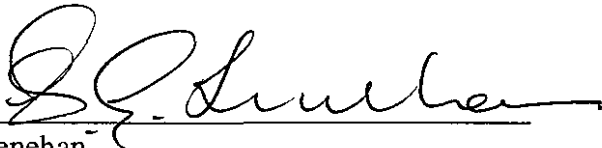


Australian Retailers Association

Notice of Prescribed Information in Respect of Election Section 214 Workplace Relations Act 1996

In accordance with the rules of the organisation and section 214 of the Act,
I, PETER LENEHAN, being Secretary/Treasurer of the Association,
advise elections are required for the offices of the Association listed on the following pages

This information is lodged in accordance with subsection 214 (1) of the Act.



Peter Lenehan

Date: 9/5/02 .

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Australian Retailers Association

1) NATIONAL COUNCILLORS

- Not more than 3 by and from National Department Stores and National Discount Department Stores
 - Not more than 6 by and from National Specialty Chain Retailers
 - Not more than 3 by and from National Grocery Retailers or Wholesalers
 - Not more than 2 single state retailers by and from the NSW Division Council
 - Not more than 2 single state retailers by and from the Victoria Division Council
 - Not more than 2 single state retailers by and from the SA Division Council
 - Not more than 2 single state retailers by and from the Tasmania Division Council
- a) The elections are required due to the expiration of the terms of the existing Councillors.
- b) The rules of the organisation provide for nominations for those Councillors elected from national retailers to open no later than 5 August and to close no sooner than 14 days nor later than 28 days following the opening of nominations.
Nominations for Councillors elected from state division councils must open no later than 3 days following the declaration of the election for the state division council and close no later than 7 days following the opening of nominations.
- c) A direct system of voting is employed for national retailer representatives.
A collegiate electoral system is employed for state representatives.

2) PRESIDENT

VICE PRESIDENTS (2)

SECRETARY / TREASURER

- a) The elections are required due to the expiration of the terms of the existing Councillors.
- b) The rules of the organisation provide for nominations to open no later than three days following the declaration of the election of the National Councillors and close no later than 7 days following the opening of nominations.
- c) The offices are elected by and from the National Councillors elected above.
- d) A collegiate electoral system is employed.

Australian Retailers Association

Victoria Division

3) DIVISION COUNCILLORS (30)

- a) The elections are required due to the expiration of the terms of the existing Councillors.
- b) The rules of the division provide for nominations to open no later than 5 July and to close no sooner than 14 days nor later than 28 days following the opening of nominations.
- c) Divisional Councillors are elected by and from the membership of the Division
- d) A direct voting system is employed.

4) PRESIDENT

VICE PRESIDENTS (2)

SECRETARY / TREASURER

- a) The elections are required due to the expiration of the terms of the existing Councillors.
- b) The rules of the division provide for nominations to open no later than three days following the declaration of the election of the Division Councillors and to close no later than 7 days following the opening of nominations.
- c) The offices are elected by and from the Division Councillors elected above.
- d) A collegiate electoral system is employed.

Australian Retailers Association

New South Wales Division

5) DIVISION COUNCILLORS (25)

- a) The elections are required due to the expiration of the terms of the existing Councillors.
- b) The rules of the division provide for nominations to open no later than 5 July and to close no sooner than 14 days nor later than 28 days following the opening of nominations.
- c) Divisional Councillors are elected by and from the membership of the Division
- d) A direct voting system is employed.

6) PRESIDENT

VICE PRESIDENTS (4)

SECRETARY / TREASURER

- a) The elections are required due to the expiration of the terms of the existing Councillors.
- b) The rules of the division provide for nominations to open no later than three days following the declaration of the election of the Division Councillors and to close no later than 7 days following the opening of nominations.
- c) The offices are elected by and from the Division Councillors elected above.
- d) A collegiate electoral system is employed.

Australian Retailers Association

South Australia Division

7) DIVISION COUNCILLORS (20)

- a) The elections are required due to the establishment of the division.
- b) The rules of the division provide for nominations to open no later than 5 July and to close no sooner than 14 days nor later than 28 days following the opening of nominations.
- c) Divisional Councillors are elected by and from the membership of the Division
- d) A direct voting system is employed.

8) PRESIDENT

VICE PRESIDENTS (4)

SECRETARY / TREASURER

NATIONAL COUNCILLORS (2)

- a) The elections are required due to the establishment of the division.
- b) The rules of the division provide for nominations to open no later than three days following the declaration of the election of the Division Councillors and to close no later than 7 days following the opening of nominations.
- c) The offices are elected by and from the Division Councillors elected above.
- d) A collegiate electoral system is employed.

Australian Retailers Association

Tasmania Division

9) DIVISION COUNCILLORS (12)

- a) The elections are required due to the establishment of the division.
- b) The rules of the division provide for nominations to open no later than 5 July and to close no sooner than 14 days nor later than 28 days following the opening of nominations.
- c) Divisional Councillors are elected by and from the membership of the Division
- d) A direct voting system is employed.

10) PRESIDENT

VICE PRESIDENTS (2)

SECRETARY / TREASURER

NATIONAL COUNCILLORS (2)

- a) The elections are required due to the establishment of the division.
- b) The rules of the division provide for nominations to open no later than three days following the declaration of the election of the Division Councillors and to close no later than 7 days following the opening of nominations.
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Workplace Relations Act 1996
s.214 arrangement for the conduct of an election

The Australian Retailers Association
(E2002/68)

T. NASSIOS
DEPUTY INDUSTRIAL REGISTRAR

MELBOURNE, 20 MAY 2002

DECISION

On 14 May 2002, the abovenamed organisation lodged in the Industrial Registry the prescribed information in relation to elections for the following offices:

Victoria Division

Division Councillors (30)

Division President

Division Vice Presidents (2)

Division Secretary-Treasurer

New South Wales Division

Division Councillors (25)

Division President

Division Vice Presidents (4)

Division Secretary-Treasurer

South Australia Division

Division Councillors (20)

Division President

Division Vice Presidents (4)

Division Secretary-Treasurer

Tasmania Division

Division Councillors (12)

Division President

Division Vice Presidents (2)

Division Secretary-Treasurer

National Councillors representing the following National and Single State retailers:

National Department Stores and National Discount Department Stores (3)
National Grocery Retailers or Wholesalers (3)
National Specialty Chain Retailers (6)

New South Wales Division Council (2)
Victoria Division Council (2)
South Australia Division Council (2)
Tasmania Division Council (2)

National President
National Vice Presidents (2)
National Secretary-Treasurer

I am satisfied that elections for the abovenamed offices are required to be held under the rules of the organisation and, under subsection 214(2) of the Workplace Relations Act 1996, I am making arrangements for the conduct of the elections by the Australian Electoral Commission.



DECLARATION OF RESULTS OF UNCONTESTED OFFICES

Election: E No 68 of 2002

**Australian Retailers Association - Stage 1
Tasmania Division****Office: Division Councillor**

Candidates:		Number of Vacancies	12
HEYWOOD	Peter		
MONACHETTI	Peter		
PALMER	Suzanne		
PARKER	Robert Naim		
RAYNER	Michael		
TORBITT	Graeme Alexander		

No further nominations received

As the number of nominations accepted did not exceed the number of vacancies, a ballot was not necessary. Accordingly, I declare the abovenamed candidate/s elected unopposed.

Stage 1 of the election is now complete.



Peter Weldon
Returning Officer
29 July 2002



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Mr Greg Porter
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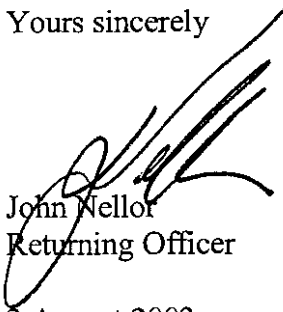
Dear Mr Porter

**Australian Retailers Association
Victoria Division
Decision E No. 68 of 2002**

Notice of the results of the election is attached. A copy of the result will be sent to each of the candidates.

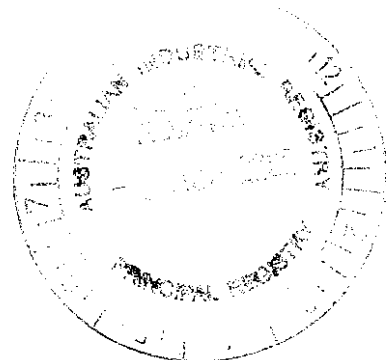
The election of Divisional Councillors is now complete.

Yours sincerely


John Nellor
Returning Officer

2 August 2002

Copies:
Industrial Registrar AIR VIC
Director Elections Systems and Policy- Canberra



DECLARATION OF RESULTS OF UNCONTESTED OFFICES

Election: E No 68 of 2002

Australian Retailers Association Victoria Division

Office: Division Councillor

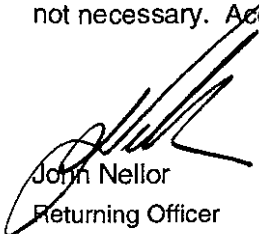
Candidate/s:

Number of Vacancies: 30

ADLER-BISHOP	MARION
ATKINSON	VIVIENNE
BARRON	BARRY GERALD
BRAIDWOOD	SUSAN
BRIFFA	JOSEPH
CAMPBELL	MARIA JOY
CARTER	ANDREW
CHAPMAN	JEANNIE
FERNE	PETER A
FORD	WENDY
GOONAN	IRENE
KATZ	JUDY
LITTLEFORD	DENIS HUGH
LORD	MAXWELL JOHN
MICHAEL	PETER
MONTANO	JOHN
NICOLL	PETER G

ONLEY	JOHN
PARSONS	DON
PORRITT	MARGARET
RYAN	JOHN
SIMMONDS	DAWN
TEMMINGHOFF	PAUL
VAN DER LOOY	MELANIE
WOODWARD	NEIL ANDREW

As the number of nominations accepted did not exceed the number of vacancies, a ballot was not necessary. Accordingly, I declare the abovenamed candidate/s elected unopposed.



John Nellor
Returning Officer
02 August 2002

**THE AUSTRALIAN RETAILERS ASSOCIATION
SOUTH AUSTRALIA DIVISION**

DECLARATION OF RESULTS

Election E No 68 of 2002

To the closing time of Noon on Friday 26 July 2002 the following nominations were received and have been accepted.

Office: Division Councillor (20)

BENSIMON, Albert
DENTON, Sydney
FILSELL, David John
GANTER, George
GREENTREE, Steve
HATFIELD, Michael Raymond
HUMPHRYS, Suzie
JACKSON, Cheryl
JEAVONS, Steven David
JENSEN, Sharon Ruth
LOY, David
MAUVIEL, Phillip Korryn
McLAUHLAN, Mark
SAMARTZIS, John
SAVANNAH, Roger Louis
SCHULZ, Roy
SWEENY, Dalia
WIRKUS, Trevor

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



Carol Seely
Returning Officer
Australian Electoral Commission

5 August 2002



DECLARATION OF RESULTS OF UNCONTESTED OFFICES

Election: E No 68 of 2002

***Australian Retailers Association - Stage 2
Tasmania Division***

Office: Division President**Candidate:****Number of vacancies: 1**

No nominations received.

Office: Division Vice President**Candidates:****Number of vacancies: 2**PARKER Robert Nairn
TORBITT Graeme

Office: Division Secretary-Treasurer**Candidate:****Number of vacancies: 1**

RAYNER Michael

Office: National Councillor representing the Tasmania Division Council**Candidates:****Number of vacancies: 2**PARKER Robert Nairn
RAYNER Michael

As the number of nominations accepted did not exceed the number of vacancies, a ballot was not necessary. Accordingly, I declare the abovenamed candidates elected unopposed.

Stage 2 of the election is now complete.



Peter Weldon
Returning Officer
Australian Electoral Commission

6 August 2002

DECLARATION OF RESULTS OF UNCONTESTED OFFICES

Election: E No 68 of 2002

***Australian Retailers Association - Stage 2
Tasmania Division***

Office: Division President**Candidate:** **Number of vacancies:** 1

No nominations received.

Office: Division Vice President**Candidates:** **Number of vacancies:** 2

PARKER Robert Nairn

TORBITT Graeme

Office: Division Secretary-Treasurer**Candidate:** **Number of vacancies:** 1

RAYNER Michael

Office: National Councillor representing the Tasmania Division Council**Candidates:** **Number of vacancies:** 2

PARKER Robert Nairn

RAYNER Michael

As the number of nominations accepted did not exceed the number of vacancies, a ballot was not necessary. Accordingly, I declare the abovenamed candidates elected unopposed.

Stage 2 of the election is now complete.



Peter Weldon
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Australian Electoral Commission

6 August 2002

**THE AUSTRALIAN RETAILERS ASSOCIATION
SOUTH AUSTRALIA DIVISION**

DECLARATION OF RESULTS

Election E No 68 of 2002

Results of the election for Divisional Executive and National Councillors conducted under the rules of the Association.

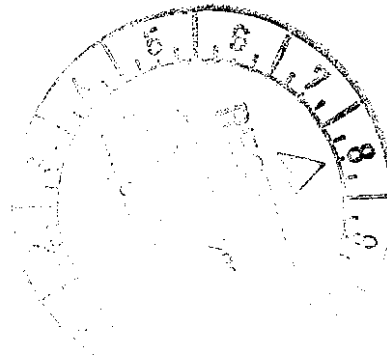
Office	Candidate
Division President	McLAUHLAN, Mark
Division Vice President (4)	GANTER, George HATFIELD, Michael SAMARTZIS, John WIRKUS, Trevor
Division Secretary-Treasurer	BENSIMON, Albert
National Councillor (2)	BENSIMON, Albert GANTER, George

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



Carol Seely
Returning Officer
Australian Electoral Commission

16 August 2002





In reply please quote

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Attention: Robert Pfeiffer

VIA FACSIMILE (03) 9654 6672

Dear Mr Pfeiffer

E. No.68 of 2002 refers
The Australian Retailers Association

I refer to arrangements for me to conduct an election for the above organisation.

A copy of my Declaration of Results for Stage 1 of the Australian Retailers Association is attached.

Yours sincerely

Vanessa Montgomery
Returning Officer

10 September 2002

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DECLARATION OF RESULTS OF CONTESTED OFFICES

Election E No 68 of 2002

Australian Retailers Association NSW Division

Offices: Division Councillors**Number of Vacancies: 25****Candidates:****Number of Votes:**

KINDL	Alan	15
MURPHY	Paul William	4
BATE	Stephen	11
SCOTT	Dorien	6
VAN ROEST	Aart	70
ZIMMERMAN	Russell E	13
SHEPPARD	Peter James	31
WOOLACOTT	Robert	11
KIBBLER	Gary Heyward	21
KOVAS	Michael	16
BOLLING	Fred	17
BRIDGES	Roy	5
FOX	Gary R	23
DRACAKIS	Paul	47
RANDAZZO	Vince	44
OWEN	Julie Anne	9
FULTON	Leigh	13
BRACEY	David	6
BAILEY	John	4
JONES	Charles Lloyd	40
OAKES	Graham	10
MUELLER	Jeffrey Staven	21
TRELOAR	Bruce	21
LEASK	Michael	7
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DECLARATION OF RESULTS OF CONTESTED OFFICES

Election E No 08 of 2002

Australian Retailers Association NSW Division

Office: Division Councillors

Number of Vacancies: 25

Candidates:

Number of Votes:

KINDL	Alan	15
MURPHY	Paul William	4
BATE	Stephen	11
SCOTT	Dorlan	6
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Vanessa Montgomery
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10 September 2002

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DECLARATION OF RESULTS OF CONTESTED OFFICES

Election E No 68 of 2002

Australian Retailers Association NSW Division

Office: Division Councillors

Number of Vacancies: 25

Candidates:

Number of Votes:

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BATE	Stephen	11
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Vanessa Montgomery
Returning Officer
10 September 2002

**Carol Seely
Election Services Branch
Adelaide**

**APPOINTMENT OF AN OFFICER TO CONDUCT AN ELECTION
REFERRED UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF THE WORKPLACE
RELATIONS ACT 1996**

The Deputy Industrial Registrar has asked me to make arrangements for the conduct of an election for positions in the:

**The Australian Retailers Association
South Australia Division**

Decision E No. 68 of 2002

I have nominated you to conduct the election. Would you please take the necessary steps.



Dr Christopher Drury
Australian Electoral Officer
for South Australia

28 May 2002

For Information:

Central Office ESP
Deputy Industrial Registrar

**Carol Seely
Election Services Branch
Adelaide**

**APPOINTMENT OF AN OFFICER TO CONDUCT AN ELECTION
REFERRED UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF THE WORKPLACE
RELATIONS ACT 1996**

The Deputy Industrial Registrar has asked me to make arrangements for the conduct of an election for positions in the:

**Australian Education Union
South Australian Branch**

Decision E No. 49 & 73 of 2002

I have nominated you to conduct the election. Would you please take the necessary steps.


Dr Christopher Drury
Australian Electoral Officer
for South Australia

28/5/02

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**Australian Retailers Association
Victoria Division**

Results of Election E No 68 of 2002
Election of Division Officers

Dear Sir,

Notice of the results of the election is attached. A copy of the results have been sent to each of the candidates.

Yours faithfully

Shane Lanning
Returning Officer
16 September 2002

Copies to:

Industrial Registrar – Victoria
Candidates

**AUSTRALIAN RETAILERS ASSOCIATION
VICTORIA DIVISION**

DECLARATION OF RESULTS – CONTESTED ELECTIONS

Election: E No 68 of 2002

Ballot papers issued	25
Duplicate ballot papers issued	nil
TOTAL BALLOT PAPERS ISSUED	25

Ballot papers/envelopes returned for scrutiny	22
Less ballot papers/envelopes rejected at preliminary scrutiny	nil
TOTAL BALLOT PAPERS ADMITTED TO SCRUTINY	22

Percentage of ballot papers returned to number issued	88%
Ballot papers returned as unclaimed mail	nil
Ballot papers not returned	3

DIVISION VICE-PRESIDENTS (2)

<u>Candidates:</u>	<u>Votes</u>
GOONAN, Irene	8
ONLEY, Jon	20
NICOLL, Peter G	14

Number of ballot papers accepted as formal	21
Number of ballot papers rejected as informal	1

I declare Jon Onley and Peter G Nicoll elected.

DIVISION SECRETARY-TREASURER

<u>Candidates:</u>	<u>Votes</u>
FORD, Wendy	10
ADLER BISHOP, Marion	12

Number of ballot papers accepted as formal	22
Number of ballot papers rejected as informal	nil

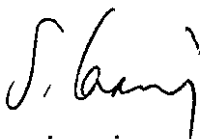
I declare Marion Adler Bishop elected.

NATIONAL COUNCILLORS REPRESENTING VICTORIA DIVISION COUNCIL (2)

<u>Candidates:</u>	<u>Votes</u>
ATKINSON, Vivienne	18
GOONAN, Irene	8
FERNE, Peter A	16

Number of ballot papers accepted as formal	21
Number of ballot papers rejected as informal	1

I declare Vivienne Atkinson and Peter A Ferne elected.



Shane Lanning
Returning Officer
16 September 2002

DECLARATION OF RESULTS OF UNCONTESTED OFFICES

Election: E No 68 of 2002

**Australian Retailers Association
Victoria Division**

Office: Division President

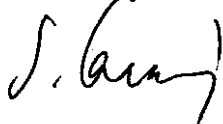
Candidate/s:

Number of Vacancies: 1

BRIFFA

JOE

As the number of nominations accepted did not exceed the number of vacancies, a ballot was not necessary. Accordingly, I declare the abovenamed candidate/s elected unopposed.



Shane Lanning
Returning Officer
16 September 2002

DECLARATION OF RESULTS OF UNCONTESTED OFFICES

Election: E No 60 of 2002

**Australian Retailers Association
NSW Division****Office: Division President**

<i>Candidate/s:</i>	<i>Number of Vacancies:</i>
ZIMMERMAN Russell E E	1

Office: Division Vice-President

<i>Candidate/s:</i>	<i>Number of Vacancies:</i>
BAILEY John Edward	4
MCDONALD Judith Anne	
MUELLER Jeffrey S	
OWEN Julie Anne	

Office: Division Secretary-Treasurer

<i>Candidate/s:</i>	<i>Number of Vacancies:</i>
FULTON Leigh Eric	1

Office: National Councillors

<i>Candidate/s:</i>	<i>Number of Vacancies:</i>
BRACEY David	2
ZIMMERMAN Russell E E	

As the number of nominations accepted did not exceed the number of vacancies, a ballot was not necessary. Accordingly, I declare the abovenamed candidate/s elected unopposed.



Vanessa Montgomery
Returning Officer
20 September 2002



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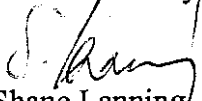
**Australian Retailers Association
Victoria Division**

Results of Election E No 68 of 2002
Election of National Councillors representing National Specialty Chain Retailers

Dear Sir,

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Yours faithfully,


Shane Lanning
Returning Officer
23 September 2002

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**AUSTRALIAN RETAILERS ASSOCIATION
VICTORIA DIVISION**

DECLARATION OF RESULTS – CONTESTED ELECTION

Election: E No 68 of 2002

Ballot papers issued	145
Duplicate ballot papers issued	nil
TOTAL BALLOT PAPERS ISSUED	145

Ballot papers/envelopes returned for scrutiny	46
Less ballot papers/envelopes rejected at preliminary scrutiny	nil
TOTAL BALLOT PAPERS ADMITTED TO SCRUTINY	46

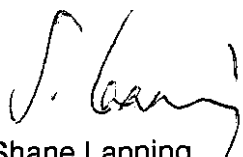
Percentage of ballot papers returned to number issued	31.7%
Ballot papers returned as unclaimed mail	nil
Ballot papers not returned	99

NATIONAL COUNCILLORS REPRESENTING NATIONAL SPECIALTY RETAILERS (6)

<u>Candidates:</u>	<u>Votes</u>
OWEN, Julie	44
PORRITT, Margaret	44
VAN ROEST, Aart Gerard	31
WIRKUS, Trevor	36
SHEPPARD, Peter James	38
NICOLL, Peter G	45
MOLYNEUX, Carole Ann	38

Number of ballot papers accepted as formal	46
Number of ballot papers rejected as informal	0

I declare Peter Nicoll, Julie Owen, Margaret Porritt, Carole Molyneux, Peter Sheppard and Trevor Wirkus elected


Shane Lanning
Returning Officer
23 September 2002

DECLARATION OF RESULTS OF UNCONTESTED OFFICES

Election: E No 68 of 2002

**Australian Retailers Association
Victoria Division**

**Office: National Councillor National Department Stores and National Discount
Department Stores**

Candidate/s: **Number of Vacancies:** 3

WATSON KERRINA

Office: National Councillor National Grocery Retailers or Wholesalers

Candidate/s: **Number of Vacancies:** 3

JEFFS ROHAN K S

As the number of nominations accepted did not exceed the number of vacancies, a ballot was not necessary. Accordingly, I declare the abovenamed candidate/s elected unopposed.



Shane Lanning
Returning Officer
23 September 2002



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Results of Election E No 68 of 2002
Election of National Officers



Dear Sir,

Notice of the results of the election is attached. A copy of the results have been sent to each of the candidates.

Yours faithfully

Tony King
Returning Officer
4 November 2002

Copies to:

Industrial Registrar – Victoria

THE AUSTRALIAN RETAILERS ASSOCIATION

DECLARATION OF RESULTS

Result of election for the following offices conducted under the rules of the organisation
E No. 68 of 2002.

Ballot papers issued	16
Duplicate ballot papers issued	Nil
TOTAL BALLOT PAPERS ISSUED	16

Ballot papers returned for scrutiny	14
Less ballot papers rejected at preliminary scrutiny	Nil
TOTAL BALLOT PAPERS ADMITTED TO SCRUTINY	14

Percentage of ballot papers returned to number issued 87.5%

Ballot papers returned as unclaimed mail	Nil
Ballot papers not returned	2

NATIONAL PRESIDENT

<u>Candidates</u>	<u>Number of votes</u>
SHEPPARD, Peter	5
ZIMMERMAN, Russell	9
Ballot papers admitted as formal	14
Ballot papers rejected as informal	Nil

I declare R Zimmerman elected.

NATIONAL VICE-PRESIDENTS (2)

<u>Candidates</u>	<u>Number of votes</u>
BEN SIMON, Albert	6
MOLYNEUX, Carole Ann	9
PORRIT, Margaret	4
BRACEY, David	9
Ballot papers admitted as formal	14
Ballot papers rejected as informal	Nil

I declare C A Molyneux and D Bracey elected.

NATIONAL SECRETARY-TREASURER

<u>Candidates</u>	<u>Number of votes</u>
ATKINSON, Vivienne	4
JEFFS, Rohan	10
Ballot papers admitted as formal	14
Ballot papers rejected as informal	Nil

I declare R Jeffs elected.



Tony King
Returning Officer
Australian Electoral Commission
4 November 2002