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Sent: Wednesday, 4 May 2011 3:08 PM
To: VALE, David
Subject: FW: Post Election Report: CEPU- E2011/2519 [SEC=UNCLASSIFIED]
Attachments: Post Election Report.doc; Uncontested Declaration.rtf

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Cc: Julie Emmett; Mark Townsend; Brendan Carroll; Jenny Meizer; Cameron Stokes
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Bradley O'Carroll
Branch Secretary
CEPU, Plumbers Union QLD

cc. *Australian Industrial Registrar*
AEC Industrial Elections National Unit

**Post Election Report For: Communications, Electrical, Electronic, Energy, Information, Postal, Plumbing & Allied Services Union, Scheduled Plumbing Division QLD Branch Election
Election E No 2011/2519**

I refer to the above election for your organisation.

Section 197 (1) of the Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Act 2009 requires the AEC to provide a written report on the conduct of the election to the Industrial Registrar 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 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) Regulations 2009 requires an organisation or branch to publish a notice on its website 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.

Cameron Stokes
Returning Officer

Cameron Stokes | Assistant Office Manager

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Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Act 2009

POST ELECTION REPORT

**Communications, Electrical, Electronic, Energy, Information,
Postal, Plumbing & Allied Services Union**

Scheduled Plumbing Division QLD Branch Election

ELECTION/S COVERED IN THIS REPORT

Election Decision No/s: *E2011/2519*

RULES

Rules used for the election: *128V-PLU: Incorporates alterations of 8/5/07 in matter R2007/220*

Rules difficult to apply/interpret: *Nil*
Model Rule reference (if any): *N/A*

ROLL OF VOTERS

As there were no contested offices, the Roll of Voters was not required for this election.

IRREGULARITIES

Details of written allegations of irregularities and action taken by AEC: *Nil*
Other irregularities identified, and action taken: *Nil*

ATTACHMENTS

Declaration of Results for Uncontested Offices dated 27 April 2011

Cameron Stokes
Returning Officer

4 May 2011

**Communications, Electrical, Electronic, Energy,
Information, Postal, Plumbing & Allied Services Union
2011 Plumbing Division, Queensland Branch Election**

DECLARATION OF RESULTS FOR UNCONTESTED 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.

E2011/2519

Plumbing Division

Branch President

Candidate

BATTERSBY, Andrew

Branch Vice-President

Candidate

ROBINSON, Gerard

Branch Secretary

Candidate

O'CARROLL, Bradley

Branch Assistant Secretary

Candidate

O'HALLORAN, Gary

Branch Trustee (2)

Candidates

BATTERSBY, Andrew
ROBINSON, Gerard

Branch Organiser

Candidate

KING, Mick

Branch Committee Member (5)

Candidates

BURN, Andrew
DAHL, Peter
LUPTON, Norman
MULHOLLAND, Paul
NEWMAN, Ricky

Federal Vice-President

Candidate

O'CARROLL, Bradley

Federal Councillor

Candidate

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

Cameron Stokes
Returning Officer
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FAIR WORK
AUSTRALIA

22 February 2011

Mr Bradley O'Carroll
Queensland Branch Secretary
Plumbing Division
Communications, Electrical, Electronic, Energy, Information, Postal, Plumbing and Allied
Services Union of Australia
PO Box 3596
South Brisbane QLD 4101

Dear Mr O'Carroll

**Re: Arrangements for the conduct of an Election
(E2011/2519)**

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



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AUSTRALIA

DECISION

Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Act 2009

s.189 – Arrangement for conduct of an election

Communications, Electrical, Electronic, Energy, Information, Postal, Plumbing and Allied Services Union of Australia
(E2011/2519)

T. NASSIOS

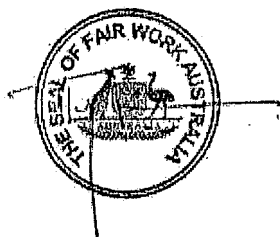
MELBOURNE, 22 FEBRUARY 2011

Arrangement for conduct of election.

[1] On 3 February 2011 the Queensland Branch of the Plumbing Division of the Communications, Electrical, Electronic, Energy, Information, Postal, Plumbing and Allied Services Union of Australia lodged with Fair Work Australia the prescribed information in relation to an election for the following offices:

Branch President	(1)
Branch Vice-President	(1)
Branch Secretary	(1)
Branch Assistant Secretary	(1)
Branch Trustee	(2)
Branch Organiser	(1)
Branch Committee Member	(5)
Federal Vice President	(1)
Federal Councillor	(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
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MOUTEVELIS, Michael

From: MOUTEVELIS, Michael
Sent: Tuesday, 22 February 2011 12:20 PM
To: 'industrial.elections@aec.gov.au'
Subject: E2011/2519
Attachments: E2011_2519 CEPU PLU QLD_22022011.doc; E2011_2519 signed decision_22022011.pdf

Dear AEC

Please find attached a copy of the Decision for the upcoming election of the Communications, Electrical, Electronic, Energy, Information, Postal, Plumbing and Allied Services Union of Australia, Plumbing Division, Queensland Branch (E2011/2519).

Regards

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FAIR WORK
AUSTRALIA

22 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 2011/2519

**RE: COMMUNICATIONS, ELECTRICAL, ELECTRONIC, ENERGY, INFORMATION,
POSTAL, PLUMBING AND ALLIED SERVICES UNION OF AUSTRALIA - PLUMBING
DIVISION QUEENSLAND BRANCH**

Position(s):

See Decision

Relevant Information: Scheduled election; secret postal ballot.

Contact: Mr Bradley O'Carroll
QLD Branch Secretary

Phone: (07) 3844 8433

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

MOUVEVELIS, Michael

From: Charlene Nisbet [charlene@plumbersunionqld.com]
Sent: Friday, 11 February 2011 2:27 PM
To: RIA Sydney
Subject: Plumbers Union Elections
Attachments: SGM Minutes 20 December 2010.pdf

Attention: Michael

Hi Michael

As requested, please find attached the Minutes from the Special General Meeting on 20 December 2011. Please let me know if you require anything further.

Thanks

Regards

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**SPECIAL GENERAL MEETING OF THE COMMUNICATION, ELECTRICAL,
ELECTRONIC, ENERGY, INFORMATION, POSTAL, PLUMBING AND ALLIED SERVICES
UNION OF AUSTRALIA
PLUMBING DIVISION – QUEENSLAND BRANCH**

**SPECIAL GENERAL MEETING OF THE PLUMBERS & GASFITTERS EMPLOYEES'
UNION QUEENSLAND, UNION OF EMPLOYEES**

MINUTES

SPECIAL GENERAL MEETING OF EACH UNION HELD AT 41 PEEL STREET, SOUTH
BRISBANE ON 20 DECEMBER 2010 AT 5.30 PM

PRESENT:

Andrew Battersby, B. O'Carroll, G. O'Halloran, M. King, Justin Maxwell, A. Cowling, G. Winders, M. Colwell, G. Robinson, M. Newlands, N. Lupton, P. Mulholland, P. Dahl' L Kann, K Kerby, J Gullestrup, M. Wiech and R. Newman

APOLOGIES:

Andy Burn

President A. Battersby opened the 2010 Special General Meeting.

The State Secretary, Brad O'Carroll thanked everyone for attending.

Union Elections

The Secretary advised the meeting that Union elections will be held in 2011 and that the Committee of each union is currently made of 15 positions, being the President, State Secretary, Vice President, Assistant State Secretary, 2 Trustees, 2 Elected Organisers and 7 Ordinary Committee Members. He went on to explain that he believed the Unions' key decision making in running the unions should be made by a Committee of members and not employees of the union(s) and therefore the Committee of Management of each union had made a recommendation to reduce the number of elected organiser positions from two to one.

The Secretary also explained that with the current number of positions on the Committee we required 8 members to form a quorum and that in recent times this had become difficult. He explained that he believed a smaller Committee made up of active members who were willing to attend all Committee meetings would be more productive and by reducing the number of Ordinary Committee members to 5 we wouldn't need as many members to form a quorum which the Committee believed would be more manageable.

Moved: M.King / P Dahl

That this special meeting of members of the CEPU Plumbing Division Queensland Branch determines to establish the office of Branch Organiser for the Branch.

And further, that there will be one Branch Organiser elected at the 2011 elections and for all future elections.

This resolution is:

- not intended to affect the constitution of the branch committee of management prior to the 2011 election;
- subject to any future determination by any special meeting of members; and
- intended to replace any previous resolutions establishing the office of Branch Organiser.

Carried

Moved: N. Lupton / M. Newland

That this special meeting of members of the PGEU determines to establish the office of Organiser for the union.

And further, that there will be one Organiser elected at the 2011 elections and for all future elections.

This resolution is:

- not intended to affect the constitution of the committee of management prior to the 2011 election;
- subject to any future determination by any special meeting of members; and
- intended to replace any previous resolutions establishing the office of Organiser.

Carried

Moved: G O'Halloran / M. Colwell

That this special meeting of members of the CEPU Plumbing Division Queensland Branch determines that the number of Branch Committee Members for the Branch at and from the 2011 elections shall be five (5).

This resolution is:

- not intended to affect the constitution of the branch committee of management prior to the 2011 election;
- subject to any future determination by any special meeting of members; and
- intended to replace any previous resolutions determining the number of Branch Committee Members.

Carried

Meeting closed at 5.50pm

 **MOUTEVELIS, Michael**

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Subject: E2011/2519
Attachments: E2011_2519 CEPU PLU QLD Pl.pdf; 128V CEPU Plumbing 128V-PLU _8-05-07_.pdf

Dear AEC

Please find attached prescribed information and a copy of the current rulebook for an upcoming election for the Communications, Electrical, Electronic, Energy, Information, Postal, Plumbing and Allied Services Union of Australia, Plumbing Division Queensland Branch.

Regards

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PRESCRIBED INFORMATION AND SIGNED STATEMENT

Statement

I, Bradley O'Carroll, being the Branch Secretary of the Communications, Electrical, Electronic, Energy, Information, Postal, Plumbing and Allied Services Union of Australia, Plumbing Division, Queensland Branch, make the following statement:

I am the Branch Secretary of the Communications, Electrical, Electronic, Energy, Information, Postal, Plumbing and Allied Services Union of Australia, Plumbing Division, Queensland Branch. I am authorised to lodge the following prescribed information concerning forthcoming elections in the Queensland Branch of the Plumbing Division of the Communications, Electrical, Electronic, Energy, Information, Postal, Plumbing and Allied Services Union of Australia, and

I confirm that the following information is being lodged under subsection 189(1) of the Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Act 2009

Signed:

BMO' Carroll

Dated:

03/02/11

Prescribed information

Offices/Positions

Branch President (1) (Direct Voting System)
Branch Vice-President (1) (DVS)
Branch Secretary (1) (DVS)
Branch Assistant Secretary (1) (DVS)
Branch Trustees (2) (DVS)
Branch Organiser (1) (DVS)
Branch Committee Members (5) (DVS)
Federal Vice President (1) (DVS)
Federal Councilor (1) (DVS)



Reasons for election:

Election for each of the offices is required as the terms of office are due to expire in the normal course of events under the rules of the organisation.

Elected by: The electorate for the direct voting system is the whole of the Branch.

Nominations open: The first Monday in April (4 April 2011)

Nominations close: The last Monday in April (25 April 2011)

Cut off date for roll: 7 days prior to the opening date for nominations – rule 49.9.

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