

AP 15/26
7.0-002

25 May, 2015.

Mr Ahmed Fahour,
Managing Director and Chief Executive Officer,
Australian Postal Corporation,
111 Bourke Street,
MELBOURNE. VIC. 3000.
By email, facsimile & mail

Dear Ahmed,

We are writing on behalf of our members to voice their concerns regarding Australia Post's recent announcement of a \$100 gift card.

Our members have raised several issues:

- 1) This gift card will be conditional on Community Service Obligations being met in each of the next 4 years.

This is unfair.

Our members have little control over CSOs being met. In fact in recent years, when CSOs have fallen below the standard in particular months, it has been directly caused by senior management actions such as, the staffing freeze that was unilaterally introduced in 2013.

- 2) A number of members do not wish to sign up to the Digital Mail Box. Our members are aware of the disruption that digitisation is having on the traditional mail service and many are mystified as to why they would be asked to further encourage such disruption.

Some have stated that it is akin to a form of blackmail.

- 3) Our members are seeking clarification on any taxation implications.

We look forward your response.

Yours faithfully,



Dan Dwyer,
DIVISIONAL SECRETARY.

Level 9, 365 Queen Street, Melbourne Vic 3000 (Australia)

cwu.org.au

P (03) 9349 2100

F (03) 9642 0333

E cwu@cwu.org.au

ABN 22 401 014 998 A Division of CEPU

Len Cooper Divisional President

Dan Dwyer Divisional Secretary