

DIRECTIVE 21/16

Minister for Employment and Industrial Relations Directive: Continuation of directive application for certain employees

1. Purpose:

To maintain directive application for certain employees.

2. Effective date: 1 July 2016

3. Legislative authority:

Section 54(1) of the Public Service Act 2008 (PSA).

4. Application:

This directive applies to the classifications of employees in the departments, classifications, groups or areas listed in the Schedule to whom one of the following awards apply:

- *General Employees (Queensland Government Departments) and Other Employees Award – State 2015*
- *Parks and Wildlife Employees Award – State 2016*
- *Teaching in State Education Award – State 2016*
- *Queensland Police Service Employees Award – State 2016*

5. Related information:

See the Schedule for the directives, or parts of directives, which cover certain classifications of employees in departments, classifications, groups or areas.

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6. Continued application of directives to certain employees

- 6.1. The directives, or parts of directives, specified in the Schedule shall cover the classifications of employees in the departments, classifications, groups or areas listed.
- 6.2. Where the directive is repealed and replaced with a directive dealing with the same subject matter, a reference to a directive in the Schedule is taken to be a reference to a new directive.
- 6.3. This directive is not intended to extend additional benefits to employees.

7. Definitions

Unless otherwise provided, the terms in this directive have the meaning prescribed in the PSA.

SCHEDULE

a) **Employees to whom the *General Employees (Queensland Government Departments) and Other Employees Award – State 2015* applies:**

Department, classification, group or area	Directive or part of directive about
<p>(i) Department of Agriculture and Fisheries:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Employees employed on motor vessels owned and operated by the Fisheries Research Branch ○ Farm supervisors ○ Dingo barrier fence personnel: Assistant operations officer, senior operations officer and project officer - barrier fences ○ Employees engaged in the forestry stream 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Locality allowance (excluding casuals) • Domestic travelling and relieving expenses • International travelling, relieving and living expenses • Leave for study and examination purposes (excluding casuals) • Field staff, to the extent the directive provides for time off in lieu of overtime arrangements • Locality allowance (excluding casuals) • Domestic travelling and relieving expenses • International travelling, relieving and living expenses
<p>(ii) Various Departments; Department of Agriculture and Fisheries:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Gardeners 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Leave for study and examination purposes (excluding casuals) • Locality allowance (excluding casuals)
<p>(iii) Various Departments:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Storepersons 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Locality allowance (excluding casuals) • Leave for study and examination purposes (excluding casuals) • Overtime meal allowance, provided that in lieu of the qualifying period therein for work performed before or after ordinary starting and ceasing time, the following shall apply: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ after 2 hours where such overtime commences before 1800; ○ after one hour where such overtime commences at or after 1800.
<p>(iv) Department of Transport and Main Roads:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Cost clerks and timekeepers ○ Operation support officers ○ Operations officers ○ Store managers and storepersons 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Domestic travelling and relieving expenses • International travelling, relieving and living expenses • Transfer expenses • Transfer expenses • Overtime meal allowance • Domestic travelling and relieving expenses • International travelling, relieving and living expenses • Overtime meal allowance • Domestic travelling and relieving expenses

Department, classification, group or area	Directive or part of directive about
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • International travelling, relieving and living expenses • Locality allowance (excluding casuals)
(v) Department of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Partnerships: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Employees engaged in retail stores in Indigenous communities: assistant store managers and store managers ○ Employees engaged in retail stores in Indigenous communities: store managers only 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Leave and travel concessions - isolated centres • Transfer and appointment expenses • Domestic travelling and relieving expenses • International travelling, relieving and living expenses

b) Employees to whom the *Parks and Wildlife Employees Award – State 2016* applies:

Department, classification, group or area	Directive or part of directive about
(i) Department of National Parks, Sports and Racing: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Rangers 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Domestic travelling and relieving expenses • Higher duties • Excess travel
(ii) Department of Environment and Heritage Protection: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Wildlife officers 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Domestic travelling and relieving expenses • Higher duties • Excess travel

c) Employees to whom the *Teaching in State Education Award – State 2016* applies:

Department, classification, group or area	Directive or part of directive about
(i) Department of Education and Training: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Assistant teachers employed in the CTAT stream 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Domestic travelling and relieving expenses • Transfer and appointment expenses

d) Employees to whom the *Queensland Police Service Employees Award – State 2016* applies:

Department, classification, group or area	Directive or part of directive about
(i) Queensland Police Service: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Staff members as defined in the Award <p>Note: Clause 3 of the Award defines staff member as “a Police Liaison Officer, Assistant Watchhouse Officer, Police Pipes and Drums Bandperson, and a Torres Strait Island Police Support Officer, all of whom are engaged pursuant to section 147 of the Public Service Act 2008”</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Higher duties