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

# Police Federation of Australia (E2005/131)

T NASSIOS DEPUTY INDUSTRIAL REGISTRAR MELBOURNE, 12 JULY 2005

Arrangement for conduct of election.

#### **DECISION**

[1] On 28 June 2005, the New South Wales Police Branch of the abovenamed organisation lodged in the Industrial Registry the prescribed information in relation an election, to fill a vacancy for the remainder of the term of office, in the following office;

Federal Council Delegate

[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 1B 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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E2005/13

PR:PR Ref: PFA Rules 28 June 2005

The Industrial Registrar Attn Mr Robert Pfeiffer Statutory Services Branch Australian Industrial Registry GPO Box 1994S Melbourne VIC 3001

Dear Mr Pfeiffer

Notification pursuant to Subsection 189 (1) of the Workplace Relations Act, 1996 Re: An Election

I refer to the above matter and enclose copies of the following:

- 1. Prescribed Information in Respect of an Election.
- 2. Statement in accordance with Subsection 189(1) of the Act.

Yours faithfully

Peter Remfrey

Branch Administrator

### Workplace Relations Act 1996

#### AUSTRALIAN INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS COMMISSION

# STATEMENT IN ACCORDANCE WITH SUBSECTION TO SUBSECTION 189 (1) OF THE ACT

I, Bob Pritchard, Branch President, hereby state that I am authorised to lodge the prescribed information in accordance with subsection 189 (1) of the Act on behalf of the Police Federation of Australia, New South Wales Police Branch.

I say that the information lodged is in accordance with subsection 189 (1) of the Act.

Dated: 28 June 2005

Bob Pritchard Branch President

#### Workplace Relations Act 1996

#### AUSTRALIAN INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS COMMISSION

# STATEMENT IN ACCORDANCE WITH SUBSECTION 189 (1) OF THE ACT

The Police Federation of Australia, New South Wales Branch, hereby gives notice as follows:

- (a) In accordance with rule 52EQ elections are required for a position of a delegate to Federal Council.
- (b) The election is required due to the resignation from the Branch Executive of Federal Council Delegate Mick Corboy effective 6 January 2005. In accordance with rule 52 ER Mr Corboy is ineligible to continue to be a Federal Council Delegate. A copy of his resignation letter is annexed and marked with the letter A.
- (c) Police Federation of Australia rule 52EQ states that "Delegates to Federal Council representing the NSW Branch shall be the Branch President, the Branch Vice President, the Branch Treasurer. The remaining delegate positions shall be filled from the Executive by an election in accordance with these rules".
- (d) Police Federation of Australia rule 14 (b) states that "The number of delegates in each Branch shall be determined on the basis of one delegate for the first one thousand (1,000) financial members or part thereof, and one additional delegate for each succeeding two thousand five hundred (2,500) financial members or part thereof".
- (e) Police Federation of Australia rule 14 (d) states that "For the purposes of this Rule, the financial membership of the Federation and within each Branch shall be that membership as at 31 December in the immediately preceding year".
- (f) As of the 31 December 2004 the NSW Police Branch had 14 634 financial members. In accordance with Police Federation of Australia rule 14 (b) this would entitle the NSW Police branch to 7 delegates to the Federal Council.
- (g) On May 26<sup>th</sup> 2004 the Australian Electoral Commission conducted elections for the positions of President, Vice President and Treasurer. On 18 October 2004 Australian Electoral Commission conducted an election for the 4 remaining positions of Delegate to Federal Council. A copy of the Declaration from the Australian Electoral Commission is attached and marked B.
- (h) The electorate comprises only the 17 members of the Executive of the Police Federation of Australia, New South Wales Police Branch.

# Police Federation of Australia New South Wales Branch

### **DECLARATION OF RESULTS FOR CONTESTED 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.

#### E2004/272

#### **Branch Executive**

Total number of persons on the roll of voters	17
Ballot papers issued	17
Duplicate ballot papers issued	0
TOTAL BALLOT PAPERS ISSUED	17
Ballot papers / envelopes returned for	17
Less ballot papers/envelopes rejected at	0
Adjusting Balance	0
TOTAL BALLOT PAPERS ADMITTED TO	17
Percentage of ballot papers returned to	100%
Ballot papers returned as unclaimed mail	0
Ballot papers not returned	0

### Federal Council Delegates (4)

<u>Candidates</u>	<u>Votes</u>
WHITTON, Kristina	15
BOUSFIELD, Paul Thomas	11
HANNON, Luke	14
CORBOY, Michael	11
MCDONALD, Stephen Andrew	6
BEAR, Anthony	5
GRAHAM, Kel Stanley	6
Exhausted Votes	0
Total votes	68
Formal ballot papers	17
Informal ballot papers	0

I declare Paul Thomas Bousfield, Michael Corboy, Luke Hannon and Kristina Whitton elected.

Marilyn Kerr Returning Officer

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Australian Electoral Commission

18 October 2004