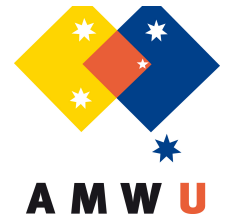


# Australian Manufacturing Workers' Union



## MEDIA RELEASE

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### Sweet outcome in bitter Darrell Lea dispute

The Australian Manufacturing Workers' Union has confirmed a settlement of their dispute with confectionary company Darrell Lea.

"We can confirm today that Darrell Lea has agreed to pay the outstanding redundancy entitlement owed to the six workers" said Tim Ayres, AMWU NSW Secretary.

"Last week, we said we'd be fighting until they got every last dollar, and that's exactly what has happened", he said.

The resolution follows an outpouring of support by the community for the six workers involved in the dispute and determined AMWU legal and industrial action.

"This is what unions do best – making sure we get a fair go for workers and their families" said Mr Ayres.

"The Australian community took to the airwaves and to social media to express support for fairness and good corporate governance. Their support has been crucial in convincing Darrell Lea to do the right thing and the six workers are thankful for it" said Mr Ayres.

"We are looking forward to continuing a productive relationship with Darrell Lea management that is in the best interest of workers and the business. At the end of the day, workers will be happy to just get back to doing what they do best – delivering good quality Australian sweets to supermarket shelves" he said.

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