

Police Federation of Australia
(E2004/216)

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DEPUTY INDUSTRIAL REGISTRAR

MELBOURNE, 30 JUNE 2004

Arrangement for conduct of election.

DECISION

[1] On 18 and 28 June 2004, the Australian Federal Police Association Branch of the abovenamed organisation lodged in the Industrial Registry the prescribed information in relation an election for the following offices;

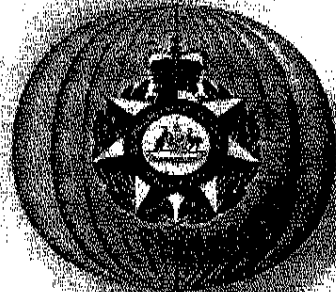
Branch National President
Branch Vice President Federal Operations
Branch Vice President Community Operations
Branch Vice President Policing Operations Support
Branch Vice President Protective Service Operations
Branch Vice President Specialist Operations
Branch Vice President International Operations
Branch Chief Executive Officer

Workplace Delegate representing the Contract Policing Zone (*casual vacancy - for the remainder of the term of office*)

Zone Co-ordinator representing the Forensics Zone (*due to insufficient nominations received at previous election*)

[2] I am satisfied that an election for the abovenamed offices is 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 election by the Australian Electoral Commission.





TO: ROBERT PFEIFFER

FROM: AMANDA AFPA

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DATE: 18-6-2004

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RE:

AUSTRALIAN FEDERAL POLICE ASSOCIATION

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The Registrar
Australian Industrial Registry
Melbourne, Victoria

16 June 2004

Dear Sir,

**STATEMENT AND NOTICE OF PRESCRIBED INFORMATION UNDER
REGULATION 136**

I, Jonathan Kirkness Hunt-Sharman, Branch National President of the Australian Federal Police Association Branch of the Police Federation of Australia, make the following statement:

I am the Branch National President of the Australian Federal Police Association Branch of the Police Federation of Australia. I am also the Federal Vice President of the Police Federation of Australia;

I am authorized to lodge the following prescribed information concerning forthcoming elections in the Australian Federal Police Association Branch of the Police Federation of Australia; and

I confirm that the following information in Attachment A is being lodged under Subsection 189(1) of the RAO schedule.

Yours truly,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Jon Hunt-Sharman", is written over a horizontal line.

Jon Hunt-Sharman
National President
Australian Federal Police Association Branch
Police Federation of Australia

ANNEXURE A

Name of Offices/Positions election is required -

The positions are for Branch Officeholders. The Officers of the Branch are as per Rule 66 (a):-

66 - OFFICERS OF THE BRANCH AND WORKPLACE DELEGATES/DELEGATES TO NATIONAL COUNCIL

- (a) The Officers of the Branch shall be:
- (i) **The Branch National President;**
 - (ii) **The Branch Vice President Federal Operations;**
 - (iii) **The Branch Vice President Community Operations;**
 - (iv) The Branch Vice President Policing Operations Support;
 - (v) The Branch Vice President Protective Service Operations;
 - (vi) The Branch Vice President Specialist Operations
 - (vii) The Branch Vice President International Operations; and
 - (viii) **The Branch Chief Executive Officer.**

NOTE: *Offices in bold indicate the term of office has expired in the normal course of events under the Rules of the Organisation.- 138 (1) (b) (i)*

Offices not in bold indicate that elections are required because they are a new position that has been created under rule 61 of the organization.- 138 (1) (b) (iii)

Reasons for elections-

Elections for the Offices and positions (as above) are marked as either requiring election because the terms of office have expired in the normal course of events under the rules of the organization or are required because they are a new position that has been created under rule 61 of the organization.

Electorate -

The electorate is the Branch National Council delegates as per Rule 67 & 73:-

67 - BRANCH NATIONAL COUNCIL

- (a) The Branch National Council shall consist of:
- (i) the Officers of the Branch; and
 - (ii) Workplace Delegates from each Zone, elected by and from the financial members of each Zone;
 - (iii) each Zone Coordinator as elected in accordance with these Rules, by financial members in each Zone.

- (b) The Coordinator of a Zone shall ex officio be one of the Zone's delegates to the Branch National Council and shall be counted in the number of delegates eligible to be elected.

Collegiate Voting System –

The electorate for the direct voting system is the Branch National Council as per Rule 73

73 - ELECTION OF OFFICERS

(a) Tenure of Office

The Branch Chief Executive Officer and the Branch National President shall be elected by secret ballot by and from the National Council and shall take office from the declaration of their election, and shall hold office for a period of four years or until a successor thereto has been elected and taken office. Such election shall be conducted at every second biennial meeting of Branch National Council, occurring thereafter.

- (aa) The Branch Officers other than the Branch Chief Executive Officer and the Branch National President shall be elected by secret ballot by and from the National Council and shall take office from the declaration of their election, and shall hold office for a period of two years or until a successor thereto has been elected and taken office. Such an election shall be conducted at every biennial meeting of Branch National Council, occurring thereafter.

(b) Qualifications for Office

A nominee for the position of the Branch National President; the Branch Vice President Federal Operations, the Branch Vice President Community Operations; the Branch Vice President Policing Operations Support; the Branch Vice President Protective Service Operations; the Branch Vice President Specialist Operations; the Branch Vice President International Operations and the Branch Chief Executive Officer; shall be a financial member of the Branch as at the date of his/her nomination and;

- (i) shall be a member of the Branch National Council; and
 (ii) nominated by two members of the Branch National Council.

Nominations Open –

As soon as possible but at least 60 days prior to National Council to be held on 31 August 2004.

Nominations Close –

7 days prior to National Council to be held on 31 August 2004

Cut off date for roll –

7 days prior to the opening date for nominations

National Council Financial members as at 17 June 2004: 25 Delegates.

Name of Offices/Positions election is required – 138 (1) (a)

The positions are for:-

- Zone Coordinator- Forensic Zone
- Workplace Delegate- Contract Policing Zone

Reasons for elections- 138 (1) (b) (i) & 138 (1) (b) (iii)

Elections for the Offices and positions (as above) are marked as requiring election because an extraordinary vacancy or casual vacancy has occurred in the normal course of events under the rules or the organization.

Electorate – 138 (1) (d)

- Forensics Zone
- Contract Policing Zone

Direct Voting System – 138 (1) (g) (i)

The electorate for the direct voting system is each respective Zone as per Rule 66 (b)

66 - OFFICERS OF THE BRANCH AND WORKPLACE DELEGATES/DELEGATES TO NATIONAL COUNCIL

(b) There shall be Workplace Delegates who:-

- (i) shall represent the members of the Branch in their workplace to the best of their ability and shall keep their Zone informed on all matters of importance occurring within his/her workplace. It shall also be incumbent on each Workplace Delegate to keep the members in the workplace informed about the business of the Branch; and
 - (a) each zone shall be entitled to workplace representation at National Council on the basis of 1 Workplace Delegate per 100 members, or majority part thereof, each of whom shall be elected from the members within their Zone;
 - (b) a delegate shall be elected for a term of two years,
 - (c) any financial member of the Branch is entitled to nominate for and vote for the position of Workplace Delegate in the Zone to which they have been allocated;

- (d) an extraordinary vacancy for the position of Workplace Delegate shall be filled at a meeting of the relevant Zone Committee in accordance with Rule 96, Clause (g); and
- (e) elections for Workplace Delegates will be conducted in each Zone in accordance with Rule 96, Clause (g).
- (vi) for the purposes of this Rule a Zone Coordinator shall be deemed to be a Workplace Delegate where there is no such position elected within the Zone in accordance with Clause (b), paragraph (i), sub-paragraph (a) of this Rule.

96 - ZONE ELECTION RULE

(a) General

The provisions of this Rule shall apply to all elections for the following offices in a Zone:

- (i) Zone Coordinator; and
- (ii) Workplace Delegate/Delegates to National Council

(c) Qualifications for Office

A nominee for any office in a Zone shall be a financial member of the Branch as at the date of his/her nomination.

(g) Extraordinary Vacancies

- (i) Where an extraordinary or casual vacancy (howsoever occurring) in the office of any Officer of a Zone, ordinary member of a Zone Committee or Workplace Delegate to the Branch National Council, the Zone Committee shall take immediate action to have such vacancy filled by secret postal ballot of all financial members of the Zone provided that:
 - (a) where the unexpired portion of the term of office in which the vacancy occurs does not exceed one year, the Zone Committee may fill such vacancy by appointment of an eligible member of the Branch; and
 - (b) where the unexpired portion of the term of office in which the vacancy occurs exceeds one year, the Zone Committee may fill such vacancy by appointment of an eligible member of the Branch until an election is held, provided that no person so

appointed shall hold office for a period exceeding three months.

- (ii) Such election shall be conducted by the Returning Officer appointed pursuant to this rule and the Returning Officer so appointed shall determine the dates for the closing of nominations and the closing of the ballot and shall report the result of the ballot to the next following meeting of the Zone Committee.
- (iii) Any person so elected shall take office from the date of the declaration of his/her election and shall hold office until the expiration of the term of the person he/she replaces.
- (iv) In all other respects, the election shall be conducted in accordance with the foregoing provisions of this Rule.

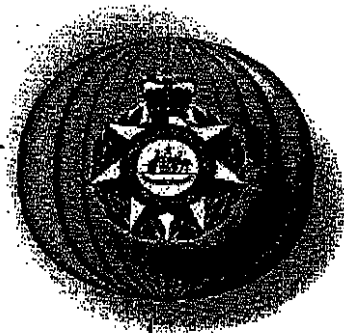
Nominations Open:
Monday 19 July 2004

Nominations Close:
Tuesday 5pm 17 August 2004

Cut off date for roll:
7 days prior to the opening date for nominations

Forensic Zone Financial members as at 17 June 2004:
61 Members.

Contract Policing Zone Financial members as at 17 June 2004:
601 members.



TO: ROBERT PFEIFFER

FROM: AMANDA AFPA

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DATE: 28-6-2004

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RE: AFPA Election - Contract Policing Zone

In response to your recent e-mail

Regards

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AFPA National President

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Australian Electoral Commission /AEC

Workplace Relations Act 1996 – Schedule 1B

RETURNING OFFICER - POST ELECTION REPORT

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| | | <u>Tel:</u> | (03) 8661 7817 |

ELECTIONS COVERED IN THIS REPORT

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| <u>Election Decision No/s:</u> | E2004/216 |
| <u>Election:</u> | Vacancies election: -Contract Policing Zone, Workplace Delegate & Forensics Zone, Zone Co-ordinator |
| <u>Returning Officer:</u> | Sonny Neoh |

RULES

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| <u>Rules used for elections Rule ID</u> | [200V: Incorporates alterations of 31/5/2004] [R2004/321] |
| <u>Rule/s re eligibility to vote</u> | Rule 67(a)(ii) & 96(b)(i) – Workplace Delegates are elected by the financial members of each zone. Rule 67(a)(iii) & 96(b)(i) – Zone Co-ordinators are elected by the financial members in each zone. Rule 67(e) The financial membership of a Zone shall be that membership as at 21 days before nominations are open for the election of such delegates. |

ROLL OF VOTERS

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| As a Ballot was not required, therefore a Roll of Voters was not requested |
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ALLEGATIONS OF IRREGULARITIES RECEIVED

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| There were no written complaints or allegations of irregularities |
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ATTACHMENTS

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| Declaration of Results For Uncontested Offices |
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Sonny Neoh
Returning Officer
17 August 2004

Industrial Elections Section
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Reference: 04/ 166A

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Mr Jon Hunt-Sharman
Branch National President
Police Federation of Australia
Australian Federal Police Association Branch
PO Box 100
DEAKIN WEST ACT 2600

Dear Mr Hunt-Sharman,

**Police Federation of Australia
Australian Federal Police Association Branch – Zone Elections (Casual Vacancies)
[Contract Policing Zone, Workplace Delegate & Forensics Zone, Zone Co-ordinator]
E2004/216 Refers.**

I refer to my letter of 13 July 2004 concerning the arrangements for the AEC to conduct an election for the above-mentioned vacant offices in your Organisation and wish to advise that nominations closed at 5.00pm on Tuesday, 17 August 2004.

No nominations were received at all.

The election is now complete.

Yours faithfully,

Sonny Neoh
Returning Officer

17 August 2004.

Cc: Deputy Industrial Registrar, VIC

POLICE FEDERATION OF AUSTRALIA
AUSTRALIAN FEDERAL POLICE ASSOCIATION BRANCH

DECLARATION OF RESULTS

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.

E.No. 2004/216 refers.

Workplace Delegate representing the Contract Policing Zone (casual vacancy)

Candidate

No nomination received.

Zone Co-ordinator representing the Forensics Zone (vacancy)

Candidate

No nomination received.

I declare that no nominations were received.

Sonny Neoh
Returning Officer
Australian Electoral Commission, Canberra

17 August 2004

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Mr Jon Hunt-Sharman
Branch National President
Police Federation of Australia
Australian Federal Police Association Branch
PO Box 100
DEAKIN WEST ACT 2600

Dear Mr Hunt-Sharman,

**Police Federation of Australia
Australian Federal Police Association Branch - Officers of the Branch (Scheduled Election).
E2004/216 Refers.**

I refer to my letter of 16 July 2004 concerning the arrangements for me to conduct an election for various positions in your Organisation and wish to advise that a ballot will not be necessary.

My declaration of the uncontested offices is attached.

The election is now complete.

Yours faithfully,

Sonny Neoh
Returning Officer

31 August 2004

cc Deputy Industrial Registrar, VIC
all candidates

**POLICE FEDERATION OF AUSTRALIA
AUSTRALIAN FEDERAL POLICE ASSOCIATION BRANCH**

DECLARATION OF RESULTS

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.

E.No. 2004/ 216 refers.

Branch National President

Candidate

HUNT-SHARMAN, Jonathan

Branch Vice President Federal Operations

Candidate

TULLY, Marianne

Branch Vice President Community Operations

Candidate

GELLATLY, Dennis

Branch Vice President Policing Operations Support

Candidate

DAVSON, Margaret

Branch Vice President Protective Service Operations

Candidate

KALLIRIS, Spiro

Branch Vice President Specialist Operations

Candidate

COLLINGWOOD, Christopher

Branch Vice President International Operations

Candidate

BROWN, Peter John

Branch Chief Executive Officer

Candidate

TORR, James Peter

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

Sonny Neoh
Returning Officer
Australian Electoral Commission, Canberra

31 August 2004