RTBU members today voted to suspend further industrial action at Adelaide Metro in order to undertake further negotiations with the South Australian Government.

The decision to suspend industrial action came after a last-minute breakthrough in negotiations. The State Government has now agreed to a number of important points in our log of claims, including:

- Roster principles to be incorporated in the agreement, plus a comprehensive review;
- Guaranteed pay rise of at least 2.5% per year, over 3 years;
- Back pay guaranteed to 1 January 2014;
- National rail qualifications for all members;
- Shift harmonisation; and
- APM calculation into the agreement.

There are still several outstanding items to be addressed, including our claims for an additional productivity-based pay rise (over and above the guaranteed 2.5%) and shift penalties.

**NEXT STEPS**

The negotiating team will resume discussions around the remaining outstanding issues in our claim.

Meanwhile, our National Legal Team will ensure an application for further protected action is ready to go in case we need to resume industrial action in the next two weeks.

This breakthrough has come about due to the determination of RTBU members. Our strength is our solidarity.

**IT’S TIME TO TAKE A STAND**
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Authorised by Bob Nanva, National Secretary – Rail, Tram and Bus Union.