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TZV LAST MINUTE ATTEMPTS FAIL

With the Victorian election at the end of November, The Government entered Caretaker Mode on last Tuesday evening. The facts are – there was never an offer from TZV, DJCS or IRV re a MOU with a 6% pay rise. The ballot for industrial action continues and closes on Wednesday 11 Nov. **More**

TELSTRA HFC APPEAL

The appeal by Telstra against the decision of the Commissioner will be heard by a Full Bench this Thursday. Telstra had objected to the hearing of the dispute about Redundancy in HFC. Commissioner Tran held that she had jurisdiction to hear our case. Usually, decisions are reserved and we will wait some time before the Full Bench hands down its decision.

NBN SOD CASE

Still no decision from the Industrial Relations Court of NSW. It cannot be far away now.

TELSTRA – MORE ON SOCI

Telstra had added to their response to our questions. We are meeting with Telstra again this Wednesday to clarify some matters. 1. Will social media be screened as part of the checks conducted by Certn. If not, can you please ensure this message is clarified to employees. **More**

BAI TECHS EA UPDATE

The CWU has reviewed BAI's latest bargaining response and, following detailed discussions, have concluded that we are not able to support their proposed Enterprise Agreement in its current form. While BAI has moved on a number of claims, those changes are limited. **More**

FWO – WAGE THEFT INCREASES

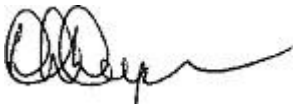
October 2026: More than 181,000 workers had a total of $453 million in underpaid wages back-paid in the financial year, an increase of about $95 million from the year before. **More**

AUSTRALIA POST – PARLIAMENTARY INQUIRY
On Friday 30 Oct, the Communications Minister Anika Wells announced an inquiry into the future of Australia Post. She is asking the inquiry to look at the performance of Post. It is no secret that there are falling letter numbers, higher delivery costs and competition from e-commerce companies.

NORWAY POST - ONCE A WEEK DELIVERY
The following report is from Geneva based UNI, the world body representing Postal and Telecom workers. (CEPU is not affiliated with UNI. I worked for UNI for about 5 years). *UNI Global Union stands in unwavering solidarity with postal workers in Norway and their union as they face the largest mass layoffs in the country's history. Government plans to reduce letter deliveries from every other day to once a week…* **More**

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