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TO: ALL HONORARY SECRETARIES AND SECRETARIES OF RSL SUB-BRANCHES,
DISTRICT COUNCILS AND STATE COUNCILLORS

EXPIRY DATE: 24th May, 2017

Dear Sir/Madam,

INCORRECT SPELLING ON BALLOT PAPER

One of the candidates for State President has had his name misspelt on the yellow ballot paper. The candidate has requested that these papers be ruled invalid and a new ballot paper be issued. RSL NSW has complied with the request and now asks all Honorary Secretaries and Secretaries of RSL sub-Branches to observe the following actions:

1. Remove the yellow State President ballot paper from the pack you have already received and destroy it.
2. Find enclosed with this circular a new lilac coloured ballot paper for State President 2017-2020.
3. Follow the normal procedure for completing the ballot paper.
4. Place both the lilac State President ballot paper and your regional State Councillor ballot paper together in the white envelope marked 'BALLOT PAPERS'.
5. Place the white envelop into the larger numbered envelop marked 'Returning Officer, State Council Elections, etc' and post it to State Branch.

Please note that the yellow ballot paper has been declared invalid and will not be counted. If you have already posted your ballot papers to ANZAC House, please contact Jane FitzGerald on 9264 8188 ext 710 and a new set of ballot papers will be issued to you.

Ballot papers are required to be returned to ANZAC House by Thursday 18 May 2017 in preparation for counting on day one of Annual State Congress.

Please contact ANZAC House if you have any questions regarding this process and I apologise for any inconvenience.

Yours sincerely

Jeff O'Brien

ASSISTANT STATE SECRETARY