



22 June 2013

Mr Samuel Roberts  
Branch Secretary  
National Union of Workers General Branch  
PO Box 343  
NORTH MELBOURNE Vic 3051

Dear Mr Roberts

**Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Act 2009  
Annual Return of Information - AR2013/277**

I acknowledge receipt of your declaration dated 28 March 2013 providing information in accordance with subsection 233(1) of the *Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Act 2009*. I further acknowledge receipt of your declarations dated 23 April 2013 and 17 May 2013 declaring changes to the information previously lodged. The documents lodged cover the required information for the 2013 annual return of the National Union of Workers General Branch.

I however note that section 233 requires declarations made in relation to an organisation's annual return of information to be 'certified by declaration signed by the secretary or other prescribed officer of the organisation to be a correct statement of the information contained in [records kept pursuant to section 230 of the *Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Act 2009*]'.

Therefore, please ensure that future annual returns and declarations of changes satisfy this requirement. Words to the effect of 'The information in this declaration is supplied in accordance with the provisions of the *Fair Work (Registered Organisation) Act 2009* and is a correct statement of the records required to be kept under s230 of that Act' would satisfy this requirement.

If you have any queries relating to the above, please do not hesitate to contact me by email at [olaf.richter@fwc.gov.au](mailto:olaf.richter@fwc.gov.au) or by phone on (03) 8661 7824.

Yours faithfully,

Olaf Richter  
Regulatory Compliance Branch

PR:CG

G13B-073

17 May 2013

Ms B O'Neill  
General Manager  
Fair Work Commission  
GPO Box 1994  
Melbourne VIC 3001

Dear Ms O'Neill,

**Re: s 230 (1) (c) – Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Act 2009**

Please find enclosed a declaration pertaining to the abovementioned section of the Act for the National Union of Workers – General Branch.

Should you require any further information please contact Assistant General Secretary Paul Richardson on 03 9287 1856.

Yours faithfully,



**SAM ROBERTS**  
**GENERAL BRANCH SECRETARY**



*Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Act 2009*

**s 230 (1) (c) – Records to be kept by Organisations**

*Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Regulations 2009*

**DECLARATION**

I, Samuel Franklin Roberts, Branch Secretary, National Union of Workers – General Branch, 833 Bourke Street, Docklands, Victoria 3008 declare as follows:

1. That on 17 April 2013, Wally Matthews resigned from the office of Branch Committee of Management Member (South Australia).
2. That a meeting of the Branch Committee of Management held on 16 May 2013 resolved to appoint Tony Snelson to the office of Branch Committee of Management Member (South Australia).
3. That on 16 May 2013, the Branch Committee of Management received the resignation of Helmut Weise from the office of Branch Committee of Management Member (Queensland) and resolved to appoint Ara Frandi to fill the casual vacancy.
4. That on 16 May 2013, the Branch Committee of Management received the resignation of George Helsham from the office of Branch Committee of Management Member (Queensland) and resolved to appoint Chris Wilkinson to fill the casual vacancy.
5. That on 16 May 2013, the Branch Committee of Management resolved to appoint Ian Madgwick to the office of Branch Committee of Management Member (Market Research) as a consequence of the resignation of Alex McIntosh from the said office.

DECLARED at *Docklands*

in the State of Victoria

this *17<sup>th</sup>* day of *May 2013*



**SAMUEL FRANKLIN ROBERTS**  
**BRANCH SECRETARY**

Before me:



ADAM JOHN PORTELLI  
833 Bourke Street, Docklands Vic 3008  
An Australian Legal Practitioner within the  
meaning of the Legal Profession Act 2004.

Ref: G13B-040

23 April 2013



Ms B O'Neill  
General Manager  
Fair Work Commission  
GPO Box 1994  
Melbourne 3001

Dear Ms O'Neill

**RE: S 230 (1) – Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Act 2009**

I refer to the above and enclose a declaration as to a change of office holders of the General Branch.

Yours sincerely,

**SAM ROBERTS**  
**GENERAL BRANCH SECRETARY**

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*Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Act 2009*

s 230 (1) (c) – Records to be kept by Organisations

*Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Regulations 2009*

**DECLARATION**

I, Samuel Franklin Roberts, Branch Secretary, National Union of Workers – General Branch, 833 Bourke Street, Docklands, Victoria 3008 declare that on 17 April 2013, Wally Matthews resigned from the office of Branch Committee of Management Member (South Australia).

DECLARED at

in the State of Victoria

this 23<sup>rd</sup> day of April 2013



**SAMUEL FRANKLIN ROBERTS**  
**BRANCH SECRETARY**

Before me:



**ADAM JOHN PORTELLI**  
833 Bourke Street, Docklands Vic 3008  
An Australian Legal Practitioner within the  
meaning of the Legal Profession Act 2004.

PR:CG

13A-035

28 March 2013

Mr R Pfeiffer  
Senior Adviser  
Regulatory Compliance Branch  
Fair Work Commission  
GPO BOX 1994  
Melbourne 3001

Dear Mr Pfeiffer

Re: AR 2013/321 - National Union of Workers - National Office and  
AR 2013/277 - National Union of Workers – General Branch

Please find attached annual returns for the above entities as required under Section 230 of the Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Act 2009.

In relation to the requirements of section 230 (1) (d) I have received correspondence from the General Branch requesting that the Union's National Council consider altering the organisation's rules to provide for an office of General Branch Assistant Secretary.

Accordingly, it should be noted that if the National Council approves such alterations and that the same alterations are subsequently approved by the General Manager (or their delegate) that this will require an ordinary election to be held during the current calendar year.

I trust this advise is satisfactory. Should you require any additional information contact Assistant General Secretary Paul Richardson on 03 9287 1856.

Yours faithfully,

  
**CHARLIE DONNELLY**  
**GENERAL SECRETARY**

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**FAIR WORK COMMISSION**

**Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Act 2009**

**Section 230 – Annual Return of Information**

**NATIONAL UNION OF WORKERS – GENERAL BRANCH**

**AR2013/277**

**STATUTORY DECLARATION**

I, Sam Roberts, Union Official of 833 Bourke Street, Docklands Victoria, do solemnly and sincerely declare as follows:

1. I am the Branch Secretary of the National Union of Workers, General Branch (“the Branch”), an organisation of employees registered under the *Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Act 2009*, and I am authorised under the Rules of the National Union of Workers to make this declaration.
2. This declaration is made in accordance with sections 230 – 233 of the *Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Act 2009* and Regulations 147 – 151 of the *Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Regulations 2009*.
3. I certify that a register of members of the Branch was kept and maintained for the immediately preceding calendar year 2012 as required by sections 230 (1) (a) and 230 (2) of the *Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Act 2009*.
4. That Attachment 1 to this declaration is a list of the offices in the Branch. (section 230 (1) (b)).
5. That Attachment 2 to this declaration is a list of the names, postal addresses and occupations of the persons holding offices in the Branch (section 230 (1) (c)).
6. That Attachment 3 to this declaration is a record of the address of the offices of the Branch (section 230 (1) (d) and regulation 147 (d)).
7. That I certify that as at 31 December 2012 the number of persons who were members of the Branch was 11,698 (section 230 (1) (d) and regulation 147 (f))



8. That there are no elections under the rules of the Union required to be held during the year commencing 1 January 2013 (section 230 (1) (d) and regulation 147 (e)).

*And I make this solemn declaration by virtue of the Statutory Declarations Act 1959, and subject to the penalties provided by that Act for the making of false declarations, conscientiously believing the statements contained in this declaration to be true in every particular.*



**SAM ROBERTS**  
**BRANCH SECRETARY – GENERAL BRANCH**  
**NATIONAL UNION OF WORKERS**

Declared at Docklands on 28<sup>th</sup> day of March 2013

BEFORE ME:



**ADAM JOHN PORTELLI**  
833 Bourke Street, Docklands Vic 3008  
An Australian Legal Practitioner within the  
meaning of the Legal Profession Act 2004.

**ATTACHMENT 1**

**LIST OF OFFICES – NATIONAL UNION OF WORKERS – GENERAL  
BRANCH**

Branch President

Branch Secretary

Branch Vice President

Committee Members (13 positions - from each electorate as defined in the Rules)

National Council Delegates (6 positions)

Reserve National Council Delegate

**ATTACHMENT 2**

**LIST OF NAMES, POSTAL ADDRESSES AND OCCUPATIONS OF OFFICE HOLDERS**

<b>OFFICE</b>	<b>NAME</b>	<b>POSTAL ADDRESS</b>	<b>OCCUPATION</b>
President	Doug Stevens  (Resigned 27 June 2012)	833 Bourke Street Docklands Victoria 3008  P.O.Box 343 North Melbourne Victoria 3051	Union Official
President	Dani Shanahan  (appointed to casual vacancy pursuant to Rule 43 on 27 June 2012)	833 Bourke Street Docklands Victoria 3008  P.O.Box 343 North Melbourne Victoria 3051	Union Official
Vice President	Alan Warne	833 Bourke Street Docklands Victoria 3008  P.O.Box 343 North Melbourne Victoria 3051	Food Industry Worker
Branch Secretary	Sam Roberts	833 Bourke Street Docklands Victoria 3008  P.O.Box 343 North Melbourne Victoria 3051	Union Official
Committee Member - Queensland	Dani Shanahan  (Resigned 27 June 2012)	833 Bourke Street Docklands Victoria 3008  P.O.Box 343 North Melbourne Victoria 3051	Union Official
Committee Member - Queensland	Quan Chuc  (appointed to casual vacancy pursuant to Rule 43 on 27 June 2012)	833 Bourke Street Docklands Victoria 3008  P.O.Box 343 North Melbourne Victoria 3051	Union Official

Committee Member - Queensland	Mayumi Tartaglia	833 Bourke Street Docklands Victoria 3008  P.O.Box 343 North Melbourne Victoria 3051	Food Industry Worker
Committee Member - Queensland	Michael Barton	833 Bourke Street Docklands Victoria 3008  P.O.Box 343 North Melbourne Victoria 3051	Storeworker
Committee Member - Queensland	George Helsham	833 Bourke Street Docklands Victoria 3008  P.O.Box 343 North Melbourne Victoria 3051	Storeworker
Committee Member - Queensland	Helmut Weise	833 Bourke Street Docklands Victoria 3008  P.O.Box 343 North Melbourne Victoria 3051	Manufacturing Industry Worker
Committee Member – South Australia	Wally Matthews	833 Bourke Street Docklands Victoria 3008  P.O.Box 343 North Melbourne Victoria 3051	Pharmaceutical Industry Worker
Committee Member – South Australia	Richard O’Connell	833 Bourke Street Docklands Victoria 3008  P.O.Box 343 North Melbourne Victoria 3051	Manufacturing Industry Worker
Committee Member – South Australia	Solomon Deng	833 Bourke Street Docklands Victoria 3008	Union Official

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Committee Member – Market Research	Alex McIntosh (Resigned 23 November 2012 – vacant at the conclusion of the reporting period)	833 Bourke Street Docklands Victoria 3008  P.O.Box 343 North Melbourne Victoria 3051	Union Official
Committee Member – Market Research	Tim Gunstone (appointed to casual vacancy pursuant to Rule 43 on 27 June 2012)	833 Bourke Street Docklands Victoria 3008  P.O.Box 343 North Melbourne Victoria 3051	Union Official
Committee Member - Tasmania	Jill Batt	833 Bourke Street Docklands Victoria 3008  P.O.Box 343 North Melbourne Victoria 3051	Union Official
Committee Member – Forepersons/Defence/etc	Godfrey Moase	833 Bourke Street Docklands Victoria 3008  P.O.Box 343 North Melbourne Victoria 3051	Union Official
Committee Member – Western Australia	Keith Mann	833 Bourke Street Docklands Victoria 3008  P.O.Box 343 North Melbourne Victoria 3051	Wool Industry Worker
National Council Delegate	John Beenham	833 Bourke Street Docklands Victoria 3008  P.O.Box 343 North Melbourne Victoria 3051	Storeworker
National Council Delegate	Alex Falconer	833 Bourke Street Docklands Victoria 3008	Union Official

		P.O.Box 343 North Melbourne Victoria 3051	
National Council Delegate	Mark Schmidt	833 Bourke Street Docklands Victoria 3008  P.O.Box 343 North Melbourne Victoria 3051	Union Official
National Council Delegate	Jill Batt	833 Bourke Street Docklands Victoria 3008  P.O.Box 343 North Melbourne Victoria 3051	Union Official
National Council Delegate	Godfrey Moase  (appointed to casual vacancy pursuant to Rule 43 on 27 June 2012)	833 Bourke Street Docklands Victoria 3008  P.O.Box 343 North Melbourne Victoria 3051	Union Official
National Council Delegate	Paul McGrath	833 Bourke Street Docklands Victoria 3008  P.O.Box 343 North Melbourne Victoria 3051	Union Official
Reserve National Council Delegate	Mark Whenan	833 Bourke Street Docklands Victoria 3008  P.O.Box 343 North Melbourne Victoria 3051	Union Official

**ATTACHMENT 3**

**RECORD OF ADDRESSES OF THE BRANCH**

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