# <u>WORKPLACE RELATIONS ACT 1996</u> s189 RAO Schedule - arrangement for conduct of an election

# The Australian Workers' Union (E2005/42)

# B. R. JENKINS DEPUTY INDUSTRIAL REGISTRAR

SYDNEY, 22 FEBRUARY 2005

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# ATTN: PAUL HOWES

PLEASE FIND ATTACHED COPY OF REGISTRAR'S DECISION FOR YOUR INFORMATION.



Mr Bill Shorten National Secretary The Australian Workers' Union 685 Spencer St WEST MELBOURNE VIC 3003

Dear Mr Shorten

The Australian Workers' Union - Quadrennial Elections

# Arrangements for the conduct of an Election (E2005/42)

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

The Registrar is making arrangements, under subsection 189(3) of Schedule 1B of the *Workplace Relations Act 1996*, 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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for Deputy Industrial Registrar 22 February 2005

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\* Decision

\* Covering Letter

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Attached is prescribed information and current rules.

Please note a request to certify rule alterations which would provide for an additional office of Vice President are currently before the Industrial Registrar. If certified, an amended rulebook will be forwarded to you if the election is granted.



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BILL SHORTEN National Secretary

21 February, 2005

Mr. Peter McKerrow Australian Industry Registry Level 8, Terrace Towers 80 William Street EAST SYDNEY NSW 2011

### VIA FACSIMILE: 02 9380 6990

Dear Mr. McKerrow,

Please find enclosed our Statement and Notice of Prescribed Information under Regulation 138.

Should you require any further information please contact National Organiser Paul Howes on 03 8327 0828 or email paul.howes@awu.net.au.

Yours faithfully,

Bil

Bill Shorten NATIONAL SECRETARY

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## Statement and Notice of Prescribed Information under Regulation 138

I, William Shorten, National Secretary of The Australian Workers Union, make the following statement:

I am the National Secretary of The Australian Workers Union,

I am authorised to lodge the following prescribed information concerning forthcoming elections in The Australian Workers Union, and

I confirm that the following information is being lodged under subsection 189(1) of the RAO Schedule.

Signed

Bill Shortez

Bill Shorten National Secretary The Australian Workers' Union

Dated: 21 February, 2005

### Offices/Positions

### 1. National Office

1.1 Six National Vice Presidents (Honorary)

### Reasons for election:

Election for all offices and positions above are required as the terms of office are due to expire in the normal course of events under the rules of the union.

### Elected by:

The positions are elected by direct voting system, the electorate is the entire union.

#### Nominations open:

For offices to elected by direct voting system - the last Wednesday of February 2005.

For offices to be elected by collegiate election – pursuant to Rule (64) at the first Branch Executive meeting following the elections held pursuant to Rule (61).

### Nominations close:

For offices to be elected by direct voting system - 12 noon, 9 March 2005.

### Cut off date for roll:

Subject to the requirements of Rule (63 (1)) 31 March 2005.