

*Workplace Relations Act 1996*  
s.189 of Schedule 1B - arrangement for conduct of an election

**Australian and International Pilots Association**  
(E2004/232)

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INDUSTRIAL REGISTRAR

MELBOURNE 12 JULY 2004

*Arrangement for conduct of election.*

**DECISION**

[1] On 5th July 2004 the abovenamed organisation lodged in the Industrial Registry prescribed information in relation to an election for the following offices:

President  
Vice Presidents (3)  
Vice President - Flight Engineers  
Vice President - 'A' Pilots  
Secretary  
Assistant Secretary  
Treasurer  
Committee of Management (21)

[2] I am satisfied that an election for the abovenamed offices is required to be held under the rules of the organisation and, under subsection 189(3) of Schedule 1B of the Workplace Relations Act 1996, I am making arrangements for the conduct of the election by the Australian Electoral Commission.



2 July 2004

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Australian Industrial Registry  
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**Our ref: A39-0015**

Dear Mr Nicholson,

**Arrangements for the conduct of an election in accordance with  
section 189 of the Workplace Relations Act 1996**

Pursuant to Section 189 of the *Workplace Relations Act 1996* ("Act") and Regulation 138 under the Act, we hereby lodge the following prescribed information concerning the 2004-2005 Committee of Management and Office Bearer elections for the Australian and International Pilots Association.

**Regulation 138(1)**

**(a) The name of each office in respect of which an election is required**

- 1 President
- 3 Vice Presidents
- 1 Vice President (Flight Engineers)
- 1 Vice President ('A' pilots)
- 1 Secretary
- 1 Assistant Secretary
- 1 Treasurer
- 21 Committee of Management members

**(b) The reason for the election**

(i) With respect to the Officer Bearers and 20 of the Committee of Management members, their term of office will expire (pursuant to Rule 40(a)(i)).

(ii) With respect to the additional 1 Committee of Management member position notified in (a) above:

- (1) On 11 November 2003, Matt Hicks resigned from his two year term on the Committee of Management. The vacancy on the

Committee of Management was filled, pursuant to Rule 38(t)(i) of the Organisation's Rules, by the next highest polling candidate below those elected from the ballot for the year 2003-2004, namely, Perry McNeil. Pursuant to Rule 38(t)(ii), Perry McNeil only holds office until the next election (2004/2005), thereby creating the additional vacancy to be filled.

*(c) The number of offices*

As set out in (a) above. The Committee of Management consists of forty (40) members. A half election is held annually to elect twenty (20) members.

*(d) The electorate of each office*

The electorate for the Committee of Management positions is the total financial membership of the Australian and International Pilots Association.

The electorate for the office bearer positions of President, Vice Presidents (3), Vice President (Flight Engineers), Vice President ('A' Pilots), Secretary, Assistant Secretary and Treasurer, is the Committee of Management only.

*(e) The date and time of the commencement and expiration of the nomination period as set out in the rules of the organisation*

Nominations for the Committee of Management member positions are called on the 119<sup>th</sup> day before the second Tuesday in November each year, and for the current year the relevant date is **13 July 2004**. Nominations close at 1200 hours on or about the 98<sup>th</sup> day before the second Tuesday in November each year, and for the current year the relevant date is **3 August 2004** (Rule 38).

Nominations for office bearer positions are called as soon as possible after the result of the election for Committeemen is ascertained and wherever possible on the same day. Nominations close not less than 21 days after nominations are called (Rule 39).

*(f) The day on which the roll of voters is to be closed*

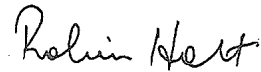
The roll of voters closes on the 126<sup>th</sup> day before the second Tuesday in November each year, and for the current year the relevant date is **6 July 2004** (pursuant to the amendment to Rule 38(a) as determined by the Registrar on 25 June 2004 in Matter Number R2004/265).

*(g) The voting system to be employed in the conduct of the election*

The voting system for Committee of Management positions will be a direct voting system. The voting system for office bearer positions will be a collegiate electoral system. All elections are by secret postal ballot.

We look forward to receiving the Registrar's decision that an election for the abovenamed offices is required to be held under the Association's Rules and advice that arrangements are being made for the conduct of the election by the Australian Electoral Commission.

Yours sincerely,



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**President**

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