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Registered Organisations Commission

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Dear Nick Townsend

The Communications, Electrical, Electronic, Energy, Information, Postal, Plumbing and Allied Services Union of Australia - Communications Division - South Australia & Northern Territory Communications Division Branch's Officer and related party disclosure statement (ORP Statement)

Thank you for providing your ORP statement. Your ORP statement includes information required to be provided to your members and lodged under subsection 293J of the Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Act 2009 (the RO Act).

Summary of your ORP Statement and Review Outcome

Financial year ending	31 March 2020
Matter number	ORP2020/18
Lodgement date	21 August 2020
Review	Advanced Review
Result	FILED

Your advanced review

Your ORP statement had an **advanced review** which is a comprehensive review that evaluates compliance with the requirements of the Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Act 2009.



Your ORP statement satisfied the requirements of the advanced review and has been uploaded to the ROC website.

The ROC's risk-based approach

Over a five year period the ORP statement of every organisation and branch will be subject to at least one advanced review. An advanced review is a comprehensive review. The ROC's [advanced review checklist](#) is published on our website.

This year your ORP statement was assessed against an advanced review.

Do you have questions?

Important information and education materials will be available to you in time for next year's ORP statement. We recommend you [subscribe to the ROC's subscription service!](#)

If you have any queries we can be contacted on 1300 341 665 or by email at regorgs@roc.gov.au.

Yours sincerely

Registered Organisations Commission

OFFICER AND RELATED PARTY DISCLOSURE STATEMENT in accordance with Section 293J Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Act 2009

I, Nick Townsend, being the Branch Secretary of the Communications, Electrical, Electronic, Energy, Information, Postal, Plumbing and Allied Services Union of Australia, Communications Division, South Australian and Northern Territory Branch, declare the following Officer and Related Party Disclosure Statement.

Organisation Name	CEPU – Communications Division	Branch Name	CEPU – Communications Division SA and NT
Financial year start date	01/04/2019	Financial year end date	31/03/2020

Top Five Rankings of Officers – Relevant remuneration and non-cash benefits

When all officers in the CEPU – Communications Division SA and NT are ranked by relevant remuneration for the financial year, the following officers are ranked no lower than fifth:

Full Name	Office (e.g. Secretary)	Actual Amount of Relevant Remuneration	Value of Relevant non-cash benefits	Form of relevant non-cash benefits (e.g. car)
1. Graham Lorrain	Branch President	\$174,829.56 (incl superannuation & death and disability insurance) (\$82,237.58 paid directly to the branch - comprising Telstra Super board fees \$75,102.81 plus 9.5% superannuation paid on board fees \$7,134.77)	\$10,641.80	Motor vehicle
2. Nick Townsend	Branch Secretary	\$147,108.15 (incl superannuation & death and disability insurance)	\$10,755.80	Motor vehicle
3. Nil				
4. Nil				
5. Nil				



Relevant Remuneration:

Section 293BC defines relevant remuneration to include any remuneration paid, during the financial year, to the officer by the organisation or branch AND any remuneration disclosed by the officer to the organisation or branch. These disclosures are made under s. 293B and must include remuneration paid to the officer

- because the officer is a member of a board only because they are an officer of the organisation/branch OR they were nominated for the board by the organisation, branch or peak council, or
- by a related party of the organisation/branch in connection with the performance of the officer's duties as an officer.

Relevant non-cash benefits:

Section 293BC defines relevant non-cash benefits as any non-cash benefits provided to an officer, at any time during the financial year, in connection with the performance of the officer's duties as an officer by the organisation, branch or a related party of the organisation/branch. Non-cash benefits include property and services but not a computer, mobile phone or other electronic device used only or mainly for work purposes.

For further information on definitions and these requirements please see our [Disclosure Obligations Page](#) or our [Fact Sheets page](#)

Payments to related parties and declared persons or bodies

During the financial year, the Communications, Electrical, Electronic, Energy, Information, Postal, Plumbing and Allied Services Union of Australia, Communications Division, South Australian and Northern Territory Branch made the following payments to related parties or declared persons or bodies. The details of these payments are included below. This list does not include payments that have been exempted from disclosure under section 293G.

Date	Name	Nature of relationship <i>(e.g company owned by Secretary)</i>	Purpose of payment <i>(e.g. catering)</i>	Amount	Other relevant details
NIL	NIL			\$	

Signed by the officer:

Dated:

29/7/20

[PLEASE NOTE: The Officer and Related Party Disclosure Statement must be provided to members and a copy lodged with the Registered Organisations Commission (ROC) within 6 months of the end of the financial year. It can be lodged with the ROC by emailing to regorgs@roc.gov.au. ALL BRANCHES are required to lodge an Officer and Related Party Disclosure Statement.