



# Arts Centre Melbourne

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## MEAA give in-principle agreement for 2.5% pay rise for 12 months

Dear members at the Arts Centre,

Following significant feedback from members and delegates, MEAA has given in-principle agreement for a 2.5% pay rise for a 12 month agreement expiring on June 30, 2016. The 2.5% would apply from March 14, with a one off lump sum payment to cover time worked for the period from July 2015 to March 13, 2016.

It is our strong belief that the majority of the workplace wants to receive this pay increase quickly and lock in the agreement now.

We are seeking that management make this effective as soon as possible. We have a negotiation meeting scheduled for this Friday afternoon.

If the other parties (Arts Centre and CPSU) cannot agree to 2.5% in the negotiation room on Friday, we believe every worker covered by the agreement should have the right to vote on whether they want to accept a 2.5% pay rise or not.

If the other parties do not agree to accept 2.5%, we will be calling on Arts Centre management to deliver a free, fair and direct vote to all staff as soon as possible.

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