

## THE UNIVERSITY OF MELBOURNE ARCHIVES

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NAME OF COLLECTION	AUSTRALIAN POSTAL AND TELECOMMUNICATIONS UNION, FEDERAL OFFICE
COLLECTION	
ACCESSION NO	A.1986.0111
CATEGORY	
ACTIVITY	Trade Unions
DATE RANGE	1956-1980
SIZE OF COLLECTION	90 archives boxes x 91
HISTORICAL	The A.P.T.U. had its origins in the Australian Letter Carriers Association which was registered federally in 1912. From 1926 after the amalgamation of a number of small sectional unions, it was known as the Amalgamated Postal Workers Union, covering postmen, sorters and linesmen. The present name was adopted in 1974 and later incorporated telegraphists. In 1992 after a series of further amalgamations, including the Australian Postmasters Association, the Australian Telecommunications Employees Association/Australian Telephone and Phonogram Operators Association and the Postal Supervisory Officers Association to form the Communication Workers' Union - Postal and Telecommunications Branch.
DATE OF TRANSFER	26 March 1986
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DESCRIPTION	First of two accessions, containing branch correspondence, subject and dispute files.
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## ACCESSION/ENTRY FORM

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BOX NO.	FILE NOS.	YEARS	TITLES
: <b>1</b>	l/la	1973-75	ACTU / ACTU CIRCULARS
2	l/la	1976-77	ACTU / ACTU CIRCULARS
3	l/la	1978-79	ACTU / ACTU CIRCULARS
4	l/la/lb	1979-80	ACTU / ACTU CIRCULARS / CAGEO
5	3/4/5	1971-80	AMALGAMATION / AMENITIES & WELFARE / ANNUAL CONFERENCE
6	5	1974-80	ANNUAL CONFERENCE
7	6/7	1969-80	APPOINTMENTS (QUALIFICATIONS) / ARBITRATION NOTIFICATIO
8	7	1974-80	ARBITRATION NOTIFICATIONS
9	7a-c	1971-80	AREA MANAGEMENT AND MAIL CENTRES
10	8	1973-80	A.L.P.
11	9	1972-80	AUTOMATION - TECHNOLOGICAL CHANGE
12	9a	1975-80	AWARD - APC/ATC APPLICATIONS
13	10/11	1971-80	BADGES / BALLOTS
14	13a	1971-76	BRANCHES - NEW SOUTH WALES
15	13a	1977-80	BRANCHES - NEW SOUTH WALES
16	13b	1971-80	BRANCHES - QUEENSLAND
17	13c	1971-80	BRANCHES - SOUTH AUSTRALIA
18	13d/13e	1971-80	BRANCHES - TASMANAIA / VICTORIA
19	13f	1971-80	BRANCHES - WESTERN AUSTRALIA
20	20/24a	1956-80	CASUAL LABOUR / CHRISTMAS CARD LIST / CLASSIFICATION OF POSITIONS / CLEANERS, ETC. / CLERICAL ASSISTANTS
21	25/25a	1971-80	CLOTHING / THE COMMUNICATION WORKER
22	25b/26	1974-80	COMMUNICATIONS SATELLITE / COMPENSATION
23	26/26a	1973-80	COMPENSATION / CAGEO
24	26a	1976-77	CAGEO
25	26a	1976-77	CAGEO

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26	26a	1977	CAGEO
27	26a	19 <b>77–7</b> 8	CAGEO
28	26a	1978	CAGEO
29	26a	1978-79	CAGEO
30	26a	1979-80	CAGEO
31	26a	1980	CAGEO
32	26a	1980	CAGEO
33	27	1972-73	AUSTRALIAN POSTAL COMMISSION
34	27	1975	AUSTRALIAN POSTAL COMMISSION / AUSTRALIAN TELECOMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION
<b>3</b> 5	27	1975-76	AUSTRALIAN POSTAL COMMISSION / AUSTRALIAN TELECOMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION
36	27	1977-78	AUSTRALIAN POSTAL COMMISSION / AUSTRALIAN TELECOMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION
37	27	1979-80	AUSTRALIAN POSTAL COMMISSION / AUSTRALIAN TELECOMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION
38	27b/27c	1976-79	CONDITIONS OF EMPLOYMENT FOR UNION STAFF / CONSULTATIVE COUNCILS - APC & ATC
39	27c	1978-79	CONSULTATIVE COUNCILS - APC & ATC
40	27c&d/ 30/30a	1975-80	CONSULTATIVE COUNCILS - APC & ATC / CREDENTIALS FOR MEETINGS / DEMARCATION - PLANT STAFF / DISASTERS
41	30b/31/ 32/32a	1977-79	DISCRIMINATION IN EMPLOYMENT / DISTRICT ALLOWANCE / EDUCATION / ENGINEERING
42,	32/33	1971-80	EDUCATION / EQUAL PAY
43	33a/34	1975-80	EXTERNAL PLANT / FEDERAL EXECUTIVE
44	34a	1971-78	FEDERAL EXECUTIVE MEETINGS
45	34a/34b	1973-80	FEDERAL EXECUTIVE MEETINGS / COUNCILLOR MEMOS
46	34b	1974-75	COUNCILLOR MEMOS
47	34b	1975-76	COUNCILLOR MEMOS
48	34b	1976-77	COUNCILLOR MEMOS

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49	34b	1978-79	COUNCILLOR MEMOS
50	35/36	1971-80	FIELD ORGANISATION / FIVE DAY WEEK
51	36	1976	FIVE DAY WEEK
52	36	1976	FIVE DAY WEEK
53	36/36a/ 37	1971-80	FIVE DAY WEEK / FLEXIBLE HOURS / FOOD SERVICES
54	37a	1974-80	GOVERNMENT - MISCELLANEOUS
55	38/38a-b/ 39/39a	1971-80	GRIEVANCE PROCEDURES / HANSARDS / HIGHER DUTIES / HOUSING / HISTORY OF APWU (APTU)
56	40	1968-77	INDUSTRIAL REGISTRAR
5.7	40/41/42	1971-80	INDUSTRIAL REGISTRAR / INSURANCE / JOINT COUNCIL
58	42/42a	1971-80	JOINT COUNCIL / JOINT COUNCIL SUB-COMMITTEES
59	42a	1972-75	JOINT COUNCIL SUB-COMMITTEES
60	42a	1975	JOINT COUNCIL SUB-COMMITTEES
61	42 a	1975-77	JOINT COUNCIL SUB-COMMITTEES
62	42a/43/44	1971-80	JOINT COUNCIL SUB-COMMITTEES / JUNIORS / LEAVE
63	45/46	1971-80	LEGAL OPINIONS / LINES SECTION GENERAL
64	46a-g	1971-80	LINE SECTION - CONTRACT WORK/MECH AIDS/CABLE JOINTERS/ SALARIES/TECH INSTRUCTORS/TRAINING/STRUCTURE
65	46h/51	1971-80	EXTERNAL PLANT STRUCTURE / MAIL BRANCH GENERAL
66	51a-b	1971-80	MAIL BRANCH - CONTAINERISATION/ELECTRONIC CODING
67	51b-e/ 60-61	1971-80	MAIL BRANCH - ELECTRONIC CODING/ROSTERS/SALARIES/ TRAINING / MEAL BREAKS / MEMBERSHIP / MEDIBANK / MISC.
68	61/62	1974-80	MISCELLANEOUS / MOTOR CYCLES
69	62b	1974-78	OCCUPATIONAL HEALTH AND SAFETY
70	62b/63	1973-80	OCCUPATIONAL HEALTH & SAFETY / OFFICE EQUIPMENT, ETC.
7.1	64/64a	1971-80	OVERSEAS ORGANISATIONS / DELEGATIONS
72	65-71	1971-80	OVERTIME / PETITIONS / PHYSICAL GRADES / POSITIONS CLASSIFICATIONS / POSTAL SECTION / POSTAL LEVELS / POSTAL OFFICERS

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73	72-75	19 <b>7</b> 1-80	POSTMEN / POST OFFICE STAFF / PRESS RELEASES / PROMOTIONS APPEALS
74	76/76a	1971-75	PTTI
<b>7</b> 5	76a	1976-80	PTTI
<b>7</b> 6	76a/77/ 78/78b	1971-80	PTTI / PUBLICATIONS / PUBLIC SERVICE BOARD
77	78	1973-76	PUBLIC SERVICE BOARD
78	78	1977-81	PUBLIC SERVICE BOARD
79	79-81a	1971-80	RATES OF PAY / REDUCED ATTENDANCES:/ REDUNDANCY / REPRESENTATIONS / RETIRED MEMBERS' ASSOCIATION
80	82/83	1971-80	RULES CHANGES / SAFETY COMMITTEES
81	84/84a/ 86/87	1971-80	SALARIES GENERAL / SALARIES & UNION DUES / SHIFTS / SLATER (PERSONAL)
82	88/89/ 89a/91	1965-80	STATISTICS / STORES BRANCH / STRIKES
83	92	1974-79	SUPERANNUATION
84	92	1969-73	SUPERANNUATION
85	92	1974-78	SUPERANNUATION
86	92a	1979-80	SYSTEMS
87	93-97	1966-80	TECHNICAL & DRAFTING GRADES / TELEGRAMS & TELEPHONE DUTY / TEMPORARY EMPLOYEES / TRADES HALL COUNCIL / TRANSFERS
88	98/98a/ 100/101	1971-80	TRANSPORT SECTION / TRAVELLING ALLOWANCE / UNION CARS
89	102-104	1971-80	UNION CONTRIBUTIONS / UNIONS / TELEGRAMS
90		1971-80	Allowances No. 2. file (3 files)
90		1969	Legal opinions and legal matters.

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