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Your ref. C 0386 Our ref. FR2004/249

Mr Michael James Dean President Police Federation of Australia - Western Australia Police Branch 639 Murray Street WEST PERTH WA 6005

Fax: (08 8212 2002)

Dear Mr Dean

Re: Application for certificate of exemption from requirements of Chapter 8, Part 3 of Schedule 1B of the *Workplace Relations Act 1996* (FR 2004/249)

I refer to your unsigned application dated 27 August 2004 for a certificate of exemption under subsection 271 of Schedule 1B of the *Workplace Relations Act 1996*, in respect of the Western Australian Police Branch of The Police Federation of Australia, for the financial year ended 30 June 2004. The unsigned application was received in the Industrial Registry on 1 November 2004. Following our request for a signed application, this was subsequently received by us by facsimile on 15 November 2004.

I have granted the application. My certificate is enclosed.

Should you wish to discuss this letter, Margaret Williams can be contacted on (03) 8661 7822.

Yours sincerely

TERRY NASSIOS Deputy Industrial Registrar

1 December 2004



Workplace Relations Act 1996

s.271 certificate of exemption from requirements of Chapter 8, Part 3, Schedule 1B

Police Federation of Australia (FR2004/249)

CERTIFICATE

On 15 November 2004 an application was made under subsection 271(1) of Schedule 1B of the *Workplace Relations Act 1996* for a certificate of exemption by the Western Australia Police Branch of the Police Federation of Australia, in respect of financial year ended 30 June 2004. I am satisfied that the said Branch is a reporting unit that did not have any financial affairs in the year ended 30 June 2004.



Terry Nassios DEPUTY INDUSTRIAL REGISTRAR

1 December 2004



August 27, 2004

My Ref: C 0386

Ms Margaret Williams Office of the Registrar Australian Industrial Registry GPO Box 1994S MELBOURNE VIC 3001 Western Australia Police Branch

639 Murray Street West Perth WA 6005



CONFIRMATION OF FAX

Dear Ms Williams

WORKPLACE RELATIONS ACT 1996 SECTION 271 – APPLICATION FOR EXEMPTION CERTIFICATE

My name is Michael James Dean. I am the President (and also Chief Executive Officer) of the Police Federation of Australia – Western Australia Police Branch and am authorised under the Rules to act on behalf of the Branch.

In consideration of Section 271 of the Workplace Relations Act 1996, I apply for a Certificate to exempt the Branch from the requirements of the Act relating to financial matters occurring in the year ended June 30 2004. (please see Branch Rules, Part CA of the Police Federation of Australia Rules).

In support of this application I say:

- 1. The Branch does not trade or carry out financial transactions of any kind.
- 2. The Branch does not have an account with a bank or any other financial institution, nor does it have custody of any real property or moneys.
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- 4. The reason the Branch does not trade or carry out financial transactions of any kind is because of the relationship between the Branch and the Western Australian Police Union of Workers (WAPU).
- 5. The Western Australian Police Union of Workers was registered in the Western Australian Industrial Relations Commission (the then Court of Arbitration of Western Australia) in 1926.
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- 7. On November 25, 2003, the Police Federation of Australia lodged in the Industrial Registry particulars of alterations to rule 14.- Federal Council and Rule 34.- Branches, and the insertion of Part CA being a new set of rules of the Western Australia Police Branch. The alterations and insertion was certified under subsection 159(1) of Schedule B of the Act by the Deputy Industrial under date 3 February 2004.
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- 9. Since inception of the Branch, the WAPU has undertaken to carry out financial transactions including the collection of membership fees, the payment of accounts for expenses incurred in carrying out regular business, operated a bank account, owned and/or leased property and office equipment, employed and paid salaries of employees to permit the business of the Branch to be conducted.
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The application was not signed and I would be pleased if you would forward a new application signed, dated and forwarded to us either electronically (with electronic signature), faxed or in the post.

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Yours sincerely

Margaret Williams Statutory Services Branch

10 November 2004



August 27, 2004

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