

SWISSPORT UPDA MARCH 2023

WORKER PRESSURE

BRINGS ABOUT A SWISSPORT OFFER

With workers' pressure building against Swissport management and their recent bargaining communications, we have now seen some much-needed movement on the claim.



This week Swissport management announced a revised offer that included:

- Pay increases
- Improvements to four-hour shift protections
- Increase in parking allowance
- Improvement to single absence sick leave provisions

This has come about because workers across Swissport are unionising within the TWU and standing together to improve this agreement.

However, it is clear from discussions overnight that this offer still falls considerably short on a number of claim items that workers identified as the most important.

OUTSTANDING ISSUES:

- Increased access to overtime
- X Full-time positions
- X A decent pay rise for years two and three of the agreement
- X A voice on site and union notice boards
- X An agreement that expires in 2026 and doesn't lock workers out of line with the rest of the industry
- Higher duties
- X Reducing unpaid meal breaks
- Maintain current 'market allowance'

After holding up the bargain for a number of months, Swissport must revise their offer on these outstanding items before it is put out to a vote. The TWU bargaining team is willing to keep meeting over the next fortnight to get these outstanding items resolved so a fair offer can be put to workers.

We are seeing movement because workers are joining up around the country and are ready to vote down a shoddy offer. If you haven't joined now, it is vital you sign up now. It is crunch time in the agreement.

JOIN THE TWU TODAY



Stay informed and organised. If you haven't yet, invite your coworkers to join the TWU. We need everyone in the union to win the best outcome.

If you're not a member, scan the QR or click here code to join now.



