

CONSTRUCTION, FORESTRY, MINING & ENERGY UNION

Construction & General Division Queensland Construction Workers' Divisional Branch FFTS Union Division

(The Construction, Forestry, Mining & Energy, Industrial Union of Employees, Queensland) (Federated Engine Drivers' and Firemen's Association of Australasia, Queensland Branch, Union of Employees)

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30 September 2002

Industrial Registrar Australian Industrial Registry Level 80 80 William Street EAST SYDNEY NSW 2011

Dear Sir/Madam,

Re: Workplace Relations Act 1996 s271A - Application for Certificate

I am Secretary of the Construction, Forestry, Mining and Energy Union Queensland Branch ("the Branch") and occupied that position for the financial year ending 31 December 2001 ("the financial year"). I am authorised under the rules to act on behalf of the Branch.

Pursuant to section 271A of the Workplace Relations Act 1996 ("the Act"), I hereby apply for a certificate of exemption for the Branch in respect of the financial year.

In support of this application I submit as follows;

- 1. The CFMEU consists of a number of Divisions.
- 2. There exists a number of Divisional Branches (or in the case of the Mining and Energy Division, District Branches) within these Divisions. Such Divisional (or District) Branches function within a designated geographical area, in most cases being the State of Territory in which they are established.
- 3. The CFMEU and each Division and Divisional (or District) Branch thereof submit annual financial returns in accordance with Part IX Division 11 of the Act.
- 4. The CFMEU State Branches, including the Branch, consist of the members and officers of each Divisional (or District) Branch in each State or Territory.
- 5. The Branch has not traded or carried out financial transactions of any kind during the financial year.
- 6. The Branch has not had an account with the Bank or any other financial institution nor has it had custody of any real property or monies during the financial year.
- 7. Accordingly the Branch had no reason to keep accounting records during the financial year.
- 8. Notwithstanding the above, the Branch has functioned in accordance with the rules of the CFMEU including the rules relating to branches.

Yours faithfully,

Wallace Trohear

STATE SECRETARY

CFMEU - Queensland Branch

Workplace Relations Act 1996 s.271A certificate of exemption from requirements of Part IX, Division 11

Construction, Forestry, Mining and Energy Union (FR2002/718)

CERTIFICATE

On 30 September 2002 an application was made under section 271A(1) of the Workplace Relations Act 1996 for a certificate of exemption by the Queensland Branch of the Construction, Forestry, Mining and Energy Union, in respect of the financial year ending 31 December 2001. I am satisfied that the branch did not have any financial affairs in the financial year ending 31 December 2001.



Robin Godfrey
DEPUTY INDUSTRIAL REGISTRAR

4 October 2002



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Mr W Trohear State Secretary Queensland Branch Construction Forestry Mining & Energy Union 366 Upper Roma Street BRISBANE QLD 4000

Dear Mr Trohear

Re: Application for certificate of exemption from requirements of Part IX, Division 11 of the Workplace Relations Act

I refer to your application dated 30 September 2002 for a certificate of exemption under subsection 271A of the *Workplace Relations Act 1996* (the Act) in respect of the Queensland Branch of the Construction Forestry Mining & Energy Union for the financial year ending 31 December 2001.

I have granted the application. My certificate is enclosed.

Subsection 271A(2) of the Act provides that a certificate of exemption issued by a Registrar to a branch of an organisation in respect of a financial year exempts the branch from the requirements of Part IX, Division 11 in respect of the financial year.

In relation to future applications by the branch under subsection 271A(1) of the Act, I draw your attention to the provisions of subsection 271A(3):-

"The application must be made to the Registrar within 90 days, or such longer period as the Registrar allows, after the end of the financial year".

Should you wish to discuss this letter please contact me on 02 8374 6509

Yours sincerely,

Robin Godfrey Deputy Industrial Registrar

4 October 2002