

Modern Award Changes 1 November 2020

Member Update

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As part of the 4 Yearly Review of Modern Awards, the Fair Work Commission announced on 19 June 2020 that the minimum wage contained in the *Building and Construction General On-Site Award 2010* (**'On-Site Award'**) and the *Joinery and Building Trades Award 2010* (**'Joinery Award'**) would increase by 1.75% from 1 November 2020.

This increase impacts the allowances contained in both awards.

The increase come into effect from the start of the first full pay period that starts on or after 1 November 2020.

An updated version of the **On-Site Award** can be viewed <u>here</u>. An updated version of the **Joinery Award** can be viewed <u>here</u>.

Attached to this update are wage circulars for the **On-Site Award** and **the Joinery Award**. It is strongly recommended that members who use these two awards, review their workplace arrangements to ensure they remain compliant with Award conditions.

A full list of awards impacted by this rate increase can be viewed <u>here</u>.

Should you have queries regarding these changes please contact our team at <u>IRAdvice@mbawa.com</u> or (08) 9476 9800 and we will direct your query.

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