

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

**Police Federation of Australia**  
(E2004/109)

T. NASSIOS  
DEPUTY INDUSTRIAL REGISTRAR

MELBOURNE, 30 JANUARY 2004

*Arrangement for conduct of election.*

**DECISION**

[1] On 23 and 30 January 2004, the South Australia Police Branch of the abovenamed organisation lodged in the Industrial Registry the prescribed information in relation to an election, to fill a casual vacancy, in the following office:

Branch Committee Member

[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.



POLICE FEDERATION OF AUSTRALIA -  
SA BRANCH

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FACSIMILE TRANSMITTAL SHEET

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TO: MR ROBERT PFEIFFER FROM: ANDREW DUNN

COMPANY: AUSTRALIAN INDUSTRIAL DATE: 30/01/2004  
REGISTRY

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RE: BRANCH ELECTION

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URGENT  FOR REVIEW  PLEASE COMMENT  PLEASE REPLY  PLEASE RECYCLE

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Please find attached the amended letter and notification relative to the branch election necessitated by the resignation of committee member Jason Squire.

*Dee*

*Andrew Dunn*

ANDREW DUNN  
SECRETARY



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**Ref: AD:ld:0006/04**

30 January 2004

Mr P Kinne  
Manager  
Australian Industrial Registry  
South Australian Registry  
PO Box 8255  
Station Arcade PO  
ADELAIDE SA 5000

Dear Mr Kinne

**Re: Branch Election**

I am in receipt of the resignation of a branch committee member.

I am now required to call a by-election to fill that vacant branch committee member position. A copy of Mr Squire's resignation is attached.

Attached is the Section 189(1) notification for the Registrar concerning our election for a branch committee member.

I look forward to progressing this matter at your earliest convenience.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be 'AD' or similar initials.

**ANDREW DUNN  
SECRETARY**

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### PRESCRIBED INFORMATION IN RESPECT OF ELECTION – SUBSECTION 189(1) OF THE ACT

I am an officer of the Police Federation of Australia, South Australia Police Branch and am authorised to sign this statement which is lodged in accordance with subsection 189(1) of the Act.

1. *The office in respect of which the election is required is:*

Branch committee member

2. *The reason for which the election is required is:*

A casual vacancy caused by the resignation of the incumbent. A copy of that resignation is attached.

3. *The electorate for the election is:*

South Australia Police Branch

4. *The preferred dates and times that nominations open and close are:*

Nominations open	9 February 2004
Nominations advertised	Newsletter to be distributed by 5 February 2004 and 9 February 2004 and displayed on noticeboards throughout workplaces in accordance with Rule 44B(f)(iii) of the registered rules of the Police Federation of Australia.
Nominations close	5.00 pm 20 February 2004
Roll closes	5.00 pm 20 February 2004
Ballot opens	12 March 2004
Ballot closes	9.00 am 26 March 2004
Scrutiny and count	9.00 am 26 March 2004

5. *The voting system to be used in the conduct of the election is:*

Direct voting

**ANDREW DUNN  
SECRETARY**

30 January 2004

## Workplace Relations Act 1996 – Schedule 1B

### RETURNING OFFICER - POST ELECTION REPORT

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#### ELECTIONS COVERED IN THIS REPORT

<u>Election Decision No/s:</u>	E2004/109
<u>Election:</u>	Election of Branch Committee Member (Casual Vacancy)
<u>Returning Officer:</u>	Leonie Gartside

#### RULES

<u>Rules used for elections Rule ID</u>	[200V: Incorporates alterations of 19/09/2003] [R2003/275 Police Federation of Australia]
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#### ROLL OF VOTERS

<u>Total number of voters on the roll</u>	3869	
<u>Number of private addresses</u>	3676	95%
<u>Number of apparent workplace addresses</u>	193	5%
<u>Number of non-current addresses</u>	12	0.31%

#### ALLEGATIONS OF IRREGULARITIES RECEIVED

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

Declaration of Results For Contested Offices
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Leonie Gartside  
Returning Officer

30 March 2004

# Police Federation of Australia South Australia Police Branch

## DECLARATION OF RESULTS FOR CONTESTED OFFICES

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

E No. 2004/109

Ballot papers issued	3869
Duplicate ballot papers issued	0
<b>TOTAL BALLOT PAPERS ISSUED</b>	<b>3869</b>
Ballot papers / envelopes returned for scrutiny	1185
Less ballot papers / envelopes rejected at preliminary scrutiny	1
<b>TOTAL BALLOT PAPERS ADMITTED TO SCRUTINY</b>	<b>1184</b>
Percentage of ballot papers returned to number issued	30
Ballot papers returned as unclaimed mail	16
Ballot papers not returned	2668

Branch Committee Member 1

<u>Candidates</u>	<u>First Preference Votes</u>	<u>Votes</u>
OTTO, Mardi Louise	79	79
ROBINSON, Karen Lorraine	394	394
TAPPIN, James Richard	709	709
Formal ballot papers	1182	1182
Informal ballot papers	2	2

I declare James Richard Tappin elected.

Leonie Gartside  
Returning Officer  
Australian Electoral Commission  
29 March 2004