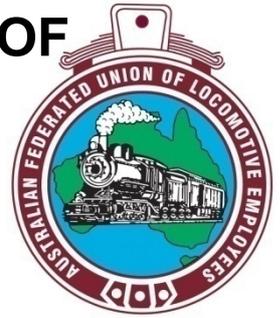


AUSTRALIAN FEDERATED UNION OF LOCOMOTIVE EMPLOYEES



Circular: 107/19

Ref: TSD Proposed Restructure

27/09/2019

Citytrain Proposed TSD Restructure

Dear Members,

Earlier this month Queensland Rail released a consultation document to Traincrew and your union for the Train Service Delivery (TSD) Operations proposed restructure.

The proposed restructure includes the creation of a Guards roll that essentially sits below one of three TSD Operations managers and will become a level of reporting and assistance for current Citytrain Guards as Traincrew numbers continue to grow within QR.

In the consultation document, the new Guard roll has been titled, TOI Guard (TOIG). Through the initial feedback the AFULE have put to QR, the company have agreed to change the title of this roll to something that closer reflects the new Guard position.

This new position is not designed to replace TOI's nor will the new roll have the same detailed responsibilities as TOI's.

The new roll has come as a result of the Strachan report and is designed to assist Citytrain Guards with closer reporting structures, to ensure training and compliance is current as Guard numbers grow, and to assist traincrew as the company has a shift in operations with the upcoming introduction of ETCS and Cross River Rail.

Although we were informed the Position Description for this new roll was easily accessible to Traincrew, it has come to our attention that this is not necessarily the case. Today I have spoken to senior QR management and Government seeking a further week for consultation and feedback and to make the Position Description of the new proposed roll readily available to all Traincrew to provide adequate feedback on.

I encourage all AFULE members to review the PD for the Guard new roll and provide feedback through the QR feedback portal and also via statesecretary@afule.org.au

For more information please contact your state office on 3844 9163 or statesecretary@afule.org.au

In Solidarity,

Michael McKittrick
State Secretary

Traincrew representing Traincrew