



AEC

Australian Electoral Commission

Mr Wayne Moore
President
The Australian Maritime Officers' Union
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Attention : John Wydell – Industrial Officer



Post-Election Report For: **The Australian Maritime Officers' Union**
 Executive Council & Area Executive
 E2011/2523

I refer to the above election for your organisation.

Section 197(1) of Schedule 1 of the Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Act 2009 requires the AEC to provide a written report on the conduct of the election to Fair Work Australia 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 Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Act 2009 (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.

Kathryn Montgomery
Returning Officer
8 September 2011

POST ELECTION REPORT

The Australian Maritime Officers' Union
Executive Council & Area Executive

ELECTION/S COVERED IN THIS REPORT

Election Decision No: E2011/2523

RULES

Rules used for the election: [001N: Incorporates alterations of 27/3/2007] [R2007/219]

Rules difficult to apply/interpret: None
Model Rule reference (if any): N/A

ROLL OF VOTERS

NATIONAL ELECTION

Total Number of voters on the Roll 2304

OFFSHORE DIVISION:

Total number of voters on the Roll 1443

PORT SERVICES DIVISION:

Total number of voters on the Roll 861

EASTERN AREA:

As no positions were contested no roll of voters was requested.

SOUTHERN AREA

As no positions were contested no roll of voters was requested.

WESTERN AREA

As no positions were contested no roll of voters was requested.

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

1. Declaration of Result

Kathryn Montgomery
Returning Officer
8 September 2011

The Australian Maritime Officers' Union Executive Council & Area Executive

DECLARATION OF RESULTS FOR UNCONTESTED AND CONTESTED OFFICES

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.

E2011/2523

Total number of persons on the roll of voters	2304
Ballot papers issued	2304
Duplicate ballot papers issued	4
TOTAL BALLOT PAPERS ISSUED	2308
Ballot papers / envelopes returned for scrutiny	736
Less ballot papers / envelopes rejected at preliminary scrutiny	19
Adjusting Balance	0
TOTAL BALLOT PAPERS ADMITTED TO SCRUTINY	717
Percentage of ballot papers returned to number issued	31%
Ballot papers returned as unclaimed mail	17
Ballot papers not returned	1555

NATIONAL

President

<u>Candidates</u>	<u>Votes</u>
ANDERSEN, Glenn	251
MOORE, Wayne Stephen	456
Total votes	707
Formal ballot papers	707
Informal ballot papers	10

I declare Wayne Stephen Moore elected.

National Delegate (2)

<u>Candidates</u>	<u>Votes</u>
BROWNRIGG, Bob	255
WILD , Aaron	321
BULLOCK, Kerry George	320
LAWRENCE, Frederick John	245
BEATY, Grant	221
Exhausted Votes	0
Loss/Gain by Fraction	0
Total votes	1362
Formal ballot papers	714
Informal ballot papers	3

I declare Kerry George Bullock and Aaron Wild elected.

Vice President

Candidate

ELLIS, Kate

I declare Kate Ellis elected.

EASTERN AREA

Eastern Area President

Candidates

No nomination was received
No candidate elected.

Eastern Area Vice President

Candidate

MIDGLEY, Stephen

I declare Stephen Midgley elected

Eastern Area Secretary

Candidate

BARNES, Richard

I declare Richard Barnes elected.

OFFSHORE DIVISION

Total number on the roll of voters	1443
Ballot papers / envelopes returned for scrutiny	804
Percentage of ballot papers returned to number issued	55%

Offshore Division Delegate (2)

Candidates

FARRAR, Michael	245
HIGGS, Tim	270
MCDONALD, John	281

Formal ballot papers	796
Informal ballot papers	8

I declare Tim Higgs and John McDonald elected

PORT SERVICES DIVISION

Total number of persons on the roll of voters	861
Ballot papers / envelopes returned for scrutiny	255
Percentage of ballot papers returned to number issued	31%

Port Services Divisional Delegate

Candidates

FERRARELLI, Peter	109
DORRON, Darryl Lyall	144

Formal ballot papers	253
Informal ballot papers	2

I declare Darryl Lyall Dorron elected

SOUTHERN AREA

Southern Area President

Candidate

HUNTER , Neil Francis

I declare Neil Francis Hunter elected.

Southern Area Vice President

Candidate

STONE, Graeme

I declare Graeme Stone elected.

Southern Area Secretary

Candidate

GROVES , Stephen

I declare Stephen Groves elected.

WESTERN AREA

Western Area President

Candidate

HEYNE, Al

I declare Al Heyne elected.

Western Area Vice President

Candidate

DOLAN, Paul William

I declare Paul William Dolan elected.

Western Area Secretary

Candidate

PEARSON, Dan

I declare Dan Pearson elected.

Kathryn Montgomery
Returning Officer
Australian Electoral Commission
10 August 2011



Fair Work Australia

24 February 2011

Mr Wayne Moore
President
The Australian Maritime Officers' Union
GPO Box 407
Haymarket NSW 1240

Dear Mr Moore

**Re: Arrangements for the conduct of an Election
(E2011/2523)**

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

Fair Work Australia is making arrangements, under subsection 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

David Vale
Fair Work Australia



FAIR WORK
AUSTRALIA

DECISION

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

The Australian Maritime Officers' Union
(E2011/2523)

T. NASSIOS

MELBOURNE, 24 FEBRUARY 2011

Arrangement for conduct of election.

[1] On 10 and 21 February 2011 The Australian Maritime Officers' Union lodged with Fair Work Australia the prescribed information in relation to an election for the following offices:

President	(1)
Vice President	(1)
Eastern Area President	(1)
Eastern Area Vice President	(1)
Eastern Area Secretary	(1)
Southern Area President	(1)
Southern Area Vice President	(1)
Southern Area Secretary	(1)
Western Area President	(1)
Western Area Vice President	(1)
Western Area Secretary	(1)
National Delegate	(2)
Offshore Divisional Delegate	(2)
Port Services Divisional Delegate	(1)

[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 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 AUSTRALIA

MOUVEVELIS, Michael

From: RIA Sydney
Sent: Thursday, 24 February 2011 11:09 AM
To: 'industrial.elections@aec.gov.au'
Subject: E2011/2523
Attachments: E2011_2523 AMOU_24022011.doc; E2011_2523 AMOU signed decision_24022011.pdf

Dear AEC

Please find attached a copy of the Decision for the upcoming election of The Australian Maritime Officers' Union (E2011/2523).

Regards

MICHAEL MOUVEVELIS

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Fair Work Australia

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FAIR WORK
AUSTRALIA

24 February 2011

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 2011/2523

RE: THE AUSTRALIAN MARITIME OFFICERS' UNION

Position(s):

See Decision

Relevant Information: Scheduled election, secret postal ballot;

Contact: Mr Wayne Moore
President

Phone: (02) 9264 2388

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 Australia

MOUTEVELIS, Michael

From: VALE, David
Sent: Monday, 21 February 2011 2:47 PM
To: John Wydell
Cc: MOUTEVELIS, Michael
Subject: RE: E2011/2523 Elections for The Australian Maritime Officers Union

Thank you

DAVID VALE
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From: John Wydell [<mailto:John@amou.com.au>]
Sent: Monday, 21 February 2011 2:42 PM
To: VALE, David
Subject: RE: E2011/2523 Elections for The Australian Maritime Officers Union

Dear David

We currently have 1398 financial Offshore members and 833 financial Port Services members.

These numbers may change slightly by the Close of the Roll of Voters on 25 March 2011.

Kind regards

John

From: VALE, David [<mailto:david.vale@fwa.gov.au>]
Sent: Wednesday, 16 February 2011 8:58 AM
To: John Wydell
Subject: RE: E2011/2523 Elections for The Australian Maritime Officers Union

Dear John

Thank you

Regards

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From: John Wydell [<mailto:John@amou.com.au>]
Sent: Wednesday, 16 February 2011 8:27 AM
To: VALE, David
Subject: E2011/2523 Elections for The Australian Maritime Officers Union

Dear David

Thank you for your correspondence of 14 February 2011.

Rule 47 (b) Roll of Voters provides that: "The Roll of Voters shall close on the second last Friday in March. Accordingly that will be the 25 March 2011.

I have requested the membership staff obtain an indicative number of members for each Division. The lady works part time and is not in today.

I expect I will be able to send you an indicative number on Friday however that will not be the final number.

Yours faithfully

John Wydell
Industrial Officer
Australian Maritime Officers' Union

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MOUTEVELIS, Michael

From: RIA Sydney
Sent: Monday, 14 February 2011 12:22 PM
To: 'amou@amou.com.au'
Subject: E2011/2523
Attachments: E2011-2523.pdf

ATT: Mr Wayne Moore

Please refer to attached letter

Regards

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Fair Work Australia

14 February 2011

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President
The Australian Maritime Officers' Union
PO Box 4007
HAYMARKET NSW 1240

FAXED

E-MAILED
14/02/2011

Dear Mr Moore

Re: Elections for The Australian Maritime Officers' Union - (E2011/2523)

I refer to the prescribed information dated 21 January 2011 lodged with Fair Work Australia on 10 February 2011 regarding a scheduled election for The Australian Maritime Officers' Union (E2011/2523).

Before a decision concerning the election can be made, Fair Work Australia requires a statement confirming the number of current financial members (in accordance with Part 3 - Rule 44(c) of the rules of the Union) in both the Offshore and Port Services Divisions to determine the number of Delegates each Division is eligible for.

Could you please lodge further prescribed information in relation to the number of members for the two Divisions named above.

If you have any queries, please do not hesitate to contact me on (02) 8374 6509.

Yours sincerely

David Vale
Fair Work Australia

MOULEVELIS, Michael

From: RIA Sydney
Sent: Thursday, 10 February 2011 11:40 AM
To: 'industrial.elections@aec.gov.au'
Subject: E2011/2523
Attachments: E2011-2523 AMOU Election Request.pdf; 001N AMOU 27 March 07.pdf

Dear AEC

Please find attached prescribed information and a copy of the current rulebook for an upcoming election for The Australian Maritime Officers' Union.

Regards

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Your Ref:

21 January 2011

The General Manager
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By Fax: (02) 9380 6990

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Dear Sir

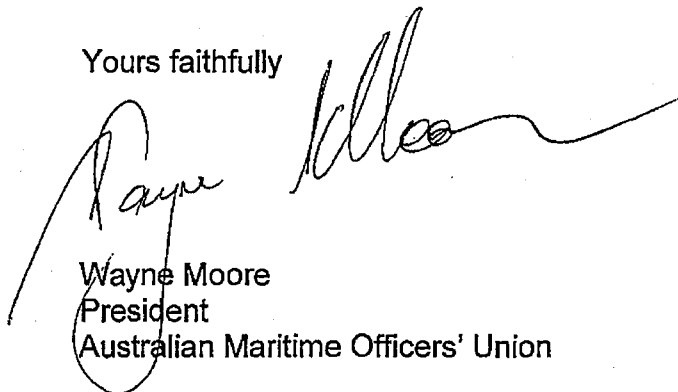
**RE: s. 189 FAIR WORK (REGISTERED ORGANISATIONS) ACT 2009
GENERAL MANAGER TO ARRANGE FOR CONDUCT OF
ELECTIONS**

**138 FAIR WORK (REGISTERED ORGANISATIONS) REGULATION
2009
PRESCRIBED INFORMATION FOR ELECTION**

We request the General Manager to arrange for conduct of Elections; and
enclose the prescribed information.

We thank you in anticipation of your assistance and look forward to hearing
from you.

Yours faithfully



Wayne Moore
President
Australian Maritime Officers' Union

FAIR WORK AUSTRALIA

Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Regulations 2009

s.189(1)

Prescribed Information for Election

Reg 138

(a) The name of each office or position for which an election is required:

President

Vice President

Eastern Area President

Eastern Area Vice President

Eastern Area Secretary

Southern Area President

Southern Area Vice President

Southern Area Secretary

Western Area President

Western Area Vice President

Western Area Secretary

National Delegates x 2

Offshore Divisional Delegate(s)

Port Services Divisional Delegate(s)

(b) The reason for the election is that the term of office is due to expire in the normal course of events;

(c) If more than one offices or positions for which an election is required has the same name, and the number of offices or positions can, under the rules of the relevant organisation or branch, be determined before the prescribed day – the number of those offices or positions.

- (d) If the electorate comprises only members of a branch, section or other division of an organisation – the name of the branch, section or division;

The President, Vice President, and each of the two National Delegates shall be elected by all financial members of the Union irrespective of Area: see Rule 44(a) of Part Three of the Rules of the Australian Maritime Officers' Union.

Divisional Delegates shall be elected by all of the financial members of the respective Division. The number of Divisional Delegates is determined on the basis of one Divisional Delegate for each 900 financial members or part thereof of the respective Division: see Rule 44(b) of Part Three of the Rules of the Australian Maritime Officers' Union.

Each of the Area Presidents, Area Vice Presidents and Area Secretaries shall be elected by and from the financial members of the respective Area: see Rule 44 (d) of Part Three of the Rules of the Australian Maritime Officers' Union.

- (e) The date and time of the beginning and end of the period in which nominations of candidates will be called for or may be made under the rules of the organisation or branch in relation to the election;

Nominations open on the first Monday in April (04-04-2011).

Nominations close at 1630 on the third Monday in May (16-05-2011).

- (f) The day provided for in the rules of the organisation as the day on which the roll of voters is to be closed;

The Roll of voters closes on the last Friday in March (25-03-2011).

- (g) The kind of voting system to be used in the conduct of the election is a direct voting system.