## Workplace Relations Act 1996 - Schedule 1

# POST ELECTION REPORT UNITED FIREFIGHTERS' UNION OF AUSTRALIA

## **QUEENSLAND BRANCH**

## <u>Branch Committee of Management – Firefighter Delegate CENTRAL REGION</u>

## **ELECTION/S COVERED IN THIS REPORT**

Election Decision No/s: E2007/276

**RULES** 

Rules used for the election: 259V: alterations of 19/1/06

R2006/105

Rules difficult to Nil

apply/interpret:

Model Rule reference (if any): Nil

**ROLL OF VOTERS** 

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Total number of voters on the Roll: 158

Number of apparent workplace 2

addresses:

Number of non-current addresses: Nil

Other matters pertaining to the roll of Nil

voters:

#### **IRREGULARITIES**

Details of written allegations of *Nil* irregularities, and action taken by AEC:

Other irregularities identified, and action taken: Nil

## **ATTACHMENTS**

Declaration of Results for Uncontested and Contested Offices – QLD

Paul Wittman Returning Officer 19 March 2008

## **United Firefighters' Union of Australia**

# Queensland Branch Delegates Vacancy Election DECLARATION OF RESULTS FOR UNCONTESTED AND CONTESTED OFFICES

Election E2007/276 conducted in accordance with the provisions of Schedule 1 of the Workplace Relations Act 1996 and the rules of the Union.

The postal ballot closed at 5:00pm on Tuesday 18 March 2008.

I now advise the results for the following offices.

## **Central Region**

Total number of persons on the roll of voters	158
Ballot papers issued	158
Duplicate ballot papers issued	0
TOTAL BALLOT PAPERS ISSUED	158
Ballot papers / envelopes returned for scrutiny	78
Less ballot papers / envelopes rejected at preliminary scrutiny	2
TOTAL BALLOT PAPERS ADMITTED TO SCRUTINY	76
Percentage of ballot papers returned to number issued	49%
Ballot papers returned as unclaimed mail	0
Ballot papers not returned	80

#### **Branch Committee of Management - Firefighter Delegate**

<u>Candidates</u>	<u>First Preference Votes</u>	<u>Votes</u>
THOMAS, Gavin	13	0
THOMAS, David	27	34
MANN, Trevor James	36	42
Total votes	76	76
Formal ballot papers	76	76
Informal ballot papers	0	0

I declare Trevor James Mann elected.

## **Brisbane**

**Branch Committee of Management - Officer Delegate** 

**Candidate** 

MCLEAN, Wayne Robert

I declare Wayne Robert McLean elected.

Paul Wittman Returning Officer Australian Electoral Commission 19 March 2008

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

## United Firefighters' Union of Australia (E2007/276)

## T. NASSIOS DEPUTY INDUSTRIAL REGISTRAR

MELBOURNE, 5 DECEMBER 2007

Arrangement for conduct of election.

#### **DECISION**

[1] On 22 November 2007 the Queensland Branch of the United Firefighters' Union of Australia lodged in the Industrial Registry the prescribed information in relation to an election to fill the following vacant offices for the unexpired parts of the terms:

## Central Region

Branch Committee of Management - Fire Fighter Delegate

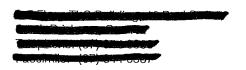
## **Brisbane Region**

Branch Committee of Management - Officer Delegate

[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 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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## **United Firefighters Union of Australia**

QUEENSLAND BRANCH

Our reference: ufuq78/mw

19 November 2007

The Industrial Registrar Australian Industrial Registry GPO Box 1994 Melbourne Vic 3001

Dear Sir

I refer to the elections conducted in 2006 for the United Firefighters Union of Australia, Oueensland Branch.

I have received advice that Mr Nathan Cookson and Mr Alan Nunan have resigned from the Queensland Fire and Rescue Service, and as members of the United Firefighters Union. Consequently, the elected positions they previously held as, respectively, Firefighter Delegate for Central Region and Officer Delegate for Brisbane Region, are now vacant.

I therefore request a subsequent election be called for the following positions:

<u>Firefighter Delegate – Central Region</u> <u>Officer Delegate – Brisbane Region</u>

Prescribed information is attached.

It would be preferable if such election could be conducted at the earliest opportunity.

Should you require any additional information, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours faithfully

MARK WALKER

**Branch Secretary**