

URGENT!

A NEWSAGENT ONLY MEETING TO DISCUSS POSSIBLE COURT ACTION IN RELATION TO BILL EXPRESS

What is happening about Bill Express? What are your representatives doing? Victorian newsagents appear to have been left in the dark as to avenues legal action which may be available to seek a remedy to the Bill Express situation. To provide information and agree a course of action, we have organised a meeting for this week:

**Thursday June 19, 2008, 11am
Crest on Barkly Hotel, Barkly Street, St Kilda.**

The agenda for what could be the most important meeting you ever attend is:

1. Update on Bill Express' current situation.
2. Update on action being taken by NANA, QNF, ANF and other groups of newsagents and consideration of whether joining any of these is appropriate.
3. Discussion about the costs, risks and possible outcomes of Victorian newsagents commencing their own, independent, legal action.
4. Likely cost, structure and timelines of group or class legal action.
5. A vote on a resolution to establish a trust fund for the purpose of briefing legal counsel to advise and, if considered appropriate, commence action against Bill Express and any other party considered to have a case to answer in this matter.
6. Vote on a steering committee to liase with legal counsel if point 5 is passed.
7. Discussion and vote on timelines newsagents require from the steering committee.

We anticipate the meeting will run for 90 minutes. While everyone has their own stories about Bill Express, this meeting will be focused on achieving group wide consensus and moving forward collectively *as quickly as possible* on the best outcome for newsagents.

As this is a newsagent only meeting, attendees will be required to register on arrival.

Please bring to the meeting photocopies in a folder marked with your details evidence which we could provide to a lawyer should the meeting decide to proceed: Bill Express related agreements, promotional literature, of notes of conversations with anyone who recommended Bill Express to you.

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19 AT 11AM. BE THERE!**