

DECLARATION OF AUTHORISED OFFICER in accordance with Regulation 126 *Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Regulations 2009*

ALTERATION OF OTHER RULES OF ORGANISATIONS in accordance with section 159 of the *Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Act 2009*

I, Rikki Lee Hendon of level 5, 445 Hay Street, Perth, Western Australia 6000, am the Branch Secretary of the CPSU, the Community and Public Sector Union, Western Australian Branch and I am authorised to give this notice of particulars of alterations to the rules of the CPSU, the Community and Public Sector Union, Western Australian Branch and to make this declaration as required by Regulation 126 of the *Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Regulations 2009*.

1. In response to an email from Melissa Garcia, 29 November 2023, I wish to provide further information to support the previous application and request that the General Manager allow an additional period for lodgement of the alterations under Regulation 126 (1) of the *Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Regulations 2009*.
2. The delay in lodging the application was due to the complex nature of the application and the limited resources of the organisation. A separate application for a similar rule change to the CSA's Rules was required to be made to the Western Australian Industrial Relations Commission which required additional resources. The Western Australian Industrial Relations Commission has approved the changes to the CSA rules.
3. The rules of both organisations must operate in tandem for the purposes of their respective council's joint meetings.
4. I did not interpret that the alterations were made 29 March 2023 as described in Ms Garcia's email, as the alterations only take effect on the date Fair Work approves them.
5. The Council of the organisation have sought regular updates since 29 March 2023 on the application and remain committed to the change. The Executive Committee of the organisation passed the following resolution on Wednesday 13 December 2023 to reflect this continued commitment:

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"The CPSU-SPSF Group WA Branch Executive Committee re-confirms its desire to progress changes to the CPSU, the Community and Public Sector Union; Chapter C - SPSF Group Western Australian Branch Rules approved by the CPSU-SPSF Group WA Branch Council in March 2023."

Moved: Rikki Hendon

Seconded: Lewis Stevens

CARRIED

6. I declare that the particulars set out in this notice are true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.



14/12/23

Rikki Lee Hendon, Branch Secretary.

*[PLEASE NOTE: This declaration must be submitted to the Fair Work Commission within **35 days** of the changes being transacted by the organisation. It must be accompanied by the 'particulars', which are the details of the rule changes. It can be submitted to regorgs@fwc.gov.au. If the organisation has a website, a notice must be put up on the website that this application has been lodged with the Fair Work Commission and this should be mentioned in the email.]*