## **Change to UFU ACT Branch Rules**

Alter **Schedule 7** of the United Firefighters' Union of the Australian Capital Territory Branch Rules by inserting new wording at **1(a)(iii)**, **1(b)(i)** and changing wording at **1(c)(ii)** as follows:

1(a) The Branch Committee of Management established by Rule 56(1) is more particularly defined for the purposes of the Australian Capital Territory Branch to consist of:

(i) The President, the Vice President, the Junior Vice President and the Secretary (who shall also be the Branch Treasurer).

(ii) Four Trustees.

**INSERT** - (iii) One firefighter committee member who shall be of a rank below Station Officer.

(b) All positions, as specified in sub-rule (a)(i) and (ii) hereof, shall be open to nominations from all members of the United Firefighters' Union of Australia, Australian Capital Territory Branch and all members shall be entitled to participate in the election of the said positions.

**INSERT** - (i) Nominations for the position specified in (a) (iii) hereof, shall only be accepted from persons who are a rank below the rank Station Officer.

(c) The additional position of firefighter committee member shall be filled in the following manner as soon as practicable after certification of this rule:

(i) In accordance with the rules of the Union, with the necessary changes being made, for the conduct of ordinary elections.

(ii) The person declared elected shall hold office from the date of declaration until the declaration of the ordinary election for **REMOVE** <u>"trustees to be conducted in 1997"</u> **INSERT** <u>branch committee of management members to be conducted in 2027.</u>