



FAIR WORK
AUSTRALIA

30 March 2010

Mr Max Andrew Laurie
President
The Victorian Showmen's Guild
Shop 1, 157 Mt Alexander Road
FLEMINGTON VIC 3031

By email: vicshowmen@bigpond.com

Dear Mr Laurie,

**RE: The Victorian Showmen's Guild
Annual Return of information contained in records - AR2010/2509**

I acknowledge receipt of your signed declaration dated 21 March 2010 which provides information in accordance with section 233(1) of the *Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Act 2009*.

The document was lodged on 24 March 2010.

The document has been filed.

Yours faithfully,

Tom Cagorski
Law Graduate
Tribunal Services and Organisations



For the Outdoor Showmen and all Kindred Forms of Amusement

AR 2010/2509

THE VICTORIAN SHOWMEN'S GUILD REG.

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21st March 2010

Tribunal Services and Organisations
Fair Work Australia
P.O. Box 1994
MELBOURNE, VIC. 3001

Dear Registrar,

**RE: THE VICTORIAN SHOWMEN'S GUILD
2010 ANNUAL RETURN AND DECLARATION (s233 (1))**

**I, Max Laurie, President of The Victorian Showmen's Guild and
Showman of PO Box 6025, Dubbo, New South Wales**

in accordance with s233 (1) of Schedule 1 of the Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Act 2009 that our organisation has kept and maintained our records as required under the Act.

do solemnly and sincerely declare that the information on pages 1 and 2 of this letter are true in every particular :-

THAT THE REGISTER OF MEMBERS HAS DURING THE IMMEDIATE PRECEDING YEAR HAS BEEN KEPT AND MAINTAINED AS REQUIRED.

THAT THE OFFICES OF THE VICTORIAN SHOWMEN'S GUILD ARE:

PRESIDENT (1)
VICE-PRESIDENTS (10)
COMMITTEE MEMBERS (9)
SECRETARY (1) but the current position is vacant.
TREASURER (1)
TRUSTEE (2)

THAT THE PERSONS SO NAMED IN OUR LETTER DATED 21ST MARCH 2010 (**ATTACHMENT 1**, 2 PAGES) ARE THE OFFICES FOR THE ABOVE POSITIONS.

ALL PERSONS ARE FULL TIME SHOWMEN.

THAT A RECORD OF AN ELECTION HELD UNDER THE RULES OF OUR ORGANISATION WAS CONDUCTED BY THE AUSTRALIAN ELECTORAL COMMISSION 1N 2009. (**ATTACHMENT 2**, 3 PAGES INCLUDING LETTER FROM THE AUSTRALIAN ELECTORAL COMMISSION DATED 30 NOVEMBER 2009).

THAT THE VICTORIAN SHOWMEN'S GUILD WILL BE CONDUCTING UNDER THE RULES OF THE ORGANISATION AN ELECTION DURING THE YEAR COMMENCING 1 JANUARY 2010 FOR THE FOLLOWING OFFICES : -

PRESIDENT (1)
VICE-PRESIDENTS (10)
COMMITTEE (9)
SECRETARY (1)
TREASURER (1)
TRUSTEES (2)

THAT THE VICTORIAN SHOWMEN'S GUILD HAD 289 MEMBERS AND 1 EMPLOYEE ON 31 DECEMBER 2009.

THAT THE VICTORIAN SHOWMEN'S GUILD HAS ONLY ONE OFFICE WHICH IS LOCATED AT SHOP 1,157 MT. ALEXANDER ROAD, FLEMINGTON, VICTORIA.

THAT THE VICTORIAN SHOWMEN'S GUILD DOES NOT HAVE ANY BRANCHES OR OTHER LOCATIONS.

THESE REQUIREMENTS ARE LODGED IN ACCORDANCE TO THE FAIR WORK (Registered Organisations) ACT 2009.

SIGNED BY



MAX LAURIE
PRESIDENT



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ATTACHMENT 1 - 2 PAGES

Dear Registrar,

Please be advised that the following offices and office-bearers were elected under The Australian Electoral Commission and declared on 30th November 2009 at the Annual General Meeting of Members.

PRESIDENT

Max Andrew Laurie

VICE-PRESIDENTS

Greg Johnson
Brod. Pavier
Aaron Pink
Troy Quay
Adam Reardon
Aubrey E.J. Ribbons
Peter (Bluey) Stratton
Clayton Taylor
Emile M. Verfurth 111
Stewart Watkins

COMMITTEE

Elwin L. Bell 11
Brian J. Gilmore
Charles A. Miller (Bris)
Hugh R. Miller
Robert Peters
Andrew Quay
Travis Taylor
Ron Trevor
Peter E. Withall

SECRETARY

This position is vacant.

TREASURER

Terry Moon

TRUSTEES

Marjorie Chant
George Magdziarz

All members can be contacted through the Victorian Showmen's Guild
Office at PO Box 36 Ascot Vale 3032.

Yours truly,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Max Laurie".

**Max Laurie
President**



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Mr Brian Sinclair
Executive Officer
Victorian Showmen's Guild
PO Box 36
ASCOT VALE VIC 3032

ATTACHMENT 2 – 3 PAGES

Dear Mr Sinclair

**Victorian Showmen's Guild
Officers Bearers and Committee Members
E2009/134**

I refer to my letter of Friday 5 June 2009 concerning the arrangements for me to conduct an election for various positions in your Organisation.

My declaration of the contested and uncontested offices is attached.

The election is now complete.

Yours sincerely

Phoebe Chamberlain
Returning Officer

30 November 2009

cc all uncontested nominees

**Victorian Showmen's Guild
Officers Bearers and Committee Members**

DECLARATION OF RESULTS FOR UNCONTESTED AND CONTESTED OFFICES

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.

E2009/134

President

Candidate

LAURIE, Max Andrew

I declare Max Andrew Laurie elected.

Treasurer

Candidate

MOON, Terry

I declare Terry Moon elected.

Secretary

Candidate

No nomination was received

No candidates elected.

Trustee (2)

Candidates

CHANT, Marjorie
MAGDZIARZ, George

I declare Marjorie Chant and George Magdziarz elected.

Committee Members (19)

In accordance with Rule 16.4.1, the candidates receiving the ten highest number of votes shall be declared elected as Vice Presidents and the next nine highest number of votes shall be declared elected as Committee Members.

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| Total number of persons on the roll of voters | 260 |
| Ballot papers issued | 260 |
| Duplicate ballot papers issued | 0 |
| TOTAL BALLOT PAPERS ISSUED | 0 |
| Ballot papers / envelopes returned for scrutiny | 129 |
| Less ballot papers / envelopes rejected at preliminary | 0 |
| TOTAL BALLOT PAPERS ADMITTED TO SCRUTINY | 129 |
| Percentage of ballot papers returned to number issued | 46.07% |

Candidates Votes

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|-------------------------|-----|
| BELL, Elwin Leroy | 99 |
| CALDER, Annette | 89 |
| CHANT, Les | 65 |
| GILMORE, Brian J | 108 |
| JOHNSON, Greg | 114 |
| MILLER, Charles (Bris) | 108 |
| MILLER, Hugh Richard | 114 |
| MILLER, Julie (Calder) | 27 |
| MILLER, Michael S | 45 |
| MILLER, Peter H | 85 |
| PAVIER, Brod | 119 |
| PETERS, Robert | 105 |
| PINK, Aaron | 119 |
| QUAY, Andrew | 90 |
| QUAY, Troy | 124 |
| REARDON, Adam | 123 |
| RIBBONS, Aubrey E.J. | 123 |
| STRATTON, Peter (Bluey) | 123 |
| TAYLOR, Clayton | 122 |
| TAYLOR, Travis | 113 |
| TREVOR, Ron | 94 |
| VERFURTH III, Emile M | 122 |
| WATKINS, Stewart | 118 |
| WITHALL, Peter Edward | 102 |

Formal ballot papers 129
Informal ballot papers 0

Where candidates have an equal number of votes, the order of election has been determined in accordance with Rule 16.5.10

I declare Greg Johnson, Brod Pavier, Aaron Pink, Troy Quay, Adam Reardon, Aubrey E.J. Ribbons, Peter (Bluey) Stratton, Clayton Taylor, Emile M Verfurth III and Stewart Watkins elected as Vice Presidents.

I declare Elwin Leroy Bell, Brian J Gilmore, Charles (Bris) Miller, Hugh Richard Miller, Robert Peters, Andrew Quay, Travis Taylor, Ron Trevor and Peter Edward Withall elected as Committee Members.



Phoebe Chamberlain
Returning Officer
Australian Electoral Commission

30 November 2009