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Industrial Relations Act 1999, section 580

17 DEC 2013

(Matter No. *R10 / 2013 / 165*)

QUEENSLAND

APPLICATION FOR EXEMPTION FROM CONDUCTING AN ELECTION

TO: The Industrial Registrar, Industrial Registry, Level 21, Central Plaza 2, 66 Eagle Street, (Corner Creek and Elizabeth Streets), Brisbane 4000, GPO Box 373, Brisbane Q 4001
Phone: (07) 3227 8060 Fax: (07) 3221 6074

TAKE NOTICE that I, Brian Patrick Crawford, State Secretary of the Australasian Meat Industry Union of Employees, Queensland Branch, 1/39 Lytton Road, East Brisbane,

APPLY to the Registrar for:

1. An exemption from holding an election for stated offices of the Australasian Meat Industry Union of Employees, Queensland Branch under section 580 of the Act.
2. Further I apply for directions as to the conduct of this application in relation to the following matters -
 - (a) parties;
 - (b) publication;
 - (c) nature of hearing;
 - (d) place of time and hearing;
3. I make oath and say as follows:
4. I am the State Secretary of the Australasian Meat Industry Union of Employees (Queensland Branch) ["AMIUE"]. I have held this position since 22 April 2009, when I was appointed to the position by the executive of the AMIUE due to a casual vacancy in the office. Exhibited to this affidavit and marked "BPC 1" is a true copy of the minutes of the meeting of the executive of the AMIUE for 22 April 2009.
5. Under rule 24 of the rules of the AMIUE, the AMIUE has a "counterpart federal body", which is the Queensland Branch of the Australasian Meat Industry Employees Union ["AMIEU"].
6. A federal election for offices within the AMIEU was completed on 6 August 2013. Exhibited to this affidavit and marked "BPC 2" is a true copy of the declaration made by the Australian Electoral Commission in respect of this election.

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B.P. Crawford
DEPONENT

C. H. Buckley
CRAIG BUCKLEY (LEGAL PRACTITIONER)

7. Rule 24.6 of the rules of the AMIUE deems certain officers within the AMIUE to be corresponding offices to that in the AMIEU. Those offices are:

Counterpart federal body	AMIUE Office
Branch President	State President
Branch Vice-President	State Vice-President
Branch Secretary	State Secretary
Assistant Branch Secretary	State Assistant Secretary
Branch Treasurer	State Treasurer
Representatives- Southern Region	State Representatives –Southern Region
Representatives- Central Region	State Representatives –Central Region
Representatives- Northern Region	State Representatives –Northern Region

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8. The eligibility rules of the AMIUE are in no material respect different to the eligibility rule of the AMIEU in the State of Queensland. Accordingly, there are no members of the AMIUE who would have been ineligible to vote in the federal election recently conducted and exhibited at BPC2. Similarly, no members of the AMIEU would be ineligible to vote in any election for offices in respect of the AMIUE.

9. On 16 December 2013 in conformity with sub-rule 24.5(ii) of the rules of the AMIUE, I caused a notice of intention to make this application to be published on the website of the AMIEU/AMIUE. Exhibited to this affidavit and marked “BPC 2” is a true copy of that notice, which can be accessed at <http://qld.amieu.asn.au/2013/12/16/notice-to-members-of-amiueqb/>.

10. I am fully authorised to make this application.

11. All the facts and circumstances deposed to in this my affidavit are within my knowledge and belief, except for the facts and circumstances deposed to from information only, and my means of knowledge and sources of information appear on the face of this my affidavit.

B.P. Crawford
 Deponent

SWORN by the deponent at Brisbane on 17 December 2013 at Brisbane in the presence of

C. H. Buckley
 Craig Harold Buckley
 Legal Practitioner

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End notes: When the application is in relation to registration of an organisation the application and each document accompanying the application must be signed and dated by the applicant's president and secretary (section S415(1)(a) and reg section 18(6))

If the application is made by an organisation in relation to a change of list of callings (R.190(e)), amending name (R.197(e)), amending eligibility rule (R.198(e)) or deregistration (reg section 23) it must be under the industrial organisation's seal or be signed by 2 of the organisation's officers authorised to sign the application.

If the application is for, an exemption under chapter 12 part 13, deregistration or an approval under S 447 it must also state the grounds on which the application is made (reg section 19(a), (b) and (d)).

If the application is to submit a proposed amalgamation to a ballot it must be signed by the president and secretary of each joint applicant (reg, section 62(3)(c)).

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PARTICULAR OF THE APPLICANT

Name: Brian Crawford

Title of office: State Secretary

Organisation: Australasian Meat Industry Union of Employees (Queensland Branch)

Residential or business address: 1/39 Lytton Road EAST BRISBANE Q 4169

Applicant's address for service: as above

Applicant's phone number or contact phone number: 3217 3766

Applicant's fax number: 3217 4462

Applicant's e-mail address: admin@amieuqld.asn.au


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This is the exhibit “**BPC 1**”referred to in the affidavit of Brian Patrick Crawford sworn before me this 17th day of December, 2013.

C. H. Buckley

Craig Harold Buckley

Legal Practitioner

**AUSTRALASIAN MEAT INDUSTRY
UNION OF EMPLOYEES
(QUEENSLAND BRANCH)**

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**Minutes of Special Executive Meeting held on:
22 April 2009**

- Commenced:** 11.40 am
- Venue:** Union Office, Level 1 / 39 Lytton Road,
East Brisbane
- Chairperson:** Keith Haslem – Branch President
- Attendance:** Keith Haslem – Branch President
Ronnie Weston – Branch Vice President
Mick Ainsworth – Branch Treasurer
Brian Crawford – Assistant Branch Secretary
- Guests:** Kelly Bush – Branch Organiser
Matt Journeaux – Branch Organiser
Ian McLauchlan – Branch Organiser
Raymond Murphy – Branch Organiser
Paul Jensen – Branch Organiser
- Apologies:** Russell Carr – Branch Secretary

Resolution – That Minutes of the previous Branch Executive held on 17 March 2009 be held over until the next Branch Executive. Further, this Executive will not receive any financial report as this matter will also be dealt with at the next Branch Executive.

Moved: Mick Ainsworth
Seconded: Ronnie Weston

CARRIED 4-0

AGENDA 1 – RESIGNATION OF BRANCH SECRETARY:

Russell Carr's written resignation was tendered to the Executive.

Motion: *"That the resignation of Russell Carr as Branch Secretary of the AMIUE be accepted by the Executive."*

Moved: Ronnie Weston
Seconded: Mick Ainsworth

Carried: 4-0

AGENDA 2- ELECTION OF NEW SECRETARY

General discussion took place on the election of a new Branch Secretary. Assistant Secretary Brian Crawford stated that under clause 51.1 of the AMIEU Rules, a casual vacancy can be filled by appointment by the Committee of Management. However, clause 49.9 of the AMIEU Rules allows the Branch Executive to exercise all powers of the Branch Committee of Management between meetings of that Committee.

As a consequence of those discussions the following resolution was put:

Motion: *"That the Executive appoint Brian Crawford as Branch Secretary of the AMIEU and to leave open the position of Assistant Branch Secretary until the general election due to be held in September of this year."*

Moved: Ronnie Weston

Seconded: Mick Ainsworth

Carried: 3-0

Brian stated that he would abstain from voting for this motion to avoid any notion of impropriety.

With no further business the chair thanked all for their attendance and conduct and wished all a safe return journey.

THE CHAIR DECLARED EXECUTIVE CLOSED AT 12.00 PM


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Craig Harold Buckley

Legal Practitioner

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- The Australasian Meat Industry Employees Union Scheduled Qld Branch Elections 2013 E2013/185

Declaration of Results for Uncontested Offices

E2013/185

Below are the results of the election for the following offices, conducted in accordance with the provisions of the *Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Act 2009* and the rules of the organisation.

Queensland Branch

Branch President

Candidates

HASLEM, Keith

Branch Vice-President

Candidates

WESTON, Ronald Charles

Branch Secretary

Candidates

CRAWFORD, Brian

Assistant Branch Secretary

Candidates

JOURNEAUX, Matthew

Branch Treasurer

Candidates

AINSWORTH, Michael Raymond


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Branch Delegate to Federal Council (2)

Candidates

JOURNEAUX, Matthew
NORRIS, Lee

Southern Region

Representative to Branch Committee of Management (6)

Candidates

ALLEN, Kristine
BATESON, Mary
BELL, Tori Jane
MCKEY, Darryl
PHILLIPS, David
PRANGE, Kim

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Central Region

Representative to Branch Committee of Management (3)

Candidates

DE GIT, Glen
MEIERS, Noel Brian
SEXTON, Greville Francis

Northern Region

Representative to Branch Committee of Management (3)

Candidates

BRUNJES, Fred
KEMP, Neil John
KERLE, Tiffany

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



Mark Townsend
Returning Officer

6 August 2013

Australian Electoral Commission / AEC

Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Act 2009

POST ELECTION REPORT

The Australasian Meat Industry Employees' Union

Queensland Branch Elections

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ELECTION/S COVERED IN THIS REPORT

Election Decision No/s: E2013/185

RULES

Rules used for the election: 007V: incorporates alterations of 18/12/2012 certified in R2012/166

Rules difficult to apply/interpret: None
Model Rule reference (if any): N/A

ROLL OF VOTERS


As there were no contested offices, the Roll of Voters was not required for this election.

IRREGULARITIES

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

ATTACHMENTS

Declaration of Results for Uncontested Offices - dated 6 August 2013


Mark Townsend
Returning Officer

6 August 2013

This is the exhibit “**BPC 3**”referred to in the affidavit of Brian Patrick Crawford sworn before me this 17th day of December, 2013.

C. H. Buckley

Craig Harold Buckley

Legal Practitioner

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Notice to Members of AMIUEQB

16/12/2013 AMIEU Financial Reports

Notice to members of the Australasian Meat Industry Union of Employees (Queensland Branch)

Members of the above State registered Union are given notice that the Australasian Meat Industry Union of Employees (Queensland Branch) intends to apply under s.580 of the Industrial Relations Act 1999 (Q.) for an exemption from conducting elections for the following offices:

- State Secretary
- State President
- State Vice-President
- State Assistant Secretary
- State Treasurer
- State Representatives – Southern Region
- State Representatives – Central Region
- State Representatives – Northern Region

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The grounds the application is based upon is that the Australasian Meat Industry Employees Union (Queensland Branch) is the “counterpart federal body” of the Australasian Meat Industry Union of Employees (Queensland Branch). Elections for offices within the Australasian Meat Industry Employees Union (Queensland Branch) were completed on 6 August 2013. All of the offices listed above are corresponding offices with those in the Australasian Meat Industry Union of Employees (Queensland Branch) for which elections were conducted.

Further details on the application or a copy of the application can be obtained by contacting Brian Crawford on (07) 3217 3766 or 1800 646 195.