



FAIR WORK
COMMISSION

25 February 2014

Mr Aaron Cartledge
State Secretary
South Australian Branch
Construction, Forestry, Mining and Energy Union
Level 1, 32 South Terrace
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Dear Mr Cartledge

S.271 Certificate of Exemption - Construction, Forestry, Mining and Energy Union, South Australian Branch - for year ending 31 December 2013 (FR2013/431)

I refer to the application dated 14 February 2014 which was lodged with the Fair Work Commission on 18 February 2014 for a certificate of exemption under s271 of the *Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Act 2009* in respect of the South Australian Branch of the Construction, Forestry, Mining and Energy Union for the financial year ending 31 December 2013.

The application has been granted and the certificate is enclosed.

Yours sincerely

David Vale
Principal Adviser
Regulatory Compliance Branch
Fair Work Commission



CERTIFICATE

Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Act 2009

s.271—Certificate of exemption from requirements of Chapter 8, Part 3

Construction, Forestry, Mining and Energy Union
(FR2013/431)

MR ENRIGHT

MELBOURNE, 25 FEBRUARY 2014

Certificate of exemption from the requirements of Chapter 8, Part 3 of the Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Act 2009

[1] On 18 February 2014 an application was made under s.271(1) of the *Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Act 2009* (the Act) by the South Australian Branch of the Construction, Forestry, Mining and Energy Union (the reporting unit) for a certificate of exemption in respect of the financial year ended 31 December 2013.

[2] The application states that:

- the reporting unit has not traded or carried out financial transactions of any kind and has not expended economic resources or incurred financial obligations to conduct its activities;
- various Divisional/District Branches within South Australia expend their own economic resources and incur financial obligations so that the reporting unit may conduct its activities; and
- no person or body corporate or trust expends its own economic resources or incurs financial obligations so that the reporting unit may conduct its activities.

[3] I am satisfied that the Branch is a reporting unit that did not have any financial affairs in respect of the financial year ended 31 December 2013.



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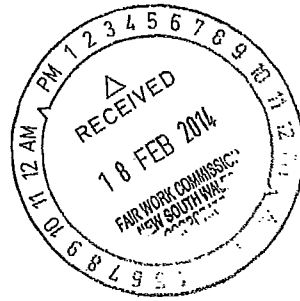
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The General Manager
Fair Work Australia
Level 8, 80 William Street
East Sydney NSW 2011

14th February 2014

Dear Sir/Madam,

**Re: *Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Act 2009*
Application for Certificate**

I am Secretary of the Construction, Forestry, Mining and Energy Union South Australian Branch (the Branch) and occupied that position for the financial year ending 31st December 2013 (the financial year).

Pursuant to s271 of the *Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Act 2009*, 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 or 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 chapter 8 of the Act.
4. 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 had an account with a bank or any other financial institution nor has it had custody of any real property or monies during the financial year.
6. The Branch had no reason to keep accounting records and did not have any financial affairs during the financial year.

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7. The Branch has not traded or carried out financial transactions of any kind and has not expended economic resources or incurred any financial obligations to conduct its activities during the financial year.
8. The various Divisional/District Branches within the State of South Australia expend their own economic resources and incur financial obligations so that the Branch may conduct its activities.
9. No person or body corporate or trust expends its own economic resources or incurs financial obligations so that the Branch may conduct its activities.
10. Notwithstanding the above, the Branch has functioned in accordance with the rules of the CFMEU including the rules relating to Branches.

Yours faithfully,

Aaron Cartledge
Secretary
CFMEU South Australian Branch

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