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Mr Simon Bulloch  
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Australian Electoral Commission  
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Dear Mr Bulloch

**Re: Post Election Report for CPSU, SPSF Group WA Branch [E2016/70]**

Thank you for the post-election report pursuant to s 197(1) of the *Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Act 2009* "the Act", received on 7<sup>th</sup> June 2017. The Branch acknowledges the commentary, recommendations and statements in relation to rules of the Organisation and / or Branch that were difficult to interpret or apply during the election and acknowledges you raised these issues in your report during the Branch elections held in 2016. In accordance with s198(2) of the Act, the Branch advises of the actions it intends to take regarding the relevant rules:

**Roll of voters**

AEC recommendation

"It is recommended that CPSU- SPSF Chapter C Group Rule 17.2 (e) be amended to comply with s143 (3) of the Act"

WA Branch proposed action

This matter was raised last year in a number of the post-election reports from the various returning officers in different states following the conduct of CPSU-SPSF Branch elections. I understand this matter will be incorporated in a review of the CPSU SPSF Chapter C Group rules being prepared for submission to the CPSU SPSF Group Federal Executive Committee for consideration shortly.

**Candidate statements**

AEC statement

WA Branch Rule 33.2 becomes redundant due to the application of WA Branch Rules 1 and 33.1 and CPSU- SPSF Chapter C Group Rule 28.

WA Branch proposed action

The WA Branch accepted the advice received in the Post Election report last year and the WA Branch and is currently in the process of amending the branch rules to delete WA Branch Rule 33.2.

**Multiple Nominations**

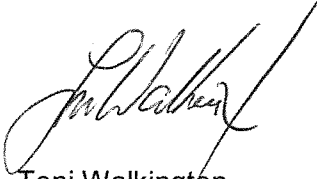
AEC recommendation

"It is recommended that CPSU- SPSF Chapter C Group Rule 28 be amended to include Proxy Councillors"

WA Branch proposed action

The WA Branch acknowledges this issue was raised in last year's report. WA Branch Rule 9.3 confirms a person cannot hold both offices. The WA Branch has referred the matter to CPSU-SPSF Group Federal Council and Executive for consideration. The authorization of the CPSU SPSF Group is required to progress amendments to the CPSU SPSF Chapter C Group rules.

Yours sincerely



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Branch Secretary

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