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PRISONER TRANSPORT MEETINGS AND IRC CONCILIATION

Your Association has continued to progress the IRC Dispute regarding Prisoner Transportation, participating in further conciliation before the IRC last Friday and holding a further meeting on Tuesday with representatives from the NSW Police Force, the Department of Justice and the Public Services Association who represent Corrective Officers.

The parties have agreed on a range of issues for resolution within the dispute including:

- Prisoner bail refused;
- Prisoner on remand;
- Section 33
Each of the above categories in metropolitan and regional areas;
- Juvenile Justice in transport;
- Women in transport;
- Habeas Corpus;
- CSNSW work practices with potential to reduce police escort duties:
CSNSW trucks during through towns;
Route and times of CSNSW vehicle schedule;
CSNSW control of court lists;
- Updates and Status of Parkes and Newcastle Trials.

We continue to encourage Branches to provide us with examples and information of what occurs in your communities and police stations regarding prisoner transport. The topics above are a good starting point for information. This information can be sent to feedback@pansw.org.au with the **title Prisoner Transport**.

A nemesis was sent out by NSWPF on Monday in relation to the use of the CAD system for recording prisoner transportation, we encourage members to adhere to this request to ensure we can properly capture accurate prisoner transportation data, which to date has been inconsistent.

Continue to engage with your branch officials and have conversations with your local magistrates, local members, mayors and the media. They need to know every time your resources are diverted away from protecting your city or town to transport a prisoner.

Please click on the link below to see examples of how Branches are engaging on this issue. Continue to use this link to view updates, media articles and branch activity on this campaign <http://bit.ly/2Dw4mXv>

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'S. Weber', is positioned above the name and title of the signatory.

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