injunction (s 473, r 75)
- for an order about a demarcation dispute (s 479, r 77)
- to reopen proceedings (s 484, r 78)
- to refer a matter to the full bench (s 486(4), r 79)
- for the interpretation of an industrial instrument (s 467, r 80)
- for an order fixing minimum wages and employment conditions for apprentices and trainees (s 136(4)(b), r 149A)
- for an order about tools (s 137(3)(b), r 149B)
- for an order for employees in labour market program (s 140(3)(b), r 149C)
- for an order ensuring equal remuneration for work of equal or comparable value (s 253, r 151)
- for a compensation order (s 122(1)(b), r 154)
- for an order about severance allowance and other separation benefits (s 326, r 155)
- payment for commission (s 99(2)(b))
- for order for contravention of the Industrial Relations Act 2016 (ss 269, 329, and 330, rr 185, 156, and 157)
- to make, vary, or revoke a modern award (ss 147(2)(b), and 150(3)(b), rr 160, 161, and 162)
- for a consent arbitration (s 178(1), r 169)
- to revoke or suspend authorised officer's authority (s 338(1), r 187)
- to cancel an aged or infirm person's permit (s 979(7), r 223)
- application for scope order (s 184)
- suspension or termination of protected industrial action (ss 240 and 241)

Public Interest Disclosure Act 2010 and Industrial Relations (Tribunals) Rules 2011

- for injunction (s 48, r 81)

Trading (Allowable Hours) Act 1990

- for an order under s21 (s 23)
- for a special event declaration (s 31A)
- for injunction to enforce observance of trading hours (s 36C)

Work Health and Safety Act 2011 and Industrial Relations (Tribunals) Rules 2011

- to disqualify a health and safety representative (s 65, r 84)

Workers' Compensation and Rehabilitation Act 2003 and Industrial Relations (Tribunals) Rules 2011

- for an order that an employer reinstate an injured worker (s 232E, r 83)

Once your form has been processed the Industrial Registry will contact you and provide you with a sealed copy of your application.

Note: The applicant may file a **Form 20 - Affidavit** in support of the application

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For further information please contact the Industrial Registry on 1300 592 987 or via email at qirc.registry@qirc.qld.gov.au

Applicant:	National Retail Association, Union of Employers

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Respondent:	NA

PLEASE NOTE: If there are more than two parties to this application, please complete a **Form 1 – Parties list** and file it with this form.

Application

This is an application to the Queensland Industrial Relations Commission, pursuant to Trading (Allowable Hours) Act 1990, section 31A(1)

1. Applicant

Title: (please select)	<input type="radio"/> Mr <input type="radio"/> Mrs <input checked="" type="radio"/> Ms <input type="radio"/> Miss <input type="radio"/> Mx <input type="radio"/> Other:		
Name of applicant:	Lindsay Carroll		
Name of contact person:			
Postal address:	3/67 St Pauls Terrace		
	Suburb/Town	Spring Hill	Postcode 4000
Phone number:	3420 0100	Fax number:	
Mobile number:			
Email address:	d.stout@nationalretail.org.au		
<p>Does the applicant have a representative?</p> <p>A representative might be a lawyer, a union, an agent or a family member or friend who will speak on behalf of the applicant. There is no requirement to have a representative.</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Yes - provide representative's details below and file a Form 33 or 34</p> <p><input type="radio"/> No</p>			

2. Applicant's representative

Organisation:	National Retail Association, Union of Employers		
Name of contact person:	David Stout		
Postal address:	3/67 St Pauls Terrace		
	Suburb/Town	Spring Hill	Postcode 4000
Phone number:		Fax number:	
Mobile number:	0409 926 066		
Email address:	d.stout@nationalretail.org.au		

3. Respondent

The applicant must serve a copy of this application on the respondent

Name of respondent:

Name of contact person:

Postal address:

Suburb/Town

Postcode

Phone number:

Fax number:

Mobile number:

Email address:

4. Details of decision sought


1000 character limit. (Note: If more than 1000 characters are required please attach a schedule)

The Mount Isa Agricultural Show Society hosts the Mount Isa Show annually with the help of local volunteers and sponsors and is a major drawcard in regional Queensland, providing tourism and employment opportunities. Accordingly, the National Retail Association asks the Commission to grant an order under Section 31A(1) of the Act for Mt Isa for Friday, 19 June up to and including Sunday, 21 June 2026. This covers the period of the Mount Isa Show and the following Sunday (See Exhibit B for a map of the area).

5. Grounds of Application

(Set out the reasons for the application in consecutively numbered paragraphs. (Note: if more than 5000 characters are required please attach a schedule)

1. The Mount Isa Agricultural Show Society hosts the Mount Isa Show annually with the help of local volunteers and sponsors and is a major tourist draw card in regional Queensland, providing tourism and employment opportunities. 2026 will be the Show's 44th iteration.
2. The Mount Isa Show will run from Friday 19 June to Saturday 20 June 2026.
3. The National Retail Association is seeking the inclusion of Sunday, 21 June 2026 within this application. The event closes late on Saturday night and Mount Isa is an extremely remote town, 121 km from Cloncurry, 1,823km north-west of Brisbane and 904km west of Townsville. The National Retail Association submits that it is extremely unlikely that out-of-town visitors will drive home after the events close at 10pm on Saturday. Therefore, we are seeking the inclusion of Sunday to allow local businesses to better service the needs of visitors for the entire duration of their stay.
4. We rely on earlier decisions regarding the Mount Isa Show (TH/2021/5, TH/2022/3, TH/2023/2, TH/2024/1, TH/2025/4), noting that in these circumstances, the Commission considered it appropriate to include the day after the event (Sunday) within the applicable period.
5. Accordingly, the National Retail Association asks the Commission to grant an order under Part 5 Division 3 of the Act for Mt Isa for Friday, 19 June up to and including Sunday, 21 June 2026. This covers the period of the Mount Isa Show and the following Sunday (See Exhibit B for a map of the area).

6. Signature of applicant or representative	
Signature:	
Name in full (please print):	Lindsay Carroll
Date:	11 / 5 / 26