



**All Members Industrial Action**

**Where under these guidelines you decline** to attend a job, you must ensure the person requesting assistance clearly understands that you WILL NOT BE ATTENDING OR ACTIONING THE INFORMATION.

You should refer them the call 131 AFP (131 237) for advice and assistance. In the field it may be that Police Radio or your station tells the informant that information.

If a CAD message was created ensure that you write off with similar text to;

“###SUPERVISOR TO NOTE – this job was not attended or actioned. The matter is properly dealt with by a Commonwealth Agency. There is no immediate risk to the life or physical/psychological welfare of a person. The informant has been referred to 131 237 for assistance from the AFP.”

Duty Type/Members affected	Nature of Duty	Performing Task(s)?
All Members	Assistance in controlled delivery of substituted illicit drugs or other items – once the drugs are substituted the immediate risk to safety has passed.	X
All Members	Assistance to Commonwealth Agencies Executing Warrants or other process including arrest where there is no need for a Specialist Tactical Resource.	X
All Members	Attendance at Australia Post mail centres and calls for assistance detection of drug packages – Seized drugs pose no danger, Commonwealth Agencies have detection capacity.	X
All Members	Involvement in Commonwealth investigations like Tobacco (excise), Fraud etc unless so entrenched in Organised Crime as to make it necessary.	X
All Members	Law enforcement (unless life threatening/F&DV, Child at Risk etc) on Defence Land.	X
All Members	Attendance at Tweed Heads or Newcastle Airports to perform functions of AFP, Quarantine, Customs or Border Force unless life threatening.	X

All Members	Transport of AFP prisoners.	✗
All Members	Attendance at Immigration Detention Centres eg Villawood (unless life threatening).	✗
All Members	Immigration checks unless relevant to a bail determination.	✗
All Members	Ministerial or Departmental correspondence with Federal Departments or agencies.	✗
All Members	Appearance in Federal or Parliamentary inquiries.	✗
All Members	Jobs where there is a risk to the life or physical/psychological welfare of a person. This includes members of the public, members of Commonwealth Agencies and fellow law enforcement officers.	✓
All Members	AFP present a prisoner at a police station, and they cannot access COPS.	✓
All Members	Attend court as witnesses/informants in current Commonwealth Prosecutions.	✓

If you are then directed to attend a job by a senior officer, you are to comply with the direction and contact the PANSW as per below.

If further advice is required, contact your Field Organiser from the PANSW on 9265 6777 or [info@pansw.org.au](mailto:info@pansw.org.au) If it is outside of hours and you require urgent advice PANSW may be reached by contacting the State Coordinator at Sydney VKG.