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Professional Rates of Pay Campaign



**CATHOLIC SECTOR
PROTECTED ACTION CO-CURRICULAR BANS
SPECIAL CHAPTER BRIEFING No. 1
[TOOWOOMBA DIOCESE]**

Co-Curricular Ban Notified

Bans 8 – 9 March 2010

Employer Must Revise Wage Offer

Dear Colleagues

Members in the Toowoomba Diocese authorised in the recent ballot a ban on participation in co-curricular activities.

Following a teleconference of Chapter representatives a notice has now been issued to the Director of Toowoomba Catholic Education that a ban on co-curricular activities will be imposed on 8 – 9 March 2010.

Co-curricular activities are defined as any activity provided for students which is not part of a Queensland Studies Authority (QSA) approved curriculum and which occurs outside the scheduled commencement and conclusion of the delivery of that curriculum.

Members do not need to advise their employer that they are taking this action. The employer cannot ask you if you will be taking this action.

A Fact Sheet is enclosed for distribution to Chapter members.

Catholic employers are demonstrating little leadership in resolving the wage issue.

Your action in imposing this ban is an element of our wider campaign to achieve interstate Catholic benchmark rates of pay.

Thank you for your continued support in this campaign.

Kind regards

**TERRY BURKE
SECRETARY**

Attachment – Fact Sheet