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Dear Madam,

**CPSU, THE COMMUNITY AND PUBLIC SECTOR UNION, VICTORIAN BRANCH
OF THE SPSF GROUP – RESULTS OF ELECTIONS – E NOS. 3015 and 3040 of 2000.**

Notice of the result of the elections is attached. A copy has been sent to each candidate.

The elections are now complete.

The Australian Electoral Commission welcomes your written comments regarding the conduct of this election including any matters that concern your rules or the conduct of future elections.

Yours faithfully

Ronald A Cook
Returning Officer
1 May 2000



Copies to:

The Industrial Registrar, Principal Registry, GPO Box 1994S, MELBOURNE VIC 3001

Director, Non-Parliamentary Elections Section, CENTRAL OFFICE

DECLARATION OF RESULTS OF UNCONTESTED OFFICES

Election: E No 3015 of 2000

**CPSU, The Community and Public Sector Union
Victorian Branch of the SPSF Group**

Office: Branch President

Candidate/s: **Number of Vacancies:** 1

GOODALL Kelvin

Office: Branch Vice-President

Candidate/s: **Number of Vacancies:** 2

LILYWHITE Peter

MEAD Judith

Office: Branch Secretary

Candidate/s: **Number of Vacancies:** 1

BATT Karen

Office: Branch Assistant Secretary

Candidate/s: **Number of Vacancies:** 1

KEOGH Peter

Office: Executive Councillor (Country Representative)

Candidate/s: **Number of Vacancies:** 1

WALTON Jim

Office: Delegate to Branch Council - Electorate 1

Candidate/s: **Number of Vacancies:** 5

FARRELL	Michael
HUGHES	Christine
O'FARRELL	Jo
ROOSE	Mary
SULLIVAN	Mary

Office: Delegate to Branch Council - Electorate 2

Candidate/s:	Number of Vacancies:	1
BRUZZESE	Rosalia	

Office: Delegate to Branch Council - Electorate 3

Candidate/s:	Number of Vacancies:	3
BARNES	Jeremy	
LISTON	Andrew	
WADSWORTH	Richard	

Office: Delegate to Branch Council - Electorate 4

Candidate/s:	Number of Vacancies:	3
CORNELIUS	Gwen	
ZEALLEY	Pauline	

Office: Delegate to Branch Council - Electorate 5

Candidate/s:	Number of Vacancies:	4
DEAN	Ron	
FREE	Elizabeth	
RENSHAW	Mark	

Office: Delegate to Branch Council - Electorate 6

Candidate/s: **Number of Vacancies: 3**

DONOHUE Michael

NUGARA David

WOODROFFE Alan

Office: Delegate to Branch Council - Electorate 7

Candidate/s: **Number of Vacancies: 2**

GOULDEN Ian

VITUE Mia

Office: Delegate to Branch Council - Electorate 8

Candidate/s: **Number of Vacancies: 2**

SHAW Heather

Office: Delegate to Branch Council - Electorate 9

Candidate/s: **Number of Vacancies: 2**

CRANE John

TAYLOR Susan

Office: Delegate to Branch Council - Electorate 10

Candidate/s: **Number of Vacancies: 2**

BOURKE Richard

SPENCE Rodney

Office: Delegate to Branch Council - Electorate 11

Candidate/s: **Number of Vacancies: 2**

KENNELLY Ronald Francis

THOMAS

Ian Russell

As the number of nominations accepted did not exceed the number of vacancies, a ballot was not necessary. Accordingly, I declare the abovenamed candidate/s elected unopposed.



Ronald A Cook
Returning Officer

1 May 2000

WORKPLACE RELATIONS ACT 1996
s.214 arrangement for conduct of an election

CPSU, the Community and Public Sector Union
(E No. 3015 of 2000)

T. NASSIOS
DEPUTY INDUSTRIAL REGISTRAR

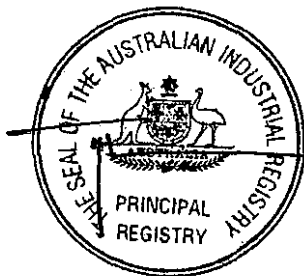
MELBOURNE, 18 FEBRUARY 2000

DECISION

On 14 and 17 February 2000, the Victorian Branch of the SPSF Group of the abovementioned organisation lodged in the Industrial Registry the prescribed information in relation to an election for the following offices:

Branch President
Branch Vice-Presidents (2)
Branch Secretary
Branch Assistant Secretary
Executive Councillor (Country Representative)
Delegates to Branch Council from the following electorates:
Electorate 1 (5)
Electorate 2 (1)
Electorate 3 (3)
Electorate 4 (3)
Electorate 5 (4)
Electorate 6 (3)
Electorate 7 (2)
Electorate 8 (2)
Electorate 9 (2)
Electorate 10 (2)

I am satisfied that an election for the abovementioned offices is required to be held under the rules of the organisation and, under subsection 214(2) of the Workplace Relations Act 1996, I am making arrangements for the conduct of the election by the Australian Electoral Commission.





AUSTRALIAN INDUSTRIAL REGISTRY

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Ms. K. Batt
Branch Secretary
CPSU, the Community and Public Sector Union
SPSF Group, Victorian Branch
Box 99, Victorian Trades Hall
54 Victoria Street
CARLTON SOUTH VIC 3053

Dear Ms. Batt,

**Arrangement for the conduct of an election in accordance with
section 214 of the Workplace Relations Act 1996**

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

Any enquiries in relation to the conduct of the subject election should be directed in the first instance to the Australian Electoral Commission, Victoria, telephone : (03) 9285 7150.

Yours sincerely,

Larry Powell
Statutory Services Branch

18 February 2000



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SPSF Group
Victorian Branch
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54 Victoria Street
CARLTON SOUTH VIC 3053

Dear Ms. Batt,

Re: Arrangements for the conduct of an election - S214 of the Workplace Relations Act 1996 - E No. 3015 of 2000

Thank you for your letter dated 10 February 2000 and attached document relating to an application for arrangements to be made for the conduct of an election by the Australian Electoral Commission. The documents were lodged in the Industrial Registry on 14 February 2000.

The documents will be examined in due course and you will be further advised.

Should you wish to discuss the matter in the meantime, please contact Mr. Larry Powell on (03) 96538472.

In reply please quote: LP/090VVICS/E3015/2000

Yours sincerely,

Clency Lapierre
Statutory Services Branch

14 February 2000



Community and Public Sector Union

SPSF Group • Victorian Branch

17 February 2000

The Industrial Registrar
Australian Industrial Registry
80 Collins Street
MELBOURNE 3000

Dear Sir,

CPSU, SPSF GROUP, VICTORIAN BRANCH ELECTION REQUEST.

Further to my letter of 15 February 2000, I write to correct two errors in the stated numbers of members in particular electorates.

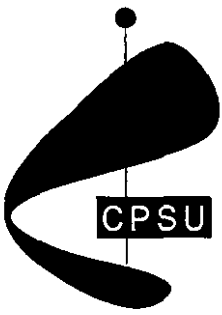
The correct number of members in Electorate 8 as at 31 December 1999 was 408 and not 399 as stated, and the correct number of members in Electorate 10 as at 31 December 1999 was 414 and not 407 as stated.

Yours Faithfully

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Karen Batt
Branch Secretary
CPSU, SPSF Group, Victorian Branch

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17 February 2000

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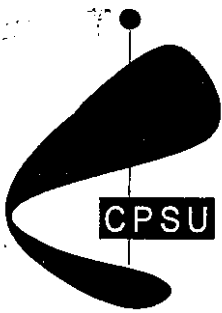
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Karen Batt
Branch Secretary
CPSU, SPSF Group, Victorian Branch



15 February 2000

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Australian Industrial Registry
80 Collins Street
MELBOURNE 3000

Dear Sir,

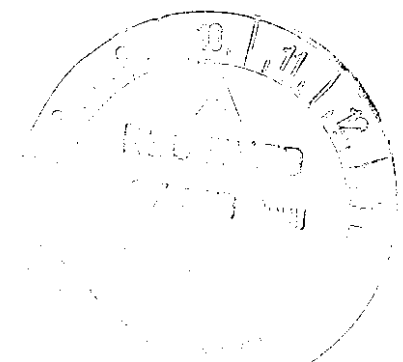
CPSU, SPSF GROUP, VICTORIAN BRANCH ELECTION REQUEST.

I refer to the prescribed information required under Regulation 61(1) and the statement required under Regulation 61(2) in relation to forthcoming Victorian Branch elections that was lodged with my letter of 10 February 2000.

It has been brought to my attention that the number of members in each electorate and the number of Delegates to the Branch Council to be elected from each electorate were inadvertently omitted from the prescribed information.

The relevant information (as at 31 December 1999) is as follows :

Electorate 1	1695	5 Delegates
Electorate 2	138	1 Delegate
Electorate 3	936	3 Delegates
Electorate 4	1023	3 Delegates
Electorate 5	1533	4 Delegates
Electorate 6	1082	3 Delegates
Electorate 7	582	2 Delegates
Electorate 8	399	2 Delegates
Electorate 9	485	2 Delegates
Electorate 10	407	2 Delegates
Electorate 11	Nil	0 Delegates

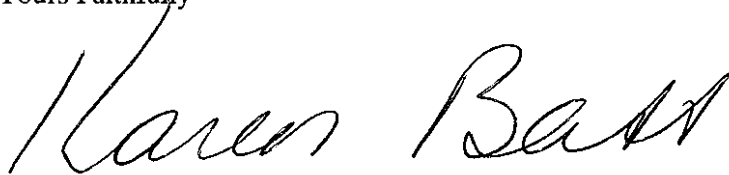


Please note that the situation whereby there are no members allocated to Electorate 11 arises due to that electorate being made up of persons whose eligibility for membership arose through the operation of a Section 202 Agreement that no longer applies to the Victorian Branch.

Proposed alterations to the SPSF Group Rules and the Victorian Branch Rules designed to confer voting and representation rights on that same group of persons are currently the subject of discussions between the Registry and this Branch. Should these rule alterations be certified, the number of persons in Electorate 11 would be 667 and the number of Delegates would be 2.

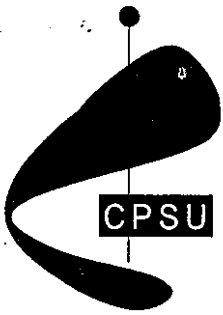
Please contact Mike Hansen on 96671815 if you have any queries or wish to discuss this matter.

Yours Faithfully

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Karen Batt
Branch Secretary
CPSU, SPSF Group, Victorian Branch

E 3015 of 2000.



Community and Public Sector Union

SPSF Group • Victorian Branch

10 February 2000

The Industrial Registrar
Australian Industrial Registry
80 Collins Street
MELBOURNE 3000

Dear Sir,

CPSU, SPSF GROUP, VICTORIAN BRANCH ELECTION REQUEST.

Please find attached the prescribed information required under Regulation 61(1) and the statement required under Regulation 61(2) in relation to elections required by the Victorian Branch under the rules of the CPSU, SPSF Group.

In lodging these documents I wish to draw your attention to two matters.

Firstly, in relation to the requirement of CPSU, SPSF Group Rule 54A that each election shall be conducted so that the result is declared not earlier than the 1st May and not later than the 30th June in each election year, the Victorian Branch Council has resolved that these elections be conducted so that the result is declared and that the persons elected take office with effect from 1 June 2000.

Secondly, you will note that that the prescribed information refers to two (2) Vice President positions whereas the Victorian Branch Rules currently provide for one (1) such position. On 16 December 1999, documentation was lodged in the Registry notifying alterations to the Branch Rules to provide for a second Vice President position. The conduct of an election for a second position will obviously be contingent on the certification of those alterations.

Please contact Mike Hansen on 96671815 if you have any queries or wish to discuss this request.

Yours Faithfully

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Karen Batt
Branch Secretary
CPSU, SPSF Group, Victorian Branch

WORKPLACE RELATIONS ACT 1996

IN THE MATTER OF the CPSU, the Community and Public Sector Union, State Public Services Federation Group, Victorian Branch.

AND

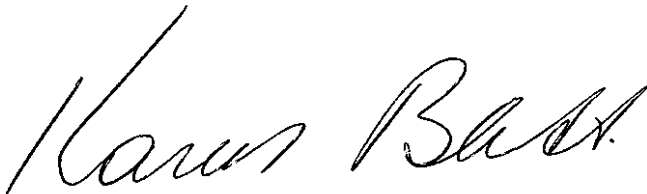
IN THE MATTER OF a request pursuant to Section 214 of the Act for the Registrar to arrange for the conduct of certain elections by the Australian Electoral Commission.

STATEMENT BY AUTHORISED OFFICER : REGULATION 61(2)

I, KAREN BATT, of 54 Victoria Street, Carlton South in the State of Victoria, Union Official, state that I am the Branch Secretary of the CPSU, the Community and Public Sector Union, State Public Services Federation Group, Victorian Branch and am duly authorised to sign this statement that the information in the accompanying document is being lodged in accordance with subsection 214 (1) of the Act.

DATED this 10th day of February 2000.

SIGNED

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**Karen Batt
Branch Secretary
CPSU, SPSF Group
Victorian Branch**

WORKPLACE RELATIONS ACT 1996

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AND

IN THE MATTER OF a request pursuant to Section 214 of the Act for the Registrar to arrange for the conduct of certain elections by the Australian Electoral Commission.

PRESCRIBED INFORMATION IN RESPECT OF ELECTION : REGULATION 61(1)

The following information is lodged in accordance with Regulation 61 of the Act in relation to elections required by the CPSU, SPSF Group, Victorian Branch.

1. In accordance with CPSU, SPSF Group Rule 54A elections are required to be conducted for the Branch Officer positions as specified under Rule 7 of the Branch Rules, ie,
 - Branch President,
 - Branch Vice Presidents (2),
 - Branch Secretary,
 - Branch Assistant Secretary,
 - Executive Councillor (Country Representative)
2. In accordance with CPSU, SPSF Group Rule 54A elections are required to be conducted for the positions of Delegates to the Branch Council as specified under Rules 8 and 9 of the Branch Rules.
3. The reasons for these elections are that as follows :
 - (a) In the case of the Branch Officers, CPSU, SPSF Group Rule Rule 54A requires that each Branch shall elect its Branch Officers four yearly. The previous elections for these positions were conducted in 1996.
 - (b) In the case of the Delegates to the Branch Council, CPSU, SPSF Group Rule 54A, together with Victorian Branch Rule 8 requires that the Victorian Branch shall elect its Delegates to the Branch Council four yearly. The previous elections for these positions were conducted in 1996.

4. CPSU, SPSF Group Rule 54A specifies the procedures for conducting these elections. It provides that the returning officer shall fix the date on which nominations close, and that nominations shall be called for at least 14 days prior to the date on which nominations close. The rule further specifies that each election shall be conducted so that the result is declared not earlier than the 1st May and not later than the 30th June in each election year.
5. The voting system to be employed is a direct voting system, and CPSU, SPSF Group Rule 57C provides that the election shall be by secret ballot and shall be conducted by the proportional preferential voting system as set out in the Schedule to the Group rules.

DATED this 10th day of February 2000.

SIGNED

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**Karen Batt
Branch Secretary
CPSU, SPSF Group
Victorian Branch**