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## **Registration opens for 30<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Australian Freight Industry Awards**

The Victorian Transport Association has announced entries are now open for the annual Australian Freight Industry Awards and gala presentation event at the Palladium at Crown on Saturday, 7 September.

“The Australian Freight Industry Awards are among the most coveted accolades in the Australian transport industry, recognising the outstanding achievements of Australian freight and logistics operators and the people they employ,” said VTA CEO Peter Anderson.

“This year marks the **30<sup>th</sup> Anniversary** of the Awards, which are proudly sponsored by **TWUSUPER** and **Viva Energy Australia**. It gives me great pleasure to invite freight operators and other companies in the supply chain to the presentation celebration at the Palladium at Crown on Saturday, 7th September, which will be a night to remember.

“The Awards are but one way that the Victorian Transport Association recognises the fantastic achievements of operators across our industry and we nominations for any of the seven Award categories being contested this year.”

Categories include:

- Investment in People Award
- Best Practice Safety Award
- Application of Technology Award
- Sustainable Environment Award
- Young Achiever Award
- Female Leadership Award
- Personality of the Year Award

Ticketing and Award information and entry forms are available at [www.vta.com.au/afia](http://www.vta.com.au/afia) The deadline for entries and purchasing tickets is **Monday, 19th August**.

In commemoration of this 30<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of these important awards, the VTA has assembled a short video compilation of past highlights for review [here](#).

“I hope you can show your support for our industry by submitting an entry and attending what is shaping up as another fantastic Australian Freight Industry Awards presentation,” Anderson said.

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