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From: Sent:	Simon Bulloch [Simon.Bulloch@aec.gov.au] Thursday, 29 August 2013 1:17 PM
То:	Industrial Elections; industrial.elections@fwc.gov.au; 'Phillip Olsen
6	(polsen@aimpe.asn.au)'
Subject:	E2013/125 AIMPE Post Election report and Declaration [DLM=For-Official-Use-Only]

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I refer to the above election for your organisation.

Section 197(1) of the *Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Act 2009* ("the Act") requires the AEC to provide a written report on the conduct of the election to the Fair Work Commission 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 the Act 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 *Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Regulations 2009* requires an organisation or branch to publish a notice on its website 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.

Simon Bulloch | Manager

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Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Act 2009 POST ELECTION REPORT

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Client: The Australian Institute of Marine and Power Engineers West Australia Branch Contact details: Phil Olsen Email: jparkin@a

Email: <u>iparkin@aimpe.asn.au</u> Tel: (08) 9317 6446

FWA contact officer: David Vale

Email: david.vale@fwc.gov.au 02 8374 6509

ELECTION/S COVERED IN THIS REPORT

Election Decision No/s: E2013/125

<u>RULES</u>

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Rules used for the election: [009V: Incorporates alterations of 5/11/2009 in matters R2009/10043 and R2009/10044]

Rules difficult to apply/interpret: Nil

Model Rule reference (if any): N/A

ROLL OF VOTERS

The roll of voters was supplied by The Australian Institute of Marine and Power Engineers West Australia Branch and used to conduct the election..

IRREGULARITIES

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

Other irregularities identified, and action taken: Nil

ATTACHMENTS

Declaration of Results for Contested and Uncontested Offices

Simon Bulloch Returning Officer 29 August 2013

The Australian Institute of Marine and Power Engineers Western Australian Branch Election

Declaration of Results for Contested and Uncontested Offices

E2013/125

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Below are the results of the election for the following offices, conducted in accordance with the provisions of the *Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Act 2009* and the rules of the organisation.

Western Australian Branch

Total number of names on the roll of voters	586
Ballot papers issued	586
Replacement ballot papers issued	0
Total Ballot Papers Issued	586
Ballot papers / envelopes returned for scrutiny	181
Less ballot papers / envelopes rejected at preliminary scrutiny	3
Adjusting balance	0
Total Ballot Papers Admitted to Scrutiny	178
Percentage of ballot papers returned to number issued	30
Ballot papers returned as unclaimed mail	4
Ballot papers not returned	401

Ordinary Member of Federal Council Candidates	First Preference Votes	<u>Votes</u>
BLACKMORE, Christopher RYLANCE, Phil	130 47	130 47
Exhausted Votes Loss/Gain bv Fraction Total votes Formal ballot papers Informal ballot papers	177 177 1	0 0 177 177 177

I declare Christopher Blackmore elected.

Branch President

Candidates

BLACKMORE, Christopher

I declare Christopher Blackmore elected.



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Branch Treasurer

<u>Candidates</u> HARTLIEB, Karel

I declare Karel Hartlieb elected.

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Simon Bulloch Returning Officer Australian Electoral Commission

28 August 2013



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FAIR WORK **COMMISSION**

7 March 2013

Mr Phillip Charles Olsen Western Australia Branch Secretary The Australian Institute of Marine and Power Engineers 1/169 Stock Road PALMYRA WA 6157

Also by facsimile: (08) 9317 6450

Dear Mr Olsen

Arrangements for the conduct of an Election (E2013/125)

A copy of the decision in relation to the above matter is enclosed.

Fair Work Australia is making arrangements, under subsections 189(3) of the Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Act 2009, with the Electoral Commissioner for the conduct of the subject election by a member of staff of the Australian Electoral Commission, who will contact you in the near future about the election.

Yours sincerely

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David Vale Principal Adviser, Regulatory Compliance Branch, NSW Fair Work Commission

Terrace Towers East Sydney NSW 2011

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DECISION

Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Act 2009 s.189—Arrangement for conduct of an election

Australian Institute of Marine and Power Engineers

(E2013/125)

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MELBOURNE, 7 MARCH 2013

Arrangement for conduct of election.

[1] On 22 February 2013, the West Australia Branch (the WA Branch) of The Australian Institute of Marine and Power Engineers lodged with the Fair Work Commission the prescribed information in relation to an election for the following offices:

Branch President	(1)
Branch Treasurer	(1)
Ordinary Member of Federal Council	(1)

[2] On 28 February 2013, the Fair Work Commission wrote to the WA Branch of the abovenamed organisation stating that, as the prescribed information had not been lodged before the prescribed day, a request for an extension of time and an explanation for the delay would be required.

[3] On 6 March 2013 the WA Branch of the abovenamed organisation wrote to the Fair Work Commission and stated that the delay was due to work pressure and apologised for not lodging the prescribed information before the prescribed day.

[4] 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 the *Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Act 2009*, I am making arrangements for the conduct of the election by the Australian Electoral Commission.



DELEGATE OF THE GENERAL MANAGER FAIR WORK COMMISSION

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VALE, David

From: Sent: To: Subject: Attachments: VALE, David Thursday, 7 March 2013 1:28 PM 'Industrial Elections' E2013/125 AIMPE E2013_125 Sydney_Signed Decision_07032013.pdf; E2013_125 AIMPE WA letter to AEC_07032013.doc

Dear AEC

Please find attached a copy of the Decision for the WA Branch of the Australian Institute of Marine and Power Engineers for its upcoming scheduled election (E2013/125).

Regards

DAVID VALE Principal Adviser, Regulatory Compliance Branch, NSW

Fair Work Commission Tel: 02 8374 6509 Fax: 02 9380 6990 david.vale@fwc.gov.au

Please be aware that my email address has changed to <u>david.vale@fwc.gov.au</u> effective 1 January 2013. Please update your records accordingly.

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7 March 2013



Electoral Commissioner Through

Australian Electoral Officer (industrial.elections@aec.gov.au)

Under subsection 189 of the Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Act 2009, please arrange for the conduct of the following election by the Australian Electoral Commission:

E No 2013/125

RE: THE AUSTRALIAN INSTITUTE OF MARINE AND POWER ENGINEERS - WA BRANCH

Positions:

See Decision

Relevant Information: Scheduled election.

Contact: Philip Olsen, Branch Secretary, WA Branch, The Australian Institute of Marine and Power Engineers

Phone: (08) 9317 6446

A copy of the decision is enclosed.

I further request that you arrange for this office to be notified that arrangements for the conduct of this election have been made, by email transmission at industrial.elections@fwa.gov.au

David Vale Fair Work Commission

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AUSTRALIAN INSTITUTE OF MARINE AND POWER ENGINEERS Western Australia Branch Secretary Phillip Olsen ~ National Organiser Michael Carroll ~ Research Assistant Jackie Parkin



Wednesday, 6 March 2013

Mr David Vale Principal Advisor Regulatory Compliance Branch, NSW Fair Work Commission

By email: David.VALE@fwc.gov.au

Dear Mr Vale,

Re: Arrangements for the conduct of an Election (E2013/125)

I refer to your letter of 28 February 2013, regarding the above matter.

We apologise for the error in not lodging the prescribed information on or before the prescribed day and can only plead pressure of work and a temporary lapse of office procedure.

Again my deepest apology for this oversight and for any inconvenience caused by it.

Yours sincerely,

Phillip Olsen





28 February 2013

Mr Phillip Charles Olsen Western Australia Branch Secretary The Australian Institute of Marine and Power Engineers 1/169 Stock Road PALMYRA WA 6157

Also by fax: (08) 9317 6450

Dear Mr Olsen

Re: Arrangements for the conduct of an Election (E2013/125)

I refer to the prescribed information dated 19 February 2013 which was lodged with the Fair Work Commission (**FWC**) on 22 February 2013 for the conduct of a scheduled election for offices of the Western Australian Branch of The Australian Institute of Marine and Power Engineers.

Section 189(2) of the Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Act 2009 states that prescribed information must be lodged before the prescribed day, which under regulation 138(3) of the Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Regulations 2009 is two months before the first day when a person may become a candidate. You have indicated that nominations open on 2 April 2013. Accordingly the prescribed day is 2 months prior to 2 April 2013, which on this occasion is 2 February 2013.

Since s.189(2) is a civil penalty provision and the prescribed information for this election was not lodged before the prescribed day, the Delegate of the General Manager will request a written request for an extension of time and providing reasons why the prescribed information was not lodged before the prescribed day.

If you have any questions relating to this matter please do not hesitate to contact me on (02) 8374 6509.

Yours sincerely

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VALE, David

From: Sent: To: Subject: Attachments: VALE, David Friday, 22 February 2013 4:29 PM 'Industrial Elections' E2013/125 AIMPE WA E2013_125 lodged 22022013.pdf; AIMPE_009V_R2009_10043 & 10044_ 05112009.doc

Dear AEC

Please find the prescribed information and a copy of the current rulebook of the WA Branch of the Australian Institute of Marine and Power Engineers, in election number E2013/125.

Yours sincerely

DAVID VALE Principal Adviser, Regulatory Compliance Branch, NSW

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Australian Institute of Marine & Power Engineers Western Australian Branch

19th February 2013

Fair Work Australia GPO Box X2206, Perth, 6001



<u>Re: WA Branch Election</u>

Dear Sir,

We request your assistance in conducting the above election.

Attached is the "Prescribed Information" as required under Section 189 [1] of the Fair Work [Registered Organisations Act] 2009.

Yours faithfully,

PC Olsen WA Branch Secretary



Statement of Prescribed Information for an Election

I, Phillip Charles Olsen, being the Branch Secretary of the Western Australian Branch of the Australian Institute of Marine & Power Engineers, make the following statement:

I am the Branch Secretary of the Western Australian Branch of the Australian Institute of Marine & Power Engineers.

I am authorised to lodge the following prescribed information concerning forthcoming elections in the Western Australian Branch of Australian Institute of Marine & Power Engineers, and

I confirm that the following information is being lodged under subsection 189(1) of the Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Act 2009.

Signed:

Dated:

Offices/Positions

A	Branch President
в	Branch Treasurer
с	Ordinary Member of Federal Council

Reasons for election:

Election for offices and positions marked A, B & C is required as the terms of office are due to expire in the normal course of events under the rules of the organisation.

Elected by:

The electorate for the direct voting system is the whole of the Branch.

Nominations open:

• For offices to be elected by direct voting system : 2nd April 2013

Nominations close:

• For offices to be elected by direct voting system : 31st May 2013

Cut off date for roll:

In all cases - 7 days prior to the opening date for nominations - rule 22(g).