
Qantas to go ahead with base closures

We know many members will be distressed at Qantas' announcement that it will go ahead with base closures in Hobart and Canberra, despite the impact it will have on cabin crew, and significant public and political backlash.

[Find our media statement on the announcement here](#)

Your safety comes first

If this announcement gives you concern about your ability to safely operate a rostered duty, contact your base manager or ROC to remove yourself.

Qantas forced to make extra commitments on allowances and transition time

Due to your pressure, Qantas has been forced to offer more options around payments for relocation or commuting. But this is still Qantas plastering over its bad decision.

What happens now

We will continue working with members and meeting with Qantas to ensure the best possible outcomes for pilots.

Meanwhile we continue our campaign for a Safe and Secure Skies Commission so that when these decisions in aviation are made, they take into account the needs of the whole community, especially the workforce, not just executive bonuses.

If you have any questions, please contact your TWU representative.