

February 2019

[Brisbane restaurant back-pays workers \(http://www.fairwork.gov.au/about-us/news-and-media-releases/2019-media-releases/february-2019/20190222-phat-elephant-eu-media-release\)](http://www.fairwork.gov.au/about-us/news-and-media-releases/2019-media-releases/february-2019/20190222-phat-elephant-eu-media-release)

22 Feb 2019

A Thai restaurant in the Brisbane CBD will overhaul its workplace practices after the Fair Work Ombudsman found it underpaid three international students a total of \$27,164.

[Former Caltex franchisee penalised \\$77,000 \(http://www.fairwork.gov.au/about-us/news-and-media-releases/2019-media-releases/february-2019/20190215-rana-caltex-penalty-media-release\)](http://www.fairwork.gov.au/about-us/news-and-media-releases/2019-media-releases/february-2019/20190215-rana-caltex-penalty-media-release)

15 Feb 2019

The Fair Work Ombudsman has secured total penalties of \$77,708 against a former Sydney Caltex franchisee who falsified wage records for migrant workers.

[Sydney hair salon ordered to pay \\$77,000 in penalties \(http://www.fairwork.gov.au/about-us/news-and-media-releases/2019-media-releases/february-2019/20190211-hair-rass-me-penalty\)](http://www.fairwork.gov.au/about-us/news-and-media-releases/2019-media-releases/february-2019/20190211-hair-rass-me-penalty)

12 Feb 2019

The Fair Work Ombudsman has secured more than \$77,000 in penalties against the operator of a Sydney hair salon for underpaying a teenage apprentice in her first job more than \$14,000.

[Sushi outlets allegedly underpaid workers \\$694,000 \(http://www.fairwork.gov.au/about-us/news-and-media-releases/2019-media-releases/february-2019/20190208-hero-sushi-litigation-matter\)](http://www.fairwork.gov.au/about-us/news-and-media-releases/2019-media-releases/february-2019/20190208-hero-sushi-litigation-matter)

8 Feb 2019

The Fair Work Ombudsman (FWO) has commenced legal action against the operators of three Hero Sushi takeaway outlets for allegedly underpaying 94 workers and allegedly creating false records to provide to Fair Work Inspectors during their investigation.

[Over \\$250,000 in penalties for café underpayments \(http://www.fairwork.gov.au/about-us/news-and-media-releases/2019-media-releases/february-2019/20190204-ital-one-penalty-media-release\)](http://www.fairwork.gov.au/about-us/news-and-media-releases/2019-media-releases/february-2019/20190204-ital-one-penalty-media-release)

4 Feb 2019

The Fair Work Ombudsman (FWO) has secured \$257,000 in penalties against a company and its director that underpaid 54 workers at a 24-hour café in Melbourne's Crown Casino precinct.

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