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Kia ora First Name,

We have received notice that Tertiary Education Union (TEU) and Public Service Association (PSA) members under coverage of the University of Auckland Academic Staff Collective Agreement and the Professional Staff Collective Agreement will be taking strike action this Thursday, 26 September 2024.

For the TEU members, the notice specifies strike action will be taken from 1.38pm until 5.00pm. For PSA members, strike action will be from 1.30pm to 5.00pm. During this time, union members have given notice that they do not intend to perform any work. All academic activities will run as normal, unless specified through course Canvas notifications. Please check Canvas for any changes to taught courses, tests, exams, and other academic activity that may be affected by this strike action.

We have been meeting with the unions' Academic and Professional bargaining teams since early July 2024 to bargain in good faith. This has included presenting a pay offer that recognises cost-of-living pressures for our employees. Unfortunately, we have not been able to reach agreement to date. We are disappointed to have received notice of strike action at this stage, when discussions are on-going.

The University acknowledges the right to strike and staff who participate in lawful strike action are entitled to do so.

We remain committed to bargaining in good faith with the unions and are hopeful that we will be able to find a constructive solution to address any issues through the bargaining process.

Ngā mihi nui,

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