

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

**Australian Hotels Association**  
(E2004/247)

T NASSIOS  
DEPUTY INDUSTRIAL REGISTRAR

MELBOURNE, 5 AUGUST 2004

*Arrangement for conduct of election.*

**DECISION**

[1] On 27 July and 3 August 2004, the Victorian Branch of the abovenamed organisation lodged in the Industrial Registry the prescribed information in relation to an election for the following offices:

Branch Councillors representing Residential Hotels Division (6)

Branch Councillors representing the following Divisions:

Metropolitan

| Zone Division            | No. of Councillors | Zone Division              | No. of Councillors |
|--------------------------|--------------------|----------------------------|--------------------|
| Brunswick                | 2                  | North Melbourne            | 2                  |
| Carlton                  | 2                  | Northcote/Heidelberg       | 2                  |
| Caulfield/Oakleigh       | 3                  | Port Melbourne/Albert Park | 2                  |
| Coburg/Preston           | 2                  | Prahran                    | 2                  |
| Collingwood/Abbotsford   | 2                  | Richmond                   | 2                  |
| Essendon/Flemington      | 2                  | St Kilda/ Brighton         | 2                  |
| Fitzroy                  | 2                  | South Eastern Suburbs      | 2                  |
| Footscray                | 2                  | Williamstown               | 1                  |
| Hawthorn/Kew             | 2                  | West/South Melbourne       | 2                  |
| Melbourne/East Melbourne | 2                  |                            |                    |

Country

| Zone Division         | No. of Councillors | Zone Division        | No. of Councillors |
|-----------------------|--------------------|----------------------|--------------------|
| Alexandra/Healesville | 1                  | Hamilton             | 1                  |
| Ararat                | 1                  | Horsham              | 1                  |
| Bacchus Marsh         | 1                  | Mornington Peninsula | 3                  |
| Bairnsdale            | 2                  | Ouyen/Mildura        | 1                  |
| Ballarat North        | 2                  | Polwarth             | 1                  |
| Ballarat South        | 2                  | Rodney               | 1                  |
| Bellarine             | 2                  | Sale/Traralgon       | 2                  |

|                         |   |                    |   |
|-------------------------|---|--------------------|---|
| Bendigo East            | 1 | Seymour            | 1 |
| Bendigo West            | 1 | Wangaratta/Benalla | 2 |
| Birchip/Charlton        | 1 | Warragul           | 1 |
| Castlemaine/Maryborough | 1 | Warrnambool        | 1 |
| Geelong North           | 2 | Wodonga            | 1 |
| Geelong South           | 2 | Woodend            | 1 |
| Goulburn Valley         | 2 | Wonthaggi          | 1 |

In relation to the Councillors representing the Residential Hotels Division, I note that Victoria Branch rule 5 establishes a Division known as the Residential Hotelkeepers' Division and provides that the members of such Division shall be entitled to elect six members to Council. National subrule 42(a) and (b) provide that each Branch may constitute from among its members an Accommodation Hotels Division consisting of such members resident in the State in which the Branch has constituted the same. Further, National subrule 8(b) provides that each Branch shall be administered by rules adopted by such Branch, which said rules shall not be in conflict with these Rules.

In my view the Residential Hotels Division, the Residential Hotelkeepers' Division and the Accommodation Hotels Division are one and the same and I am therefore satisfied that an election for six (6) members to Council representing the Accommodation Hotels Division is required to be held under the rules of the organisation.

[2] I am also satisfied that an election for the remaining offices mentioned above 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.



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# AUSTRALIAN HOTELS & HOSPITALITY ASSOCIATION Inc.

ABN 79 948 978 376

The Industrial Registrar  
Australian Industrial Registry  
Nauru House  
GPO BOX 1994  
Melbourne Vic 3001

6<sup>th</sup> July 2004

Dear Sir,

## AHA ELECTIONS 2004/2006

We hereby request that you make arrangements for the Australian Electoral Commission to conduct the following elections on our behalf.

### ELECTION OF COUNCIL MEMBERS

In accordance with rule 13 of the AHA (Vic Branch) we request the number of councillors to be elected per division as follows:-

| Zone Division               | No.         | Zone Division           | No.         |
|-----------------------------|-------------|-------------------------|-------------|
| Metropolitan                | Councillors | Country                 | Councillors |
| Brunswick                   | 2           | Alexandra/Healsville    | 1           |
| Carlton                     | 2           | Ararat                  | 1           |
| Caulfield / Oakleigh        | 3           | Bacchus Marsh           | 1           |
| Coburg/ Preston             | 2           | Bairnsdale              | 2           |
| Collingwood/ Abbotsford     | 2           | Ballarat North          | 2           |
| Essendon / Flemington       | 2           | Ballarat South          | 2           |
| Fitzroy                     | 2           | Bellarine               | 2           |
| Footscray                   | 2           | Bendigo East            | 1           |
| Hawthorn/ Kew               | 2           | Bendigo West            | 1           |
| Melbourne/ East Melbourne   | 2           | Birchup/Charlton        | 1           |
| North Melbourne             | 2           | Castlemaine/Maryborough | 1           |
| Northcote/ Heidelberg       | 2           | Geelong North           | 2           |
| Port Melbourne/ Albert Park | 2           | Geelong South           | 2           |
| Prahran                     | 2           | Gouldburn Valley        | 2           |
| Richmond                    | 2           | Hamilton                | 1           |
| St Kilda/Brighton           | 2           | Horsham                 | 1           |
| South Eastern Suburbs       | 2           | Mornington Peninsula    | 3           |
| Williamstown                | 1           | Ouyen/ Mildura          | 1           |
| West/South Melbourne        | 2           | Polwarth                | 1           |
| Residential Hotels Division | 6           | Rodney                  | 1           |
|                             |             | Sale/ Traralgon         | 2           |
|                             |             | Seymour                 | 1           |
|                             |             | Wangaratta/ Benalla     | 2           |
|                             |             | Warragul                | 1           |
|                             |             | Warnanbool              | 1           |
|                             |             | Wodonga                 | 1           |
|                             |             | Woodend                 | 1           |
|                             |             | Wonthaggi               | 1           |

**Total - 83 Councillors**

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In accordance with Rule 14 of the AHA (Vic Branch) The election will be conducted because all Councillors are required by the Association's Constitution to vacate office bi-annually and, also to provide for election of additional Councillors in divisions where the number of Councillors has been increased.

In accordance with Rule 15 of the AHA (Vic Branch) voting will be conducted for Council positions on a direct voting system basis.

Nominations must be called before the seventh day of September 2004.


The information in relation to these elections is lodged in accordance with section 197 of the Workplace Relations Act 1996.

Please note our new address details:

Postal address:  
PO BOX 18067  
45 Collins Street East  
Melbourne 8003

Phone: 9654 7100  
Fax: 9654 1724

Yours faithfully

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Brian', with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

**BRIAN KEARNEY**  
**CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER**

**From:** MAMMONE, Daniel  
**Sent:** Wednesday, 28 July 2004 10:52 AM  
**To:** 'b.kearney@ahha.com.au'  
**Subject:** Election (E2004/247)

Dear Mr. Kearney,

We are in receipt of prescribed information lodged in the Registry on 27 July 2004, regarding elections for the AHA - Victorian Branch Council Members.

Under Schedule 1B of the Workplace Relations Act 1996 (Registration and Accountability of Organisations "RAO"), section 189(1) requires an organisation or branch of an organisation to lodge in the Registry prescribed information in relation to an election that is to be conducted by the AEC. Regulation 138(2) of the Workplace Relations (RAO) Regulations 2003 then states that the prescribed information must contain a statement signed by an officer of the organisation or branch who is authorised to sign the statement, that the information is lodged under subsection 189(1) of the RAO Schedule.

You will note that an officer is defined in s9 of the RAO Schedule.

Therefore, we require that an official, such as the President or Vice President, sign the prescribed information and submit to this Registry as soon as possible.

If you have any concerns or questions, you may contact me on (03) 86617985.

Regards,

Daniel Mammone  
Statutory Services Branch  
RIA Team 4

28 July 2004



# AUSTRALIAN HOTELS & HOSPITALITY ASSOCIATION Inc.

ABN 79 948 978 376

Mr. Daniel Mammone  
Australian Industrial Registry  
Level 35, Nauru House  
80 Collins Street  
Melbourne  
VIC, 3000.

## Statement and Notice of Prescribed Information under Regulation 138 of the Workplace Relations (Registration and Accountability of Organisations) Regulations 2003

I, Peter Burnett, Victorian President of the Australian Hotels Association (Vic) make the following statement:

I am the President of the Australian Hotels Association (Victoria Branch).

I am authorized to lodge the following prescribed information concerning forthcoming elections in the Australian Hotels Association (Victorian Branch).

I confirm that the following information is being lodged under subsection 189(1) of Registration and Accountability of Organizations Schedule contained in the Workplace Relations Act 1996.

### Offices/Positions

|   |  |
|---|--|
| A | Branch Councillors (83) - Direct Voting System ("DVS")           |
| B | Branch President - Collegiate Voting System ("CVS")              |
|   | Branch Vice President (2) - CVS                                  |
|   | Branch Honorary Minute Secretary - CVS                           |
|   | Branch Honorary Treasurer - CVS                                  |
|   | Branch Executive Members (3) - CVS                               |
|   | Branch Executive Members (Residential Hotels Division) (2) - CVS |
|   | Branch Trustees (3) - CVS  |

**Reasons for election:**

Election for offices and positions marked A and B respectively in the above table are required as the terms of office are due to expire in the normal course of events under the rules of the association (Rule 14).

**Elected By:**

The electorate for the direct voting system comprises the financial members of the respective Divisions of the whole of the Branch (Rule 13).

The electorate for the collegiate electoral system is by and from the Branch Councillors present at the Council's first meeting after its election (totaling 83 persons) (Rule 17).

**Nominations open:**

For offices to be elected by the direct voting system – on or before the 7<sup>th</sup> September 2004 (Rule 15).

For offices to be elected by the collegiate election system:

- On the date of the first meeting after the election of members of Council provided all members of Council are present at such meeting in person or by proxy (Rule 17). That meeting is scheduled to take place on the 9<sup>th</sup> November 2004;
- In the event that all members of Council are not present at such meeting in person or by proxy, within 14 days after the date of such meeting (Rule 17 (v) (a)).

**Nominations close:**

For offices to be elected by the direct voting system – not later than the 21<sup>st</sup> September 2004 (Rule 15).

For offices to be elected by the collegiate election system:

- On the date of the first meeting after the election of members of Council provided all members of Council are present at such meeting in person or by proxy (Rule 17). That meeting is scheduled to take place on the 9<sup>th</sup> November 2004;
- In the event that all members of Council are not present at such meeting in person or by proxy, ten days after the posting of a circular by the Returning Officer calling for nominations for the said offices ( Rule 17 (v) (a) (iii)).

**Cut off date for roll:**

The roll of voters for any ballot for any direct voting system election is to be closed 7 days before the day on which nominations for the election open. (Rule 15).



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Signed: Peter Burnett,  
President of the Australian Hotels Association (Victoria)

Dated: 3 August 2004



# AUSTRALIAN HOTELS ASSOCIATION VICTORIAN BRANCH ELECTIONS

## DECLARATION OF RESULTS FOR UNCONTESTED 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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### **Residential Hotels Division**

#### **Branch Councillor (6)**

##### Candidates

CRINIS, Peter  
DICKSON, John  
GIBSON, Garry R.  
GROMOTKA, Peter  
MARKL, Rudy

### **Metropolitan Division - Brunswick Zone**

#### **Branch Councillor (2)**

##### Candidate

BURKE, Michael

### **Metropolitan Division - Carlton Zone**

#### **Branch Councillor (2)**

No nomination was received

### **Metropolitan Division - Caulfield/Oakleigh Zone**

#### **Branch Councillor (3)**

##### Candidates

ASHLEY, John  
NIKAKIS, Carolyn  
SHANNON, Ian

### **Metropolitan Division - Coburg/Preston Zone**

#### **Branch Councillor (2)**

##### Candidates

RANDALL, Des  
TAYLOR, Robert

## **Metropolitan Division - Collingwood/Abbotsford Zone**

**Branch Councillor (2)**

No nomination was received

## **Metropolitan Division - Essendon/Flemington Zone**

**Branch Councillor (2)**

Candidates

DODD, Ray  
ROBERTSON, Mark

## **Metropolitan Division - Fitzroy Zone**

**Branch Councillor (2)**

Candidate

ATHANASAKOS, Proko

## **Metropolitan Division - Footscray Zone**

**Branch Councillor (2)**

Candidates

CURTIS, Garry  
HUNTER, Paul

## **Metropolitan Division - Hawthorn/Kew Zone**

**Branch Councillor (2)**

Candidates

AIDONE, Frank  
BRESNAN, John Finbarr

## **Metropolitan Division - Melbourne/East Melbourne Zone**

**Branch Councillor (2)**

Candidates

KEPPELL, Carmelita  
ROBERTSON, Alex

## **Metropolitan Division - North Melbourne Zone**

**Branch Councillor (2)**

Candidate

BRIGGS, Robert John

## **Metropolitan Division - Northcote/Heidelberg Zone**

### **Branch Councillor (2)**

#### Candidates

PAYNE, Thomas  
PAYNE, Thomas John

## **Metropolitan Division - Port Melbourne/Albert Park Zone**

### **Branch Councillor (2)**

#### Candidate

NICHOLSON, John

## **Metropolitan Division - Prahran Zone**

### **Branch Councillor (2)**

#### Candidate

GILES, Alan

## **Metropolitan Division - Richmond Zone**

### **Branch Councillor (2)**

#### Candidates

BARRETT, Keith  
PALMER, Michael P

## **Metropolitan Division - St Kilda/Brighton Zone**

### **Branch Councillor (2)**

#### Candidates

MATHIESON, Bruce J  
TELFORD, Barlow

## **Metropolitan Division - South Eastern Suburbs Zone**

### **Branch Councillor (2)**

#### Candidate

MACNEIL, Catherine

## **Metropolitan Division - Williamstown Zone**

### **Branch Councillor**

#### Candidate

SHEEAN, Peter

## **Metropolitan Division - West/South Melbourne Zone**

### **Branch Councillor (2)**

#### Candidates

BELL, Bill  
BLAIR-HOLT, Ross J

## **Country Division - Alexandra/Healesville Zone**

### **Branch Councillor**

#### Candidate

WORTHINGTON, Daryl

## **Country Division - Ararat Zone**

### **Branch Councillor**

No nomination was received

## **Country Division - Bacchus Marsh Zone**

### **Branch Councillor**

#### Candidate

NASH, Peter Gerard

## **Country Division - Bairnsdale Zone**

### **Branch Councillor (2)**

No nomination was received

## **Country Division - Ballarat North Zone**

### **Branch Councillor (2)**

#### Candidate

LARKIN, Ian

## **Country Division - Ballarat South Zone**

### **Branch Councillor (2)**

#### Candidates

CANNY, David  
QUINLAN, Danny

## **Country Division - Bellarine Zone**

### **Branch Councillor (2)**

#### Candidates

MUNDAY, Ricky John  
SHARP, Wayne

## **Country Division - Bendigo East Zone**

### **Branch Councillor**

#### Candidate

VAGG, Robert

## **Country Division - Bendigo West Zone**

### **Branch Councillor**

#### Candidate

SHEEHAN, Patrick

## **Country Division - Birchip/Charlton Zone**

### **Branch Councillor**

No nomination was received

## **Country Division - Castlemaine/Maryborough Zone**

### **Branch Councillor**

No nomination was received

## **Country Division - Geelong North Zone**

### **Branch Councillor (2)**

#### Candidates

BURNETT, Peter Myles  
RAMIA, George

## **Country Division - Geelong South Zone**

### **Branch Councillor (2)**

#### Candidate

TAYLOR, John

## **Country Division - Goulburn Valley Zone**

### **Branch Councillor (2)**

No nomination was received

## **Country Division - Hamilton Zone**

### **Branch Councillor**

#### Candidate

MCINTYRE, Peter

## **Country Division - Horsham Zone**

### **Branch Councillor**

No nomination was received

## **Country Division - Mornington Peninsula Zone**

### **Branch Councillor (3)**

#### Candidates

HOUGHTON, Peter

SHEPHERD, Allan

TAYLOR, Bernie

## **Country Division - Ouyen/Mildura Zone**

### **Branch Councillor**

#### Candidate

CARRAZZA, Domenico

## **Country Division - Polwarth Zone**

### **Branch Councillor**

#### Candidate

MADDEN, Dennis

## **Country Division - Rodney Zone**

### **Branch Councillor**

No nomination was received

**Country Division - Sale/Traralgon Zone**

**Branch Councillor (2)**

Candidate

SZEITLI, George

**Country Division - Seymour Zone**

**Branch Councillor**

No nomination was received

**Country Division - Wangaratta/Benalla Zone**

**Branch Councillor (2)**

Candidate

HUNTER, Warwick

**Country Division - Warragul Zone**

**Branch Councillor**

Candidate

LAYTON, Richard

**Country Division - Warrnambool Zone**

**Branch Councillor**

No nomination was received

**Country Division - Wodonga Zone**

**Branch Councillor**

No nomination was received

**Country Division - Woodend Zone**

**Branch Councillor**

No nomination was received

**Country Division - Wonthaggi Zone**

**Branch Councillor**

No nomination was received

As the number of nominations accepted did not exceed the number of positions to be filled, I declare the above candidates elected.

Tony King  
Returning Officer  
27 September 2004