# **Getting to Know Your Wages & Conditions** Agreement



## **Wages**

- Pay rises between 10.3% and 13.3% over three years.
- Members on classifications equivalent to TSSA General Stream Band 3 or below will receive one-off low payments of \$1,000 and \$500 in December 2023 and December 2024 (pro rata for Part Time workers).
- Union action means you are between \$2,393 and \$4,292 better off over the life of your Agreement, compared to the Government's initial offer.

## **Improved Leave**

- Increased Parental Leave, greater support for secondary caregivers, plus new leave provisions for Grandparents, Foster Carers and Surrogates.
- Bereavement & Compassionate Leave to recognise still birth and miscarriage.
- Aboriginal Cultural Leave: 5 days paid leave, as well as recognising kinship relations for the purpose of personal leave, compassionate and bereavement leave.
- 5 days paid Disability Leave per year to recognise the additional needs of the 1 in 6 Tasmanians with a disability who may run over their personal leave.
- Family Violence Leave doubled to 20 days.
- Superannuation now paid on all periods of unpaid Parental Leave, as well as personal leave without pay over 4 weeks.

#### **Jobs You Can Count On**

- New right to request conversion from a Fixed Term or Casual role to permenancy.
- Permanent part-time employees who regularly work additional hours can apply to have these hours made permanent.
- Increased minimum hours of engagement for casuals (up to 3 hours).
- Teacher Assistants, Administration staff and **Business Managers stood down over school** holidays will receive an additional week paid work, with leave.

# **Unlocking Public Sector Skills**

- Re-commitment to consider a statewide, State Service Mobility Register
- **Expanded classification structure and** opportunities for progression for ICT employees.

# **New Rights** for a **New World**

- **Provision to allow State Service workers** to negotiate compressed hours, such as a 4-day week, 9-day fortnight or 19-day month.
- **Consistent Incident Management Operations** conditions to apply across the TSS within 6 months of registration of the Agreement.



