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Ms. C. Game
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New South Wales Division
National Tertiary Education Industry Union
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Dear Ms. Game,

**Re: Applications for certificate of exemption from requirements of Chapter 8, Part 3,
of Schedule 1B of the Workplace Relations Act 1996 - FR 2005/351 and 2005/357.**

I refer to your applications for certificates of exemption under subsection 271(1) of Schedule 1B the *Workplace Relations Act 1996* ('the Act'), in respect of the College of Law Branch and the Australian Film Television and Radio School Branch of the National Tertiary Education Industry Union, for the financial year ended 30 June 2005.

I have granted the applications. My certificates are enclosed.

Yours sincerely,



T. Nassios
Deputy Industrial Registrar

15 February 2006



Workplace Relations Act 1996

s.271 certificate of exemption from requirements of Chapter 8, Part 3, Schedule 1B

National Tertiary Education Industry Union
(FR2005/351)

CERTIFICATE

On 29 August 2005 an application was made under subsection 271(1) of Schedule 1B of the *Workplace Relations Act 1996* for a certificate of exemption by the College of Law Branch of the National Tertiary Education Industry Union, in respect of financial year ended 30 June 2005. I am satisfied that the said Branch is a reporting unit that did not have any financial affairs in the year ended 30 June 2005.



Terry Nassids
DEPUTY INDUSTRIAL REGISTRAR

15 February 2006



Clency Lapierre
Team Manager
Australian Industrial Registry
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80 Collins Street
MELBOURNE VIC 3000

August 24th, 2005

Dear Mr Lapierre

Re: S271A of Workplace Relations Act 1996

I advise that the College of Law Branch did not have any financial affairs during the 2005 tax year and has no intention of conducting any affairs in the future due to the small number of members and size of the College.

I enclose application for exemption which is the same as submitted last year with the exception of the date.

Please contact me if you require any further information.

Yours faithfully

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Christina Game', is written over a horizontal line.

Ms Christina Game
NSW State Secretary

NTEU (NSW)

S271A OF WORKPLACE RELATIONS ACT 1996

Issues to be addressed

1. Does the branch hold an interest in any real or personal property? If yes, does it derive any income or incur any liabilities in relation to such property?
Did the branch engage in any financial transactions in relation to such property in the last financial year?
 - *The branch of the NTEU holds no interest in any real or personal property of any kind.*
2. Does the branch act as a trustee in any form?
If so, what is the nature of the trust?
Does such a role involve any financial transactions of any description?
Did the branch engage in any financial transactions in relation to such trusts in the last financial year?
 - *The branch of the NTEU does not act as a trustee in any form.*
3. Does the branch have any funds under the rules of the organisation?
 - *The branch has no funds of any kind.*
4. Is the branch structure closely mirrored in the form of another organisation such as a State registered union ('associated body')? If so, what is the name of that body?
What legislation, if any, regulates that body in its (financial) accounting to its members?
Is the membership of the branch and the associated body identical?
If not, in what way does it differ? Is there a formal agreement between the organisation and an "associated body" in relation to the provision of services to the branch by the associated body?
 - *The branch of the NTEU is not associated or affiliated with any other branch staff association nor is it associated or affiliated with an industry body of any kind except for our parent body, the National Tertiary Education Industry Union.*
5. How do members of the branch pay dues or levies payable under the rules of the organisation ?
 - *Members of the branch pay union dues to the parent body, the National Tertiary Education Industry Union. The branch collects no dues.*
6. How does the branch pay dues or levies or any other payments that may be imposed under the rules of the organisation to the federal or other body of the organisation under the rules of the organisation ?
 - *The branch of the NTEU is not required to pay dues to the NTEU. All dues required by the NTEU are paid by individual members.*
7. How does the branch secure the funds, if any, required to discharge its obligations as a branch of the organisation as provided in the rules of the organisation ?
 - *The branch of the NTEU has never needed any funds in order to discharge its obligations.*
8. Has the branch at any time in the past produced financial accounts, in particular, statements of income and expenditure and balance sheets ?
If so, what has altered in the circumstances which has led to the discontinuance of this practice?
 - *The branch has not, at any time, produced financial accounts of any kind.*
9. In addition to your answers to the above specific questions what are the circumstances which the branch believes warrant the issuing of a certificate in accordance with s271A?