

**Australian Hotels Association
NSW Branch Elections 2008**

DECLARATION OF RESULTS FOR UNCONTESTED AND CONTESTED OFFICES

Results of the election for the following offices conducted in accordance with the provisions of the Workplace Relations Act 1996 and the rules of the organisation.

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Branch Committee of Management

Delegates to National Board (6)

Candidates

DIROU, Paul
GURR, Patrick
HUMPHREYS, Lynette
WALLER, Colin
WEBSTER, Phillip
WOODS, Bruce

I declare Paul Dirou, Patrick Gurr, Lynette Humphreys, Colin Waller, Phillip Webster and Bruce Woods elected.

Accommodation Hotels Division

Total number of persons on the roll of voters	68
Ballot papers issued	68
Duplicate ballot papers issued	1
TOTAL BALLOT PAPERS ISSUED	69
Ballot papers / envelopes returned for scrutiny	25
Less ballot papers / envelopes rejected at preliminary scrutiny	3
Adjusting Balance	0
TOTAL BALLOT PAPERS ADMITTED TO SCRUTINY	22
Percentage of ballot papers returned to number issued	36%
Ballot papers returned as unclaimed mail	4
Ballot papers not returned	40

Representatives to National Accommodation Hotels Division (2)

<u>Candidates</u>	<u>Votes</u>
MUNRO, Richard	20
BARK, David	2
GRIFFIN, Patrick	21
Exhausted Votes	0
Loss/Gain by Fraction	0
Total votes	43
Formal ballot papers	0
Informal ballot papers	22

I declare Patrick Griffin and Richard Munro elected.

Rhys Richards
Returning Officer
Australian Electoral Commission
10 June 2008

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Workplace Relations Act 1996

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Australian Hotels Association

(E2008/144)

T. NASSIOS

MELBOURNE, 3 APRIL 2008

DEPUTY INDUSTRIAL REGISTRAR

*Arrangement for conduct of election.***DECISION**

[1] On 27 March and 2 April 2008 the New South Wales Branch of the Australian Hotels Association lodged in the Industrial Registry the prescribed information in relation to an election for the following offices:

Delegates to the National Board representing the New South Wales Branch (6)

New South Wales Accommodation Hotels Division Representatives (2)

[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 1 of the *Workplace Relations Act 1996*, I am making arrangements for the conduct of the election by the Australian Electoral Commission.

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Dear Peter

I refer to our recent telephone conversation and confirm that there is a typographical error in the Form recently lodged in relation to representatives to elected by the NSW Branch Accomodation Division to the National Accomodation Hotels Division. The reference to "Two (1)" should be "Two (2)". There are of course TWO representatives to be elected - see Rule 42 of the National AHA Rules.

Regards

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27 March 2008

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Emailed to: robert.pfeiffer@air.gov.au

Dear Robert

**APPLICATIONS FOR ELECTIONS IN THE AUSTRALIAN HOTELS
ASSOCIATION, NEW SOUTH WALES BRANCH IN RESPECT OF
DELEGATES TO NATIONAL BOARD FOR 2008 AND REPRESENTATIVES
TO NATIONAL ACCOMMODATION HOTELS DIVISION FOR 2008**

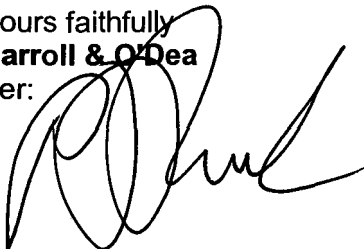
As you know we act for the New South Wales Branch of the Australian Hotels Association.

We now **enclose** copies of Prescribed Information forms in respect of the elections referred to above. The originals of these documents will be forwarded to you once they are received in our office.

In respect of delegates to the National Board from the Branch, we refer to Rule 11 of the National Rules of the Australian Hotels Association. In relation to representatives to the National Accommodation Hotels Division, we refer to Rule 42 of those Rules.

Please note that pursuant to the Rules of the Branch the committee of management for these purposes is its Executive Committee. We would be grateful if you could arrange for a Registrar to determine that elections are required and thereafter refer the matter to the Australian Electoral Commission for its attention.

Yours faithfully
Carroll & O'Dea
Per:



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Workplace Relations Act 1996 (Cth)

Schedule 1

Section 189(1); Regulation 138

Prescribed Information

**Election in Australian Hotels Association, New South Wales Branch –
Delegates to National Board for 2008**

- (a) Name of each office for which election is required:
Delegates of the Australian Hotels Association, New South Wales Branch, to the National Board of the National Organisation.
- (b) Reasons for election:
Election is required to be conducted annually (see Rule 11(aa)(B) of the Rules of the Australian Hotels Association);
The term of each current office is due to expire, in the normal course of events, by the end of October 2008.
- (c) The number of offices to be filled:
Seven (7)
Note: One of these offices is filled by the President of the Branch ex officio – see Rule 11 (aa) (D)
- (d) The name of the branch to which the election relates:
The Australian Hotels Association, New South Wales Branch
- (e) Date and time of commencement and expiration of period for calling of nominations:
See Rule 11(e) of the Rules of the Australian Hotels Association – at least 14 days prior to the first day of April.
- (f) The day provided for in the Rules of the Organisation as the day on which the roll of voters is to be closed:

Seven (7) days before the day upon which nominations for the election open – see Rule 11(e).

(g) Method of election:

Collegiate voting system

Secret postal ballot

The information referred to in this statement is lodged in accordance with Section 189(1) of Schedule 1 to the Act.

I am an officer of the Branch authorised to make this statement.



Colin Waller

Secretary/Treasurer

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Workplace Relations Act 1996 (Cth)**Schedule 1****Section 189(1); Regulation 138****Prescribed Information****Election in Australian Hotels Association, New South Wales Branch –
Representative to the National Accommodation Hotels Division for 2008****(a) Name of each office for which election is required:**

Representative of the Australian Hotels Association, New South Wales Branch to the National Accommodation Hotels Division of the National Organisation.

(b) Reasons for election:

Election is required to be conducted annually (see Rule 42 of the Rules of the Australian Hotels Association).

The term of each current office will expire in the normal course.

(c) The number of offices to be filled:

Two (1)

(d) The name of the branch to which the election relates:

The Australian Hotels Association, New South Wales Branch

(e) Date and time of commencement and expiration of period for calling of nominations:

See Rule 42 (c) and Rule 16 of the Rules of the Australian Hotels Association.

(f) The day provided in the Rules of the Organisation as the day on which the roll of voters is to close:

Seven (7) days before the day upon which nominations for the election open – see Rule 42(c).

(g) Method of election

Direct voting system

Secret postal ballot

The information referred to in this statement is lodged in accordance with Section 189 (1) of the Act.

I am an officer of the Branch authorised to make this statement.



Colin Waller

Secretary/Treasurer