

HEARINGS TO BEGIN FOR SAFEWORK PROSECUTION OF QANTAS



Before Qantas' illegal outsourcing, Theo Seremetidis worked in fleet presentation at the company, and was a trained and elected health and safety representative (HSR).

In an Australia-first prosecution, Qantas has been hit with **criminal charges** for targeting and standing down Theo after he advised workers on their rights to cease unsafe work at the start of the pandemic.

Workers were made to clean planes arriving from covid hotspots in China without disinfectant, PPE, or covid-safe training at the start of the pandemic.

Theo never worked another day at Qantas after he was unjustly stood down, and was **illegally outsourced exactly a year later**.

The SafeWork prosecution commences on Monday with 10 days of hearings, with Qantas the only company to have ever faced these charges. Along with your huge efforts in holding the company to account, the public will see **further evidence of Qantas' appalling behaviour towards workers**.

Click here for a **full timeline** of events leading to Theo being stood down and the subsequent investigation by SafeWork NSW.



DISTRICT COURT HEARINGS

STAND WITH THEO

- Find **social media posts** to use in support of Theo here
- Film a **message of support** for Theo and post it to your social media channels
- Use the **hashtag #IStandWithTheo** on social media to support Theo

