

Mr Brian Kearney
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Australian Hotels Association - Victoria
Level 1, 1 Little Collins Street
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Post Election Report For: Australian Hotels Association - Victoria
Election E No 2008/260

I refer to the above election for your organisation.

Section 197(1) of Schedule 1 of the Workplace Relations Act 1996 requires the AEC to provide a written report on the conduct of the election to the Industrial Registrar and to the organisation or branch for whom the election was conducted. A copy of the report in relation to this election is attached.

Section 198 of Schedule 1 requires that if an organisation or branch is given a post election report under section 197 that identifies a rule that was difficult to interpret or apply, the organisation or branch must, within 30 days, give a written response to the AEC on that aspect of the report. The response must specify whether the organisation or branch intends to take any action in relation to the rule, and if so, what action it intends to take.

If the attached Report identifies a rule that was difficult to interpret or apply, you should forward your response to the AEC by email to 'industrial.elections@aec.gov.au' within thirty days of the date of the report.

Section 198 and the regulations also require an organisation to make the post election report and the organisation's response to the report (if applicable) available to members. Further, Regulation 141(4) of the Workplace Relations (RAO) Regulations requires an organisation or branch to publish a notice on its web site advising members that a copy of the post election report is available upon request. If a website is not available, publishing a notice in a journal or newsletter would be considered appropriate.

Please contact me if you wish to clarify any aspect of this report.

Tony King
Returning Officer

Workplace Relations Act 1996 – Schedule 1

POST ELECTION REPORT

AUSTRALIAN HOTELS ASSOCIATION - VICTORIA

ELECTION/S COVERED IN THIS REPORT

Election Decision No/s: E2008/260

RULES

Rules used for the election: [024N-Vic: Incorporates alterations of 28/6/2004][R2004/308] (replaces 16/11/2001 version)

Rules difficult to apply/interpret: None

Model Rule reference (if any): N/A

ROLL OF VOTERS

Total number of voters on the Roll: Did not go to ballot

Number of apparent workplace addresses: Nil

Number of non-current addresses: Nil

Other matters pertaining to the roll of voters: Nil

IRREGULARITIES

Details of written allegations of irregularities, and action taken by AEC: Nil

Other irregularities identified, and action taken: Nil

ATTACHMENTS

Declaration of Results

Tony King
Returning Officer

28 October 2008

AUSTRALIAN HOTELS ASSOCIATION - VICTORIA
ELECTION OF BRANCH OFFICERS
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.

E2008/E260

Branch Officers

Branch President

Candidate

BURNETT, Peter

Branch Metropolitan Vice-President

Candidate

ROBERTSON, Mark Lane

Branch Country Vice-President

Candidate

LARKIN, Ian

Branch Honorary Minute Secretary

Candidate

CURRY, David John

Branch Honorary Treasurer

Candidate

BURKE, Michael

Branch Executive Member (3)

Candidates

CANNY, David John

HUNTER, Paul

MUNDAY, Rick

Branch Executive Member - Residential Hotels Division (2)

No nominations were received

Branch Trustee (3)

Candidates

BELL, Bill
BLAIR-HOLT, Ross
ROBERTSON, Alexander

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
28 October 2008

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Reference: VIC 2008-217 - S1E1

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Dear Mr Kearney

**Australian Hotels Association - Victoria
Office Bearers
E2008/E260**

I refer to my letter of 8 October 2008 concerning the arrangements for me to conduct an election for various positions in your Organisation and wish to advise that a ballot will not be necessary.

My declaration of the uncontested offices is attached.

The election is now complete.

Yours sincerely

Tony King
Returning Officer

7 November 2008

cc all uncontested nominees

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

Australian Hotels Association
(E2008/260)

T. NASSIOS
DEPUTY INDUSTRIAL REGISTRAR

MELBOURNE, 7 OCTOBER 2008

Arrangement for conduct of election.

DECISION

[1] On 29 September and 1 October 2008, the Victorian Branch of the abovementioned organisation lodged in the Industrial Registry the prescribed information in relation to an election for the following offices:

President
Metropolitan Vice-President
Country Vice-President
Honorary Minute Secretary
Honorary Treasurer
Executive Members (3)
Executive Members elected from the Council Members of the Residential Hotels Division (2)
Trustees (3)

[2] Victoria Branch rule 5 establishes a Division known as the Residential Hotelkeepers' Division. National subrule 42(a) and (b) provide, in part, that each Branch may constitute from among its members an Accommodation Hotels Division.

[3] 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.

[4] 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 two (2) Branch Executive Members to be elected from the Council Members of the Accommodation Hotels Division is required to be held under the rules of the organisation.

[5] 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 1 of the Workplace Relations Act 1996, I am making arrangements for the conduct of the election by the Australian Electoral Commission.



DEPUTY INDUSTRIAL REGISTRAR



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1 October 2008

The Industrial Registrar
Attn Iain Stewart
Australian Industrial Registry
Level 4, 11 Exhibition Street
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Melbourne Vic 3001

Fax: (03) 9655 0401

Dear Mr Stewart,

2008 Election of AHA (Vic) Committee of Management

We hereby request that you make arrangements for the Australian Electoral Commission (AEC) to conduct elections for the Branch Committee of Management of the Association.

Pursuant to Rule 17 of the Rules of the Australian Hotels Association (Victorian Branch), we seek your appointment of the AEC to conduct necessary elections for the office of President, Metropolitan Vice President, Country Vice President, Honorary Treasurer, Honorary Minute Secretary and three Executive Members and, in addition, two Executive Members who shall be elected from the Council members of the Residential Hotels Division and also three Trustees of the Association.

We request that the elections for Branch Committee of Management be conducted on **Tuesday 28 October 2008 at 10.30am** as this is the first scheduled meeting of the Council following the 2008 Election of Council members.

Please advise that this request meets your requirements and that the Australian Electoral Commission will conduct the elections as necessary.

Yours sincerely,

PETER BURNETT

President

AHA (Vic)

(Being an officer authorized to sign this statement)

BRIAN KEARNEY

Chief Executive Officer

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