



**Q.C.A. UMPIRES ASSOCIATION
ANNUAL REPORT
AND
FINANCIAL STATEMENT**

**TO BE PRESENTED TO
THE SEVENTEENTH
ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING**

ON WEDNESDAY 6th AUGUST, 1986 at 7.30 P.M.

A G E N D A

1. Apologies
2. Confirmation of Minutes - 1985 Annual General Meeting
3. Presentation of Annual Report and Financial Statement
4. Nomination of Life Member
5. Election of Office Bearers for 1986/87 Year
6. Annual Subscription
7. General Business

MEMBERS OF THE Q.C.A. UMPIRES' ASSOCIATION

Allison	R.	1983/84	McDougall	R.	1984/85
Backstrom	N.	1984/85	McPhee	J.	1983/84
Barton	J.	1984/85	** McQuillan	A.	1976/77
** Bertwistle	C.	1983/84	* Melton	T.	1985/86
Bizzell	S.	1983/84	* Merlehan	M.	1985/86
Brockett	R.	1983/84	* Moore	A.	1985/86
Carl	D.	1981/82	Moray	R.	1984/85
Carlile	J.	1982/83	** Musch	T.	1975/76
Coker	P.	1977/78	* Nelson	A.	1985/86
Durstun	G.	1981/82	** O'Neill	R.	1975/76
Dwan	D.	1981/82	** Parker	P.	1981/82
Edmunds	B.	1984/85	Payne	D.	1984/85
Gilbank	P.	1982/83	Pearce	W.	1983/84
* Godfrey	K.	1985/86	Petri	R.	1984/85
** Grout	N.	1975/76	** Philippe	R.	1977/78
Hallam	L.	1983/84	Polkinghorne	P.	1983/84
** Harvey	C.	1973/74	* Richardson	T.	1985/86
** Hislop	E.	1965/66	* Rook	P.	1985/86
** Johnson	M.	1974/75	Scholes	N.	1983/84
James	C.	1983/84	Stacey	H.	1974/75
** King	J.	1981/82	* Stahlhut	C.	1985/86
Lachmund	C.	1984/85	** Strauss	J.	1972/73
Lachmund	R.	1982/83	Street	S.	1983/84
Lanigan	S.	1977/78	** Taylor	J.	1978/79
Latimer	P.	1983/84	** Timmins	C.	1977/78
* Lytras	L.	1985/86	Turner	B.	1982/83
Lindsay	P.	1984/85	Wakenshaw	G.	1978/79
Mahoney	P.	1983/84	Walsh	A.	1983/84
McCamley	G.	1980/81	Westphal	B.	1982/83
			* Whitby	M.	1985/86

* New Members

** Holder of First Grade Badge

LIFE MEMBERS

Scott	A.	1972	** Warwick	T.	1978
McInnes	W.	1975	** Crouch	R.	1982
Newcombe	J.	1976	** Heath	L.	1984
Johnson	L.	1977			

OFFICE BEARERS FOR 1985/86 SEASON

PATRON: R. Spence

PRESIDENT: C. Timmins

VICE PRESIDENT: J. King

HON. SECRETARY: N. Grout

HON. TREASURER: T. Musch

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE: C. Bertwistle, L. Heath, J. McPhee,
P. Parker, R. Philippe (Resigned Oct),
N. Scholes

Q.C.A. DELEGATE: T. Musch

ALLOCATION PANEL -
TST CLASS: C. Harvey

ALLOCATION PANEL -
GRADE: N. Grout, R. Lachmund, R. Philippe,
S. Lanigan (Reserve)

BOARD OF EXAMINATION
AND COACHING: A. McQuillan, T. Musch, J. Taylor

UMPIRES' OBSERVERS: R. Lachmund, R. Philippe,
S. Lanigan (Reserve)

SOCIAL COMMITTEE: C. Bertwistle, N. Grout, S. Lanigan,
J. McPhee, T. Musch, R. Petri

STATISTICIAN: S. Lanigan

HON. AUDITOR: R. Spence

PRESIDENT'S REPORT

It is with a great amount of pleasure that I write this, my first, Report.

Taking over the chair from our excellent past President, Mel Johnson, was something that I accepted with some trepidation, however thanks to a hard working Secretary and Executive Committee the task was made very easy.

The past season has seen some worthwhile achievements being made by your Executive. The Constitution for the formation of the new Queensland Cricket Umpires' Association has now been completed and is ready for presentation to the Queensland Cricket Association for approval. My thanks go to the sub-committee of Col Bertwistle and John McPhee and our Honorary Solicitor, Basil Wright, for their dedication to the completion of this project. If approved by the Q.C.A. the new Association will bring uniform standards and improved knowledge to benefit all Umpires in Queensland. In turn this will benefit Queensland cricket and assist in gaining more respect and recognition from Club Officers and players alike.

It was pleasing to see a greater attendance at meetings this year. The advantage of better attendance is obvious; we were able on average to put more Umpires on the field this year. However, a lot more promotion from all bodies involved in cricket is needed to increase our numbers. The Executive Committee presented some new ideas to the Chairman of the Recruitment Committee for consideration by their Executive and it is hoped that this will help increase our numbers.

Thanks to the Examination and Coaching Panel and the Umpires Observers, the standard of umpiring in presentation and performance has improved; Captains' reports and their verbal comments support this. However, we need still to strive harder for better standards.

Again this year we have enjoyed pleasant and harmonious relations with the Queensland Cricket Association and Grade Committee. A recent meeting with the Grade Committee confirmed their support of our Association and concern for problems which we encounter during our duties.

It was disappointing to see such a lack of support for the social functions this year. All members of our Association have two things in common, a great love of the game of cricket and the dedication to do a job which it is commonly understood no one else would do; yet with us all having these two common denominators we fail to support events organised to strengthen this bond. It is hoped that the hard working Social Committee will gain deserved support this year.

My thanks go to our dedicated Secretary, all Members of the Executive Committee, the Allocation Panel, Umpires' Observers and Statistician.

I wish all Members success and pleasant umpiring during the 1986/87 season.

COLIN TIMMINS

MEMBERSHIP

The total membership for the 1985/86 season was sixty-six, which includes our seven Life Members. Ten new members joined the Association during the season which was unfortunately a decrease of twelve on the previous season.

Of our sixty-six members, fifty officiated in one or more games. Although our Membership numbers and the number of new members are down on previous seasons, the percentage of active members and the average number of umpires per round has increased. This is very encouraging and it is hoped that this increase will continue in 1986/87. It is always difficult to give all Sunday games a full compliment of umpires but this was nearly achieved this season with twenty umpires officiating in the Gabba Sporting Products Competition and twenty-six umpires officiating in the Under 19 Competition. Thanks are extended to those umpires who were available for some of the Sunday games. Congratulations and thanks are also extended to eighteen of our Members who officiated in all Q.C.A. fixture rounds. This is double the number of umpires who did all Q.C.A. fixture games last season.

Congratulations are extended to Tony McQuillan on being appointed to the McDonald's Cup game between Queensland and Tasmania. Also, congratulations to Peter Parker on officiating in the Queensland Metropolitan versus Country Colts game and also the Under 19 Test between Australia and New Zealand. John McPhee and Bob Moray made their First Grade debuts while Tom Richardson, George Durston, Don Payne and Bob Moray officiated in their first Q.C.A. Final.

Col Bertwistle and Peter Parker were presented with their First Grade Badges in the latter part of the season for having officiated in twenty-five First Grade games. There are now seventeen Members who have achieved this milestone, eleven of whom are still umpiring in the Association. On behalf of the Association, we congratulate these members and thank them for their contribution to date and look forward to their continued involvement with the Association.

Our Members were asked to officiate at several games and carnivals throughout the season, including pre-season trial games, a six-a-side competition at Norths, the Under 19 Carnival, the Deaf Test between Australia and India, G.P.S. and T.A.S. games at the completion of our season and the annual Westpac versus A.G.C. game. Our Association also was able to assist the Queensland Womens' Cricket Association by officiating in some of their knock-out games and their Finals.

Congratulations are also extended to the following Members:- Steve Lanigan on his engagement in September, 1985; Tony Walsh on his marriage in February and John and Narelle King on the birth of their third child.

EXECUTIVE REPORT

This year, new members to the Executive Committee were Col Bertwistle, John McPhee, Peter Parker and Neville Scholes.

Executive Committee meetings were called on 12 occasions and attendances were as follows:-

C. Bertwistle (11), N. Grout (12), L. Heath (10), J. King (7), J. McPhee (10), M. Musch (12), P. Parker (7), R. Philippe (0), N. Scholes (8), C. Timmins (11).

After discussions with the Grade Committee in April, 1985, umpires were given an increase of \$5.00 to their allowance with umpires now receiving \$25.00 (with a partner) and \$30.00 (alone) per day. The Grade Committee also decided that umpires' allowances will be reviewed annually. Before allowances were paid into their Access Accounts, members had to sign the payment book at monthly General Meetings or give a written apology to the Secretary. The benefits of signing the payment book were that members were able to check their allowances were correct and also there was greater attendances at General Meetings.

This season saw a completely new captains' report which had ratings rather than 1 - 10 for each umpire. Ample space was also provided for written comments on each umpire. Captains had to jointly complete these reports. This form of report has proved very successful with captains giving more consideration to the umpires' performance and writing more positive and constructive comments about umpires. As a result of the new form of report and the captains' comments, the standard of umpiring has improved.

The Grade Committee agreed to two umpires' observers being appointed for the 1985/86 season. Rob Lachmund and Bob Philippe were duly appointed to be our observers but due to Bob's ill health, Steve Lanigan performed the observer's duties during the second half of the season. The umpires' observers were given the additional duty this season of viewing and assisting probationary umpires in their first few games to assess if they were competent enough to become members of our Association. New umpires found the assistance of the observers very helpful and beneficial.

The Executive Committee spent a lot of time this season discussing whether umpires were prepared to officiate alone in the lower grades as a result of talks with Mr. Spence and a motion from Souths District Cricket Club. Members reaffirmed that they were not prepared to officiate alone and a letter stating the reasons for our decision was sent to the Grade Committee for their consideration. It appears that umpires will continue to officiate in pairs.

Three members of the Executive met with the Grade Committee in May. Some of the items discussed were: payment of umpires, the recruitment of umpires, slight changes to the captains' reports, the allocation of umpires and reporting of players.

It was also decided that an Honour Board showing the Presidents, Secretaries, Life Members and First Class Umpires of our Association be made and hung in the Players' Dining Room at the Gabba. The completion of the Honour Board will be a project for the incoming Executive Committee.

Although the Association has not been able to completely repay the loan which the Q.C.A. so generously gave us as quickly as we had hoped, it is pleasing to report that two repayments were made during 1985/86 - \$1,500.00 in November, 1985 and \$1,000.00 in April, 1986. Our debt to the Q.C.A. is now only \$3,000.00.

Finally, our thanks go to the Q.C.A. and their office staff for their assistance and co-operation throughout the year.

THE BOB SPENCE MEDAL

1985/86 was the second year that umpires were awarded points for the Bob Spence Medal.

A subcommittee was formed to recommend any changes that needed to be made to the allocation of points towards this medal. For the 1985/86 season, points were given for attending an umpiring seminar and umpires' marks per game had to be changed because of the changes to the captains' reports.

Thanks are extended to Steve Lanigan who was statistician for the award. The collation of these points took a great deal of time and effort and was greatly appreciated by the members.

At the Umpires' Annual Dinner Dance the top ten contenders, namely Col Bertwistle, George Durston, Mick Harvey, Tony McQuillan, Merv Musch, Don Payne, Tom Richardson, Neville Scholes, Col Timmins and Brian Turner were announced. This was followed by the presentation of the medal to the winner, Don Payne. The Association congratulates Don on winning the medal.

Don Payne is only in his second season of umpiring having joined the Association in January, 1985. Don may be relatively new to umpiring, but has been involved in Q.C.A. cricket for many years through his five sons all playing district cricket and being very active in Toombul District Cricket Club. Don officiated in the last four rounds of the 1984/85 season. During the 1985/86 season he umpired two Third Grade games and was then promoted to Second Grade where he officiated the remainder of the season. Don made himself available for any Sunday games and was appointed to one Gabba Sporting Products game and all Under 19 games.

SOCIAL COMMITTEE REPORT

The Committee set out with two main objectives, firstly to create a social atmosphere whereby Members, either with ten years experience or in their first season, would be able to communicate and exchange ideas and secondly, and probably secondary, to raise funds to subsidise members for the cost of the end of season dinner.

As a prelude to the opening of the season, a barbeque lunch was held at Nelma's residence and a good time was enjoyed by all who attended. Our first objective appeared to be off to a good start.

Due to poor support for the 1984/85 Christmas Party, a Wine and Cheese Evening was arranged at the University Clubhouse in December and although only 36 attended, sore heads and some dubious decisions next day was probably a good indication of the night. Our thanks to David Smith of Saxonvale Wines for excellent co-operation in supply and selection of wines.

Understandably, reasons for the rather poor response was investigated and some members indicated that maybe a beer night could prove popular and they would definitely attend.

So back to the drawing board and after exhaustive enquiries, we decided on a new concept for the Association - an International Beer Night - providing six overseas beers plus a few favourite Australian products. Twenty-seven people attended but there was no doubting that the appreciation expressed by the usual hard core supporters summed up the night.

A social event with a difference was the Umpires versus Valley cricket match at Ashgrove Oval. The result was cricketers over-ruled umpires' decision and run out winners. John King's hat has been cremated and remains available for a challenge next year. Thanks Valley for a really good day. See you in 1986/87.

Due to the perseverance of the Committee Members, notwithstanding disappointing attendances at functions, we were able to subsidise each Member attending the Presentation Night (51 in all) an amount of \$10.00 - total cost \$30.00 per person. For those who were unable to be at the Ridge All Suites Inn for the "Bob Spence Medal" Presentation to Don Payne, please try to be there next year as there is no doubt everyone offered nothing but praise.

No Committee of course can hope to succeed without the silent achievers who seem to always be there when needed. Thanks, Basil Wright, we appreciate your interest in the well being of the Association. Also, our President, Col Timmins kept in close contact and afforded support in many ways.

In conclusion, the Committee feels our objectives were achieved but made more difficult by a rather complacent attitude by some Members. It could well be that not enough thought is given

to the real purpose in establishing a Social Committee. Six Members work tirelessly to give your Association a diversification from the pressure activities we experience each weekend. A retreat for the want of a better word.

BOARD OF EXAMINATION AND COACHING

This year's Examination and Coaching Panel was a very active Committee and has had a very successful year.

The panel has held discussions and coaching sessions at each monthly meeting except November when a refresher examination set by the panel was taken by members. These sessions planned by the Examination and Coaching Panel were helpful to new and experienced members. Unfortunately a number of members are unable to attend monthly meetings and therefore do not benefit from these valuable sessions.

This year, the panel held two seminars in an endeavour to cater for members who could attend on weekends or only week nights. The first seminar prior to the season, was attended by 23 people. The second seminar, on the 30th October was attended by only eight members, six of whom were First Grade umpires. The panel was very disappointed with these attendances.

With the assistance of a few of the members, the panel held seminars for the Toowoomba Umpires Association, Church Union Association and also the Sunshine Coast Umpires Association. Also throughout the year, members of the panel have been marking examination papers that have been received from various Country Associations.

In the coming year, seminars have been arranged for Zone 4 Juniors, Queensland Women's Cricket and a date has already been set for a pre-season seminar for prospective members.

The Examination and Coaching Panel hope that more members will attend seminars as they are beneficial to all umpires.

UMPIRES ALLOCATION PANEL

This panel of three is appointed by the Executive of this Association. The panel was very busy throughout the season having to allocate umpires to twelve Q.C.A. fixture games, seven Gabba Sporting Products games and five Under 19 games as well as Semi Finals and Finals.

Umpires were allocated to games on a round by round basis. Umpires were only allocated to games if they had notified the Q.C.A. or a member of the panel by the specified time of their availability. Using this method, there were fewer changes to be made when umpires received their appointments.

Up to Round 10, umpires were rotated in the lower Grades so that all Grades were having the benefit of umpires for some games during the season. For Rounds, 10, 11, 12 umpires were appointed to the crucial games in each grade.

The Allocation Panel would like to thank members for their commitment to umpiring this season especially to those umpires who were available for all Q.C.A. fixture games and the majority of Sunday games.

The Panel wishes to express their sincere thanks to Ian and Christine at the Q.C.A. for all their assistance throughout the seasons.

FEDERATION OF AUSTRALIAN CRICKET UMPIRES

This year, the Federation has played rather a low key role. At the beginning of the season, the Federation asked the State Associations what role they wanted the Federation to play. As a result of this, their main concern has been the publication of the 'Over' magazine.

The State Associations did not have to pay for the publishing of 'Over' this year due to sponsorship being obtained. Two editions of 'Over' were received during the 1985/86 season. Mr Paul Ryan was the national editor with Mr. Col Bertwistle being our Queensland editor.

UMPIRES RECRUITMENT COMMITTEE

The members of our Association on this Committee were Merv Musch, Jim Taylor and Col Timmins. Unfortunately, this Committee only met once at the beginning of the season. Mr. Noel Gorman was the Chairman of this Committee.

It is hoped that this Committee will be more active in the forthcoming season as it is vital that the Association recruit more members. Our aim is to have two umpires in every game of the Q.C.A. fixtures.

QUEENSLAND CRICKET UMPIRES ASSOCIATION

This Association as such held its first and last Annual General Meeting in Bundaberg on August, 24th. A week-end conference was held in conjunction with the Annual Meeting which was attended by five of our members. The week-end was enjoyed by all.

Our Association is in the process of becoming the parent body of all Umpiring Associations within Queensland and during the 1986/87 season will change its name to the Queensland Cricket Umpires Association. All Umpiring Associations in Queensland will be eligible to be affiliated to the new Q.C.U.A.

QUEENSLAND CRICKETERS' CLUB

The Association would like to express its sincere thanks to the management and staff of the Club for their assistance throughout the 1985/86. We are most appreciative of the Club's gesture in allowing the Executive Committee the use of the library for our meetings.

The Cricketers' Club kindly donated Dinner for Two at the Club Restaurant as a prize for our major Christmas Raffle. The Club housed the Perpetual Trophy for the Bob Spence Medal. For these things, we are very grateful.

The facilities of the Club are always available to our members on meeting nights throughout the year. Bar facilities are available to members before and after meetings. Our continued support in this area will be well received by the Club.

CONCLUSION

Thanks are extended to all members who have supported the Association throughout the year and to all those who may have assisted in any way with any of the off field activities.

The members have appreciated those clubs who have made us welcome at their grounds and to those who have invited us to their functions and meetings.

For and on behalf of the Executive Committee.

C. TIMMINS - PRESIDENT

N. GROUT - SECRETARY

FIRST CLASS MATCHES AND SPECIAL APPOINTMENTS

The following Members were appointed to First Class matches or other special appointments.

TEST

Australia v New Zealand 2nd Test M. Johnson

BENSON & HEDGES WORLD SERIES CUP

5 matches (including First Final) M. Johnson

SHIELD

QLD v VIC M. Johnson, J. King

QLD v W.A. J. King, C. Timmins

QLD v S.A. M. Johnson, C. Timmins

QLD v N.S.W. M. Johnson, J. King

QLD v TAS J. King, C. Timmins

QLD v N.S.W. (Shield Final) M. Johnson

INTERNATIONAL

QLD v New Zealand M. Johnson, C. Timmins

McDONALD'S CUP

QLD v TAS M. Johnson, A. McQuillan

UNDER 19 TEST

Australia v New Zealand J. King, P. Parker

GABBA SPORTING PRODUCTS FINAL

Norths v Souths C. Bertwistle, J. King

Q.C.A. PREMIERSHIP FINALS

1st Grade: J. King, C. Timmins

2nd Grade: P. Parker, J. Taylor

3rd Grade: C. Bertwistle, C. Harvey

4th Grade: A. McQuillan, B. Turner

5th Grade: G. Durston, N. Scholes

U18 Grade: T. Richardson, D. Payne,
R. Moray

U19 Grade: C. Harvey, J. Taylor

SEASON 1985/86 - UMPIRE ANALYSIS

Name	Reports Received	Grades					U18	GSP	U19
		1	2	3	4	5			
R. Allison	12			1	1	1	7		2
J. Barton	5			1		1	2		1
C. Bertwistle	18	12						6	
S. Bizzell	9			7	1		1		
R. Brockett	10			6			2		2
D. Carl	3			3					
J. Carlile	3		1					2	
G. Durston	19	10	2					6	1
B. Edmunds	13		2	5	2		2		2
P. Gilbank	11			1	3	1	3		3
K. Godfrey	5				1	1	2		1
L. Hallam	11			5	3		3		
C. Harvey	16	10		1				2	3
L. Heath	11		8	1	1				1
E. Hislop	8			3	2		3		
C. James	4		3					1	
M. Johnson	7	2	3	1		1			
J. King	10	7	1					2	
C. Lachmund	10		4	4	1	1			
P. Latimer	17		5	3	3	1		4	1
L. Lytras	8				5	1	2		
P. Lindsay	16			4	1	2	5		4
P. Mahoney	4			1	1	1	1		
G. McCamley	5		4		1				
R. McDougall	7			1		2	3		1
J. McPhee	14	6	6					1	1
A. McQuillan	15	12						3	
T. Melton	8				3	1	3		1
A. Moore	9			3	1	2	3		
R. Moray	17	1	9	2				2	3
T. Musch	17	12						5	
A. Nelson	6				1	3	2		
P. Parker	12	11	1						
D. Payne	17		10	2				1	4
W. Pearce	7			1	2		3		1
R. Petri	20		10	1		1		5	3
P. Polkinghorne	12		10	2					
T. Richardson	14		9	3				1	1
P. Rook	10		6	3	1				
N. Scholes	20	10	2					6	2
H. Stacey	12		11		1				
C. Stahlhut	7				2	5			
S. Street	9			1	3	2	3		
J. Taylor	15	8	1			1		4	1
C. Timmins	12	8	1				1	2	
B. Turner	19	12						6	1
G. Wakenshaw	6			1	2	1	2		
A. Walsh	15		5	3	2	1		2	2
B. Westphal	16		11					5	
M. Whitby	5				4		1		

Q.C.A. UMPIRES ASSOCIATION

INCOME AND EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT

YEAR ENDED 30TH APRIL, 1986

INCOME

	<u>1986</u>	<u>1985</u>
Annual Dinner Dance	1122	1310
Donations	10	-
Interest	59	35
Membership Fees	1425	1560
Raffles	661	128
Sales -		
Happy hour	328	201
Rules Books	101	100
Badges	20	14
Lotto	-	150
Counters	5	100
Beer Night	436	-
Sundry Functions	260	298
Christmas Party and Wine Night	848	340
Hire of Film	1440	5200
	<u>6715</u>	<u>9436</u>

EXPENDITURE

Affiliation Fee - Q.C.A.	-	50
Annual Dinner Dance	255	1603
Bank Charges	6	9
Lotto Prizes	-	105
Queensland Cricket Umpires Association Dues	50	25
Depreciation	20	20
Raffles	89	40
Film	-	456
Honoraria	200	175
Insurance	275	342
Interest	-	52
Postage	311	330
Sundries	139	25
Printing and Stationery	345	181
Umpires' Medal	-	489
Purchases -		
Happy Hour	416	274
Beer Night	489	-
Handbooks	-	269
Seminar	-	61
Christmas Party	663	170
Sundry Functions	196	224
Cleaning	-	25
	<u>3454</u>	<u>4925</u>
Surplus for Year	3261	4511

Q.C.A. UMPIRES' ASSOCIATION

<u>BALANCE SHEET</u>	30TH APRIL, 1986	
	1986	1985
Funds have been provided from:		
<u>ACCUMULATED FUNDS</u>		
Balance 30th April, 1985	13690	9179
Surplus for Year	3261	4511
	16951	13690
<u>CURRENT LIABILITIES</u>		
Loan - Q.C.A. Ltd.	3000	5500
<u>TOTAL FUNDS PROVIDED</u>	19951	19190
These Funds are represented by:		
<u>CURRENT ASSETS</u>		
Cash at Bank	2068	1287
<u>INVESTMENT</u>		
Coaching Film (At Cost)	17824	17824
<u>EQUIPMENT (At Cost less Depreciation)</u>	59	79
<u>TOTAL ASSETS EMPLOYED</u>	19951	19190

AUDITOR' REPORT

I report that I have examined the attached Income and Expenditure Account and Balance Sheet which have been prepared in accordance with the convention of historical cost accounting. It is not practicable for the Association to establish accounting control over all sources of income prior to its receipt and accordingly it is not possible for my examination to include audit procedures to extend beyond the amounts of receipts recorded in the accounting records of the Association. In my opinion, monies recorded as receipts have been properly accounted for by the Association.

Subject to the foregoing, in my opinion, the Balance Sheet fairly represents the financial position of the Association as at the 30th April, 1986 and the Income and Expenditure Account fairly represents the results for the year then ended as disclosed by the books of account.

BRISBANE
1ST JULY, 1986

ROBERT SPENCE
CHARTERED ACCOUNTANT
HON. AUDITOR

