# The Pharmacy Guild of Australia National Office Bearer Election 2008

## DECLARATION OF RESULTS FOR UNCONTESTED OFFICES

Results of the election for the following offices conducted in accordance with the provisions of the Workplace Relations Act 1996 and the rules of the organisation.

E2008/141

#### **National President**

<u>Candidate</u> SCLAVOS , Kosmas Stan

As the number of nominations accepted did not exceed the number of positions to be filled, I declare the above candidates elected.

Rhys Richards Returning Officer

1 October 2008

## Workplace Relations Act 1996 – Schedule 1

## POST ELECTION REPORT

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## **ELECTIONS COVERED IN THIS REPORT**

Election Decision No/s: E2008/141

**RULES** 

Rules difficult to apply/interpret:Rules 55B(j)(ii) (A) (ii), Rules 55B(j)(ii) (B) (ii) & (iii),<br/>Rules 55B(j)(ii) (C)If this election had been contested and a tie result had<br/>occurred between candidates, the above rules would<br/>have been difficult to apply while maintaining the<br/>secrecy of the vote in one ballot - (Determined by Poll<br/>by applying Rule 22 (a) & (b))

Model Rule reference (if any):

## ROLL OF VOTERS - N/A

## **ALLEGATIONS OF IRREGULARITIES RECEIVED**

Details of written allegations of irregularities, and action taken by AEC:	N/A
Other irregularities identified, and action taken:	N/A

## **ATTACHMENTS**

A Declaration of Uncontested Office

Rhys Richards Returning Officer 1 October 2008



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

#### **The Pharmacy Guild of Australia** (E2008/141)

T. NASSIOS DEPUTY INDUSTRIAL REGISTRAR MELBOURNE, 14 APRIL 2008

Arrangement for conduct of election.

## DECISION

[1] On 25 March 2008, the abovenamed organisation lodged in the Industrial Registry the prescribed information in relation to an election for the following office;

#### National President

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

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#### The PHARMACY GUILD of AUSTRALIA NATIONAL SECRETARIAT

File: JL

25 March 2008

The Industrial Registrar Australian Industrial Registry Nauru House GPO Box 1994S MELBOURNE VIC 3001

Attention: Mr Robert Pfeiffer/Ms Margaret Williams

Dear Sir/Madam

In compliance with the provisions of Section 189(1) and Regulation 138 of the RAO Schedule of the Workplace Relations Act 1996, The Pharmacy Guild of Australia submits the following information.

The National Office for which nominations will be called during the twelve month period commencing 1 January 2008 will be the office of National President (1).

Please note that the election for National Vice Presidents which previously was part of the National Elections will, from the 2008 Elections form part of the election for Branch President which will encompass the Branch President, National Councillor and National Vice President Positions. The Guild's Constitution has been amended to allow this election to take place.

The reason for the election is that the current term of office will expire in November 2008. In accordance with the Guild's Constitution, the following will occur:

- 1) If the number of candidates for this office number 2, the National President's election will be conducted under the direct voting system.
- 2) In the event that there are 3 or more candidates, the election will be conducted under a preferential voting system.

Nominations	Dates Opening	<b>Dates Closing</b>
National President	28 August 2008	11 September 2008

It is the wish of the Guild that the 2008 National President's election be conducted by the Australian Electoral Office. A copy of the proposed election timetable for the National President's election is appended thereto. The term of the office will be three years.



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Timothy John Logan National Vice President

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Mr K Sclavos Mr K Schneemann Mrs W Phillips Branch Directors Mr J Taylor

## Election to National Office National President

2008

Councillors-elect Names are received by National Office from Branch Directors following announcement of results of Branch Elections.
Returning Officer calls for nominations from National President from Councillors-elect.
Nominations Close
If only one nomination is received to fill the position of National President, no election is required and the result can be announced by the Returning Officer although the National President-elect will not assume office until the National Council meeting in November.
If more than one nomination received for the office of National President, the Returning Officer shall distribute ballot papers and 'how to vote' instructions with pre-paid envelopes.
Ballot closes at 5pm.
Returning Officer counts ballot papers and announces result.

Finally on the first day of the November 2008 National Council meeting, the Returning Officer declares the official election result.

The term of office for the Guild Office Holders election in accordance with the foregoing will be three years.

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