

# INDUSTRIAL REGISTRAR

## DECISION

*Industrial Relations Act 2016*

Section 802 – Application for exemption from holding an election

### Queensland Hotel Association, Union of Employers

(RIO/2023/221)

CHIEF EXECUTIVE – BERNARD HOGAN

5 DECEMBER 2023

*Application for exemption from holding an election*

[1] On 1 November 2023, the Queensland Hotel Association, Union of Employers, filed with the Industrial Registry an application for exemption from holding an election for stated offices.

No objections to the application have been lodged in the Registry.

[2] I have perused the application and the rules of each of the organisations and am satisfied that:

- (i) the Queensland Hotel Association, Union of Employers is an employer organisation registered under the *Industrial Relations Act 2016*;
- (ii) the Australian Hotels Association is an employer organisation registered under the *Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Act 2009 [Cwlth]*;
- (iii) the Queensland Branch of the Australian Hotels Association is a counterpart federal body of Queensland Hotel Association, Union of Employers within the meaning of s 597 of the *Industrial Relations Act 2016*;
- (iv) the Australian Hotels Association has held an election for an office under the *Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Act 2009 [Cwlth]*;
- (v) the stated offices are corresponding offices to the federal office;
- (vi) the stated offices will be filled by a person elected in the federal election to the federal offices; and
- (vii) the eligibility rules of the Queensland Hotels Association, Union of Employers and their counterpart federal body do not differ.

[3] I grant the Queensland Hotel Association, Union of Employers exemption from holding an election for the following stated offices, in accordance with the Australian Electoral Commission election results declared for election number E2023/114 on 30 October 2023.

<b>Office</b>	<b>Reason for Election</b>	<b>Number of Positions</b>
President	Term expired	1
Senior Vice-President	Term expired	1
Vice-President	Term expired	3
Secretary/Treasurer	Term expired	1
Trustee	Term expired	No nominations

- [4] The officers are to take up office in accordance with the rules of the Queensland Hotel Association, Union of Employers.

M. SHELLEY  
INDUSTRIAL REGISTRAR