

19 July 2011

Mr Guy Hibbins Secretary Australian Salaried Medical Officers Federation, Commonwealth Branch

email: asmof@asmof.org.au

Dear Mr Hibbins

Re: Financial Report for the Australian Salaried Medical Officers Federation, Commonwealth Branch for year ended 31 December 2010 – FR2010/2879

I acknowledge receipt of the financial report for the Australian Salaried Medical Officers Federation, Commonwealth Branch (the Branch) for the year ended 31 December 2010. The report was lodged with Fair Work Australia on 27 June 2011.

The financial report has now been filed.

I make the following comments to assist you when you next prepare a financial report. You are not required to take any further action in respect of the report lodged.

Committee of Management statement

The Committee of Management statement did not specify the date of the passage of the resolution in accordance with item 26(b) of the General Manager's Reporting Guidelines (the guidelines). Item 26 indicates that 'the Committee of Management statement must . . . (b) specify the date of passage of the resolution.' Could the Branch ensure that future Committee of Management statements satisfy the requirements of the guidelines.

Notes to the Cash Flow Statement

Item 15 of the <u>guidelines</u> states that 'where another reporting unit of the organisation is the source of cash inflow or the application of a cash outflow, such cash flow should be separately disclosed in the notes to the financial statements and show the name of the other reporting unit concerned'. This is in addition to the requirement to disclose capitation fees to the national office (guideline 11(b)). In future years please ensure that cash flows to and from the national office (and any branches if relevant) are disclosed in the notes to the cash flow statement.

If you wish to discuss any of the matters referred to above I can be contacted on (03) 8661 7764.

Yours sincerely

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Kevin Donnellan Tribunal Services and Organisations

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Designated Officer's Certificate

S268 Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Act 2009

I, Guy Hibbins, being the President of the Commonwealth Branch of the Australian Salaried Medical Officers' Federation (CASMOF) certify:

- that, the documents lodged herewith are copies of the full report referred to in s268 of the Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Act 2009; and
- that, the full report was provided to members on1st June 2011......; and
- that, the full was presented to a meeting of the Committee of Management of the reporting unit on ...14 June 2011 in accordance with s266 of the *Fair Work* (*Registered Organisations*) Act 2009.

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Signature:

Date: 20 June 2011

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STATEMENT OF PARTICULARS OF LOAN, GRANTS AND DONATIONS BY THE AUSTRALIAN SALARIED MEDICAL OFFICERS' FEDERATION

I, Guy Hibbins, being the President of the Commonwealth Branch of the Australian Salaried Medical Officers' Federation (CASMOF) state, in respect of the financial year of the organisation ended 31 December 2010, that:

NO loans, grants or donations of an amount exceeding \$1,000 were made by the abovenamed organisation during the financial year.

Signature:

Dated: 14 June 2011

FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2010

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OPERATING REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2010

(a) Principal Activities:

The Branch's principal activities during the financial year were: To provide industrial services to the members consistent with the objects of the Branch particularly the object of protecting & improving the interests of the members.

Results of Principal Activities:

The Branch's principal activities resulted in maintaining and improving the services provided to its members, promoting and protecting the broad interests of salaried medical practitioners and advocating the provision and development of quality health services.

Significant changes in Branch's Principal Activities:

There were no significant changes in the nature of Branch's principal activities during the financial year.

(b) Operating Results:

The loss of the Branch amounted to \$3448.08 for the financial year.

Significant changes in Branch's financial affairs:

No matters or circumstances arose during the reporting year which significantly affected the financial affairs of the Branch.

(c) Right of Members to resign:

Manner of resignation S254(2)(c)

Members may resign from the Branch in accordance with rule 11, which reads as follows: A member of the Branch may resign their membership by written notice, addressed and delivered to the Branch Secretary.

Notice of resignation from membership of the Branch takes effect:

1) where the member ceases to be eligible to become a member of the Branch:

(i) on the day on which the notice is received by the Branch; or

(ii) on the day specified in the notice, which is a day not earlier than the day when the member ceases to be eligible to become a member;

whichever is later;

or

- 2) in any other case:
- (i) at the end of two weeks, after the notice is received by the Branch; or
- (ii) on the day specified in the notice;

whichever is later;

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Any dues payable but not paid by a former member of the Branch, in relation to a period before the member's resignation from the Branch took effect, may be sued for and recovered in the name of the Branch, in a court of competent jurisdiction, as a debt due to the Branch.

A notice delivered to the person mentioned in sub-rule(1) shall be taken to have been received by the Branch when it is delivered.

A notice of resignation that has been received by the Branch is not invalid because it was not addressed and delivered in accordance with sub-rule(1).

A resignation from membership is valid even if it is not affected in accordance with this Rule if the member is informed in writing by or on behalf of the Branch that the resignation has been accepted.

In special circumstances the Branch may by resolution accept the resignation of a member and release the member from any or all outstanding obligations to the Branch, notwithstanding that the provisions of these Rules have not been complied with.

(e) Number of members

The number of persons who, at the end of the financial year were recorded on the Register of Members was 229.

(e) Number of employees

The Branch has no employees.

(f) Members of Committee of Management

The persons who held office as members of the Committee of Management of the Branch during the financial year were:-

Dr. G. Hibbins	President
Dr. D. Chapman	Councillor
Dr. T. Paulson	Councillor

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(g) Superannuation Trustees

No member of the Committee of Management of the Branch is

(i) a trustee of a superannuation entity or an exempt public sector superannuation scheme; or
(ii) a director of a company that is a trustee of a superannuation entity or an exempt public sector superannuation scheme;

where a criterion for the member being the trustee or director is that the member is a member of a registered organisation.

Signed in accordance with a resolution of the Committee of Management.

DR G HIBBINS (President)

Date: 24,5,11

STATEMENT OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2010

		2010	2009
	Note	\$	\$
Revenue	2	19,308.81	21,326.12
Auditor's remuneration	3	(1,890.00)	(2,390.00)
Capitation Fees- Federal ASMOF		(11,241.82)	(9,400.00)
Industrial Services - AMA		(6,413.04)	(6,413.04)
Meetings and Conferences expenses		-	-
Other expenses		(3,212.03)	(622.65)
(Loss) Profit for the year	-	(3,448.08)	2,500.43
Income tax expense		-	-
(Loss) Profit after income tax	=	(3,448.08)	2,500.43

The accompanying notes form part of these financial statements. Page 4

STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION AS AT 31 DECEMBER 2010

	Note	2010 \$	2009 \$
CURRENT ASSETS			
Cash and cash equivalents	4	3,080.35	6,976.25
Trade and other receivables	5	582.45	834.63
TOTAL CURRENT ASSETS	-	3,662.80	7,810.88
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CURRENT LIABILITIES			
Trade and other payables	6	100.00	-
Other current liabilities	7	1,500.00	2,300.00
TOTAL CURRENT LIABILITIES	-	1,600.00	2,300.00
TOTAL LIABILITIES	-	1,600.00	2,300.00
NET ASSETS	=	2,062.80	5,510.88
MEMBERS' FUNDS			
Retained earnings	8	2,062.80	5,510.88
TOTAL EQUITY	-	2,062.80	5,510.88

The accompanying notes form part of these financial statements.

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2010

	Note	Retained Earnings \$	Total \$
Balance at 1 January 2009		3,010	3,010
Profit (Losses) attributable to members		2,500	2,500
Balance at 31 December 2009	-	5,511	5,511
Profit attributable to members	-	(3,448)	(3,448)
Balance at 31 December 2010	-	2,063	2,063

The accompanying notes form part of these financial statements. Page 6

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2010

1 Statement of Significant Accounting Policies

The financial report is a General Purpose Financial Report (GPFR) and it has been prepared in accordance with Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Act 2009.

The GPFR is for an entity known as AUSTRALIAN SALARIED MEDICAL OFFICERS' FEDERATION (COMMONWEALTH BRANCH) as an individual entity.

The GPFR complies with all Australian equivalents to International Financial Reporting Standards (AIFRS) in their entirety.

The following is a summary of the material accounting policies adopted by the branch in the preparation of the financial report. Unless otherwise stated, the accounting policies have been consistently applied.

Reporting basis and conventions

The GPFR has been prepared on an accruals basis and is based on historical costs.

Going Concern

The GPFR has been prepared on a going concern basis. The committee of management has not identified or become aware of any events or conditions which may not result in the ability of the branch to continue as a going concern.

Accounting Policies

Income Tax

The Branch, being a registered Trade Union, is exempt from income tax on all of its income.

Cash and Cash Equivalents

Cash in the balance sheet comprise cash at bank.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2010

Revenue

Interest revenue is recognised upon receipt.

All revenue is stated net of the amount of goods and services tax (GST).

Capitation Fees Revenue

Capitation fees received have been accepted as the correct amounts payable to the branch.

Membership Subscriptions Revenue

The Branch's membership subscriptions year runs from 1st January to 31 st December. Membership subscriptions received have been accepted as the correct amounts payable to the Branch.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2010

Goods and Services Tax (GST)

Revenues, expenses and assets are recognised net of the amount of GST, except where the amount of GST incurred by the Branch as a purchaser that is not recoverable from the Australian Tax Office is recognised as part of the cost of acquisition of the asset or as part of an item of the expense. Receivables and payables in the Statement of Financial Position are shown inclusive of GST when incurred.

Trade & Other Receivables

Debtors are recognised at the amount receivable and are normally due for settlement within 30 days from date of recognition.

Trade & Other Payables

These amounts represent liabilities for services provided to the Branch prior to the end of the financial year and which are unpaid. The amounts are unsecured and are usually paid within 30 days of recognition.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2010

Information to be provided to Members or to the General Manager of FWA

In accordance with the requirements of Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Act 2009 the attention of Members is drawn to the provision of sub-sections (1) (2) and (3) of Section 272 which read as follows.

Section 272 Information to be provided to Members or the General Manager of FWA

272(1) [Application for Information] A member of a reporting unit, or the General Manager of FWA may apply to the reporting unit for specified prescribed information in relation to the reporting unit to be made available to the person making the application.

272 (2) [Form of Application] The application must be in writing and must specify the period within which and the manner in which, the information is to be made available. The period must not be less than 14 days after the application is given to the reporting unit.

272(3) [Compliance] A Reporting unit must comply with an application made under subsection (1)

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2010

		2010 \$	2009 \$
2	Revenue		
	Operating activities		
	Capitation Fees - AMA	6,466.16	6,570.42
	Subscriptions	<u> </u>	<u>14,755.33</u> 21,325.75
	-		21,020.10
	Non-operating activities		
	Interest received	9.27	0.37
	Total revenue	19,308.81	21,326.12
3	Auditor's Remuneration		
	Auditor's Fees	1,890.00	2,390.00
4	Cash and Cash Equivalents		
	Current		
	Commonwealth Banking Corporation	3,080.35	6,976.25
	Reconciliation of cash Cash at the end of the financial year as shown in the statement of cash flows is reconciled to the related items in the balance sheet as follows:		
	Commonwealth Banking Corporation	3,080.35	6,976.25
5	Trade and Other Receivables		
	Current		
	Input Tax Credits	582.45	834.63
	The branch does not hold any financial assets whose		

The branch does not hold any financial assets whose terms have been renegotiated, but which would otherwise be past due or impaired.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2010

		2010 \$	2009 \$
6	Trade and Other Payables		
	Current Sundry Creditors	100.00	
7	Other Liabilities		
	Current Accrued Charges	1,500.00	2,300.00
8	Retained Earnings		
	Retained earnings at the beginning of the financial year (Net loss) Net profit attributable to the Branch Retained earnings at the end of the financial year	5,510.88 (3,448.08) 2,062.80	3,010.45 2,500.43 5,510.88

9 Financial Instruments

Financial Risk Management

The branch's financial instruments consist primarily of deposits with banks.

The branch does not have any derivative instruments at 31 December 2010.

STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2010

	2010 \$	2009 \$
CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES		
Receipts from Subscriptions & Capitation Fees	21,229.49	23,458.33
Interest Received	9.27	0.37
General Administration Expenses & Direct Expenses	(25,134.66)	(22,584.17)
Net cash provided by (used in) operating activities	(3,895.90)	874.53
Net increase (decrease) in cash held	(3,895.90)	874.53
Cash at beginning of year	6,976.25	6,101.72
Cash at end of financial year	3,080.35	6,976.25

The accompanying notes form part of these financial statements. Page 13

STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2010

	2010 \$	2009 \$
Cash Flow Information		
Reconciliation of cash		
Cash at the end of the financial Year as shown in the Statement of Cash Flows is reconciled to the related items in the Statement of Financial Position as follows:		
Commonwealth Banking Corporation	3,080.35	<u> </u>
Reconciliation of net cash provided by operating activities to Profit (Loss) from ordinary activities		
Operating profit (loss)	(3,448.08)	2,500.43
Changes in assets and liabilities		
Decrease (Increase) in Receivables	252.18	(834.63)
Increase (Decrease) in Payables	100.00	(1,391.27)
Increase (Decrease) in Accrued charges	(800.00)	600.00
Cash inflows (outflows) from operations	(3,895.90)	874.53

The accompanying notes form part of these financial statements. Page 14

COMMITTEE OF MANAGEMENT'S STATEMENT

On behalf of the Committee and in accordance with a resolution passed by the Committee, we, the undersigned, hereby declare that:-

- (a) the financial statements and notes comply with the Australian Accounting Standards;
- (b) the financial statements and notes comply with the reporting guidelines of the General Manager of Fair Work Australia (FWA);
- (c) the financial statements and notes give a true and fair view of the financial performance, financial position and cash flows of the reporting unit for the financial year to which they relate;
- (d) there are reasonable grounds to believe that the reporting unit will be able to pay its debts as and when they become due and payable; and
- (e) during the financial year to which GPFR relates and since the end of that year:
 - (i) meetings of the committee of the management were held in accordance with the rules of the organisation including the rules of the branch concerned; and
 - (ii) the financial affairs of the reporting unit have been managed in accordance with the rules of the organisation including the rules of the branch concerned; and
 - (iii) the financial records of the reporting unit have been kept and maintained in accordance with the Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Act 2009 and the Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Regulations 2009; and
 - (iv) the financial records of the reporting unit have been kept, as far as practicable, in a manner consistent with each of the other reporting units of the organisation; and
 - (v) the information sought in any request of a member of a reporting unit or the General Manager of FWA duly made under section 272 of the Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Act 2009 has been furnished to the member or General Manager of FWA; and
 - (vi) there has been compliance with any order for inspection of financial records made by Fair Work Australia under section 273 of the Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Act 2009.
- (f) the Branch has not undertaken recovery of wages activity during the financial year.

Dr. G. Hibbins (President)

Dr. D. Chasman (Councillor) Date Resolution passed:

Dated: 24/5/11

Dated: 27 / 5 / 11

INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT TO THE MEMBERS OF AUSTRALIAN SALARIED MEDICAL OFFICERS' FEDERATION (COMMONWEALTH BRANCH) A.B.N 82 946 658 712

Scope

The General Purpose Financial Report (GPFR) comprises the statement of financial position, statement of comprehensive income, statement of changes in equity, statement of cash flows, accompanying notes to the financial statements, and the committee of management's statement for AUSTRALIAN SALARIED MEDICAL OFFICERS' FEDERATION (COMMONWEALTH BRANCH) for the year ended 31 December 2010.

The committee of the branch is responsible for the preparation and true and fair presentation of the financial report. This includes responsibility for the maintenance of adequate accounting records and internal controls that are designed to prevent and detect fraud and error, and for the accounting policies and accounting estimates inherent in the financial report.

Audit Approach

I have conducted an independent audit in order to express an opinion to the members of the Branch. My audit was conducted in accordance with Australian Auditing Standards, in order to provide reasonable assurance as to whether the financial report is free of material misstatement. The nature of an audit is influenced by factors such as the use of professional judgment, selective testing, the inherent limitations of internal control, and the availability of persuasive rather than conclusive evidence. Therefore, an audit cannot guarantee that all material misstatements have been detected.

I performed procedures to assess whether in all material respects the financial report presents fairly, in accordance with the requirements imposed by Part 3 of Chapter 8 of Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Act 2009, including compliance with Australian Accounting Standards and other mandatory financial reporting requirements in Australia, a view which is consistent with my understanding of the branch's financial position, and of its performance as represented by the results of its operations and cash flows.

I formed my audit opinion on the basis of these procedures, which included:

- examining, on a test basis, information to provide evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial report, and
- assessing the appropriateness of the accounting policies and disclosures used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by the.

While I considered the effectiveness of management's internal controls over financial reporting when determining the nature and extent of our procedures, my audit was not designed to provide assurance on internal controls.

Independence

In conducting my audit, I followed applicable independence requirements of Australian professional ethical pronouncements.

INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT TO THE MEMBERS OF AUSTRALIAN SALARIED MEDICAL OFFICERS' FEDERATION (COMMONWEALTH BRANCH) A.B.N 82 946 658 712

Audit Opinion

In my opinion, the GPFR of AUSTRALIAN SALARIED MEDICAL OFFICERS' FEDERATION (COMMONWEALTH BRANCH) is presented fairly in accordance with applicable Australian Accounting Standards, and the requirements imposed by Part 3 of Chapter 8 of Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Act 2009, in respect of the financial position as at 31 December 2010 and the results of its operations and its cash flows for the year then ended.

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Dated this ㅣ স	day of gure 2011