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## DECISION

*Fair Work Act 2009*

s.185 - Application for approval of a single-enterprise agreement

**University of New England**

(AG2009/13615)

### **UNE GENERAL STAFF AND ELC TEACHERS COLLECTIVE AGREEMENT 2009-2012**

Educational services

COMMISSIONER RAFFAELLI

SYDNEY, 28 OCTOBER 2009

*UNE General Staff and ELC Teachers Collective Agreement 2009-2012.*

[1] An application has been made for approval of an enterprise agreement known as the *UNE General Staff and ELC Teachers Collective Agreement 2009-2012* (the Agreement). The application was made pursuant to s.185 of the *Fair Work Act 2009* (the Act). It has been made by the University of New England. The agreement is a single-enterprise agreement.

[2] The Agreement was made during the bridging period<sup>1</sup> as defined in the *Fair Work (Transitional Provisions and Consequential Amendments) Act 2009* (the Transitional Act), accordingly, when considering whether to approve the Agreement I have taken into account the provisions of Part 2–4 of Chapter 2 of the Act as modified by Schedule 7 of the Transitional Act.

[3] I am satisfied that each of the requirements of ss.186, 187 and 188 as are relevant to this application for approval have been met.

[4] The National Tertiary Education Union (NTEU) and the Community and Public Sector Union, being bargaining representatives for the Agreement, have given notice under s.183 of the Act that they want the Agreement to cover them. In accordance with s.201(2) I note that the Agreement covers that organisation.

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<sup>1</sup> Item 2, Part 1, of Schedule 2.

[5] The Agreement is approved and, in accordance with s.54, will operate from 4 November 2009. The nominal expiry date of the Agreement is 3 November 2012.

COMMISSIONER

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