

*Workplace Relations Act 1996*  
s.189 of Schedule 1B - arrangement for conduct of an election

**Finance Sector Union of Australia**  
(E2005/113)

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DEPUTY INDUSTRIAL REGISTRAR

MELBOURNE, 22 JUNE 2005

*Arrangement for conduct of election.*

**DECISION**

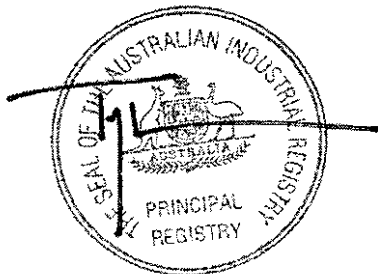
[1] On 20 June 2005 the Queensland Branch of the abovenamed organisation lodged in the Industrial Registry prescribed information in relation to elections for the following offices:

President  
Vice President (Banking/Finance)  
Vice President (Insurance)  
President/Branch Committee Member from each of the following Councils:

Insurance, Wool Broking and Trustee Company Council  
Westpac Council  
National Australia Bank Council  
ANZ Council  
"Other Employees" Council

Branch National Conference Delegates (2)  
Branch Deputy National Executive Delegate

[2] I am satisfied that elections for the abovenamed offices are required to be held under the rules of the organisation and, under subsection 189(3) of Schedule 1B of the Workplace Relations Act 1996, I am making arrangements for the conduct of the elections by the Australian Electoral Commission.



**Finance Sector Union of Australia - QLD Branch - E2005/113**

Scheduled election - offices requested:

President, Vice President (Banking and Finance), Vice President (Insurance),  
President/Branch Committee Member from each of the following Councils:  
Insurance, Wool Broking and Trustee Company Council  
Westpac Council  
National Australia Bank Council  
ANZ Council  
"Other Employees" Council  
Branch National Conference Delegate (2)  
Deputy Branch National Executive Delegate

Do the rules provide for the offices:

Yes see rules 38.4.1.6, 23.1.2 & 29.2

formula for Brch National Conf delegate - r23.1.2 Brch fin m'ship as at 1 May preceding  
election 8,001 to 12,000 = 2 Delegates - (Brch has 6038 financial members)

Do rules provide for method of election in accordance with Act:

Yes: Pres, Vice-Presidents, Pres/Brch C'tee Members- **DVS** r38.4.3.5  
Deputy Brch Nat Executive Delegate & Brch Nat Conference Delegate - **collegiate election**  
by & from Brch C'tee r38.4.3 & 29.2

Terms of office

Pres, Vice-Presidents, Pres/Brch C'tee Members, Deputy Brch Nat Executive Delegate & Brch Nat  
Conference Delegate - **2 years** - r38.4.2 & 29.2  
Secretary & Assistant Secretary - **4 years** - r38.4.2 **NOT REQUESTED WHY? see below**  
shall hold office for term or until successor elected etc

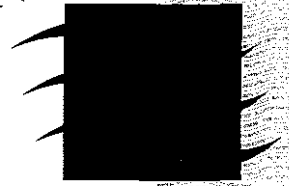
Last schedule elections

E2003/184 - for abovementioned requested offices **therefore terms due to expire 2005**  
E2003/299 - for Secretary therefore **term due to expire 3 March 2008**  
Branch does NOT have an Assistant Secretary

PI in compliance with Act & Regulations - **ELECTION DUE**

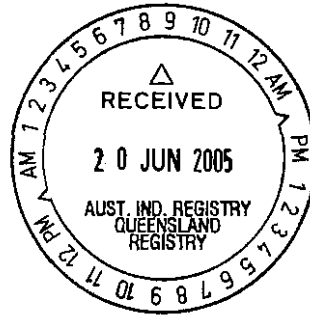
Paul Herrod  
20 June 2005

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17 June 2005



The Deputy Industrial Registrar  
Australian Industrial Registry  
PO Box 5713  
**Brisbane Central Plaza Qld 4001**

Dear Deputy Industrial Registrar,

**Re: Finance Sector Union of Australia –  
Election for Office – Queensland Branch**

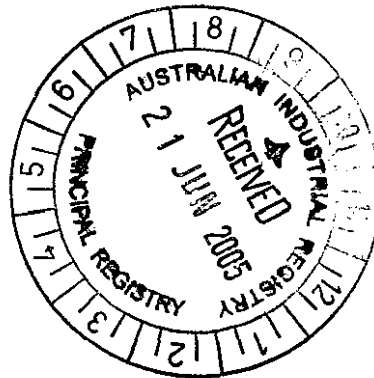
I, Michael Clifford, Branch Secretary of the Queensland Branch of the Finance Sector Union of Australia make the following statement:

I am the Branch Secretary of the Queensland Branch of the Finance Sector Union of Australia.

I am authorised to lodge the following prescribed information concerning the forthcoming election in the Queensland Branch, and confirm that the following information is being lodged in accordance with subsection 189(1) of the RAO Schedule.

Yours faithfully

Michael Clifford  
Branch Secretary.



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## **PRESCRIBED INFORMATION**

### **Offices/Positions**

The names of the offices in respect of which an election is required is:

- a) Branch President  
Vice-President (Banking and Finance)  
Vice-President (Insurance)
- b) President/Branch Committee Member (Insurance, Wookbroking and Trustee Company Council)  
President/Branch Committee Member (Westpac Council)  
President/Branch Committee Member (National Australia Bank Council)  
President/Branch Committee Member (ANZ Council)  
Other Employees Council
- c) Conference Delegates (2) (determined as per rule 23.1.2 – 6,038 members)  
Deputy National Executive Delegate

### **Reasons for Election**

The reason for the election is that the terms of office expire on 31 October, 2005.

### **Elected by**

- a) In terms of a) above, the election is to be conducted by a direct voting system with the electorate being all financial members of the Branch (38.4.3.1)
- b) In terms of b) above, the election is to be conducted by a direct voting system with the electorate being the financial members in the Branch of the Section which they represent (38.4.3.5)
- c) In terms of c) above, the election is to be conducted by a collegiate voting system from the newly elected Branch Committee (38.4.3.4 and 29.2 respectively)

### **Other Information**

I wish to bring to your attention the following in relation to the required election:

The Union's rules contain a provision, sub rule 43.3.5A, regarding the cut off of the roll seven days prior to the opening of nominations.