

1979.0113 RECORDS OF THE COMBINED COMMONWEALTH SHOP STEWARDS COMMITTEE, VICTORIA 1971

Creator	Combined Commonwealth Shop Stewards Committee, Victoria
Creator's Activity/Occupation	Trade Unions

Biography:

Established around 1970, by unions representing Commonwealth employees in Victoria, this shop stewards' committee was particularly concerned with campaigns for production diversification and against retrenchments. Eric Persson was its convener from 1972 to 1975. Perssons was also secretary of the C.U.S.C. Williamstown Naval Dockyard and member of the Ship Painters and Dockers. In 1979 he was an organiser for the Victorian Branch of the Federated Engine Drivers' and Firemen's Association.

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Scope and Content of Series

Correspondence; minutes of meetings 1971-1975; circulars and organisational material; combined AEU BBS: Sheetmetal delegates from Government establishments minutes of meetings 1971; redundancy policy; Committee of Enquiry into Workloads in Munitions Factories; advertising material; publications.

Archival History

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These papers were included among material donated by Eric Perssons, formerly secretary of the Williamstown Naval Dockyard Combined Unions Shop Committe, c.1971-1975, and member of the Ship Painters and Dockers. Between 1972 and 1975 he was also convener of the Commonwealth Establishments Shop Stewards' Committee.

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1979.0113 Unit 1	1979.0113.00001	Minutes Commonwealth Establishments Shop Stewards Committee: Delegate Meetings and Mass Meetings	3 February 1972	Previous Control Number: 1/1/1/1	
1979.0113 Unit 1	1979.0113.00002	Minutes Commonwealth Establishments Shop Stewards Committee: Delegate Meetings and Mass Meetings	26 April 1972	Previous Control Number: 1/1/1/2	
1979.0113 Unit 1	1979.0113.00003	Minutes Commonwealth Establishments Shop Stewards Committee: Delegate Meetings and Mass Meetings	9 August 1972	Previous Control Number: 1/1/1/3	
1979.0113 Unit 1	1979.0113.00004	Minutes Commonwealth Establishments Shop Stewards Committee: Delegate Meetings and Mass Meetings	21 August 1972	Previous Control Number: 1/1/1/4	
1979.0113 Unit 1	1979.0113.00005	Minutes Commonwealth Establishments Shop Stewards Committee: Delegate Meetings and Mass Meetings	10 October 1972	Previous Control Number: 1/1/1/5	
1979.0113 Unit 1	1979.0113.00006	Minutes Commonwealth Establishments Shop Stewards Committee: Delegate Meetings and Mass Meetings	22 November 1972	Previous Control Number: 1/1/1/6	
1979.0113 Unit 1	1979.0113.00007	Minutes Commonwealth Establishments Shop Stewards Committee: Delegate Meetings and Mass Meetings	17 May 1973	Previous Control Number: 1/1/2/1	
1979.0113 Unit 1	1979.0113.00008	Minutes Commonwealth Establishments Shop Stewards Committee: Delegate Meetings and Mass Meetings	29 June 1973	Previous Control Number: 1/1/2/2	



1979.0113 Unit 1	1979.0113.00009	Minutes Commonwealth Establishments Shop Stewards Committee: Delegate Meetings and Mass Meetings	27 August 1973	Pevious Control Number: 1/1/2/3
1979.0113 Unit 1	1979.0113.00010	Minutes Commonwealth Establishments Shop Stewards Committee: Delegate Meetings and Mass Meetings	29 August 1973	Attached is a report of C.E.S.S.C. delegation to Canberra, 30 August. Previous Control Number: 1/1/2/4
1979.0113 Unit 1	1979.0113.00011	Minutes Commonwealth Establishments Shop Stewards Committee: Delegate Meetings and Mass Meetings	3 September 1973	Previous Control Number: 1/1/2/5
1979.0113 Unit 1	1979.0113.00012	Minutes Commonwealth Establishments Shop Stewards Committee: Delegate Meetings and Mass Meetings	10 September 1973	Previous Control Number: 1/1/2/6
1979.0113 Unit 1	1979.0113.00013	Minutes Commonwealth Establishments Shop Stewards Committee: Delegate Meetings and Mass Meetings	24 September 1973	Previous Control Number: 1/1/2/7
1979.0113 Unit 1	1979.0113.00014	Minutes Commonwealth Establishments Shop Stewards Committee: Delegate Meetings and Mass Meetings	1 October 1973	Previous Control Number: 1/1/2/8
1979.0113 Unit 1	1979.0113.00015	Minutes Commonwealth Establishments Shop Stewards Committee: Delegate Meetings and Mass Meetings	1 October 1973	Report back meetings. Previous Control Number: 1/1/2/9
1979.0113 Unit 1	1979.0113.00016	Minutes Commonwealth Establishments Shop	7 December 1973	Previous Control Number: 1/1/2/10



1979.0113 Unit 1	1979.0113.00017	Minutes Commonwealth Establishments Shop Stewards Committee: Delegate Meetings and Mass Meetings	19 February 1974	Previous Control Number: 1/1/3/1
1979.0113 Unit 1	1979.0113.00018	Minutes Commonwealth Establishments Shop Stewards Committee: Delegate Meetings and Mass Meetings	13 June 1974	Previous Control Number: 1/1/3/2
1979.0113 Unit 1	1979.0113.00019	Minutes Commonwealth Establishments Shop Stewards Committee: Delegate Meetings and Mass Meetings	18 June 1974	Previous Control Number: 1/1/3/3
1979.0113 Unit 1	1979.0113.00020	Minutes Commonwealth Establishments Shop Stewards Committee: Delegate Meetings and Mass Meetings	25 June - 2 July 1974	Report back meetings. Previous Control Number: 1/1/3/4
1979.0113 Unit 1	1979.0113.00021	Minutes Commonwealth Establishments Shop Stewards Committee: Delegate Meetings and Mass Meetings	13 August 1974	Previous Control Number: 1/1/3/5
1979.0113 Unit 1	1979.0113.00022	Minutes Commonwealth Establishments Shop Stewards Committee: Delegate Meetings and Mass Meetings	18 October 1974	Previous Control Number: 1/1/3/6
1979.0113 Unit 1	1979.0113.00023	Minutes Commonwealth Establishments Shop Stewards Committee: Delegate Meetings and Mass Meetings	31 October 1974	Previous Control Number: 1/1/3/7
1979.0113 Unit 1	1979.0113.00024	Minutes Commonwealth Establishments Shop Stewards Committee: Delegate Meetings and Mass Meetings	11 November 1974	Previous Control Number: 1/1/3/8



1979.0113 Unit 1	1979.0113.00025	Minutes Commonwealth Establishments Shop Stewards Committee: Delegate Meetings and Mass Meetings	30 January 1975	Previous Control Number: 1/1/4/1
1979.0113 Unit 1	1979.0113.00026	Minutes Commonwealth Establishments Shop Stewards Committee: Delegate Meetings and Mass Meetings	7 March 1975	Previous Control Number: 1/1/4/2
1979.0113 Unit 1	1979.0113.00027	Minutes Commonwealth Establishments Shop Stewards Committee: Delegate Meetings and Mass Meetings	15 August 1975	Previous Control Number: 1/1/4/3
1979.0113 Unit 1	1979.0113.00028	Minutes Commonwealth Establishments Shop Stewards Committee: Delegate Meetings and Mass Meetings	24 October 1975	Previous Control Number: 1/1/4/4
1979.0113 Unit 1	1979.0113.00029	Minutes Commonwealth Establishments Shop Stewards Committee: Delegate Meetings and Mass Meetings	27 October 1975	Previous Control Number: 1/1/4/5
1979.0113 Unit 1	1979.0113.00030	Minutes Commonwealth Establishments Shop Stewards Committee: Delegate Meetings and Mass Meetings	7 November 1975	Previous Control Number: 1/1/4/6
1979.0113 Unit 1	1979.0113.00031	Minutes Combined A.E.U., B.B.S. and Sheet Metal Delegates from Commonwealth Establishments	1 November 1971	Previous Control Number: 1/2/1
1979.0113 Unit 1	1979.0113.00032	Minutes Combined Commonwealth Instrumentalities Delegates Committee (New South Wales)	17 August 1972	Previous Control Number: 1/3/1
1979.0113 Unit 1	1979.0113.00033	Minutes Combined Commonwealth Instrumentalities Delegates Committee (New South Wales)	c.1972	10 May 1972? 1973? Previous Control Number: 1/3/2



1979.0113 Unit 1	1979.0113.00034	Resolutions Carried at Delegate and Mass Meetings	10 November 1971	Regarding flow on of Metal Trades Interim Award. Previous Control Number: 2/1
1979.0113 Unit 1	1979.0113.00035	Resolutions Carried at Delegate and Mass Meetings	3 November 1971	Regarding flow on of Metal Trades Interim Award. Previous Control Number: 2/2
1979.0113 Unit 1	1979.0113.00036	Resolutions Carried at Delegate and Mass Meetings	23 November 1971	Regarding flow on of Metal Trades Interim Award. Previous Control Number: 2/3
1979.0113 Unit 1	1979.0113.00037	Resolutions Carried at Delegate and Mass Meetings	17 February 1972	Regarding flow on of parent awards to Commonwealth workers. Previous Control Number: 2/4
1979.0113 Unit 1	1979.0113.00038	Resolutions Carried at Delegate and Mass Meetings	18 July 1972	Endorsement of Commonwealth employees Log of Claims. Previous Control Number: 2/5
1979.0113 Unit 1	1979.0113.00039	Resolutions Carried at Delegate and Mass Meetings	18 September 1973	Regarding maintenance of government establishments and alternative work. Previous Control Number: 2/6
1979.0113 Unit 1	1979.0113.00040	Resolutions Carried at Delegate and Mass Meetings	22 July 1974	Regarding alternative work, and the right to work. Previous Control Number: 2/7
1979.0113 Unit 1	1979.0113.00041	Resolutions Carried at Delegate and Mass Meetings	7 March 1975	Regarding Federal Government policy on alternative work. Previous Control Number: 2/8
1979.0113 Unit 1	1979.0113.00042	Resolutions Carried at Delegate and Mass Meetings	27 October 1975	Condemnation of the L.C.P. opposition in blocking supply to the Federal Government. Previous Control Number: 2/9
1979.0113 Unit 1	1979.0113.00043	Resolutions Carried at Delegate and Mass Meetings	7 November 1975	Regarding moratorium upon debts and rates, incurred by the refusal of supply by the L.C.P. opposition. Previous Control Number: 2/10



1979.0113 Unit 1	1979.0113.00044	Related Circulars and Organisational Material	Undated	List of Unions with members employed in the Commonwealth Public Service Department and Instrumentalities. Previous Control Number: 3/1
1979.0113 Unit 1	1979.0113.00045	Related Circulars and Organisational Material	28 August 1974	List of Commonwealth Shop Stewards. Previous Control Number: 3/2
1979.0113 Unit 1	1979.0113.00046	Related Circulars and Organisational Material	Undated	Attendance list of shop stewards. Previous Control Number: 3/3
1979.0113 Unit 1	1979.0113.00047	Related Circulars and Organisational Material: Combined Commonwealth Instrumentalities Delegates Committee	1972	Proposed Log of Claims 1972. Previous Control Number: 3/4/1
1979.0113 Unit 1	1979.0113.00048	Related Circulars and Organisational Material: Combined Commonwealth Instrumentalities Delegates Committee (New South Wales)	1973	Proposed Log of Claims 1973. Previous Control Number: 3/4/2
1979.0113 Unit 1	1979.0113.00049	Related Circulars and Organisational Material	1972	A.C.T.U. circular (28/1972) relating to applications for flow on of parent awards to Commonwealth employees, 1972. Previous Control Number: 3/5
1979.0113 Unit 1	1979.0113.00050	Related Circulars and Organisational Material	8 July 1974	Association of Architects, Engineers, Surveyors and Draughtsmen of Australia, Victorian Division; circular and special bulletin supporting the 1974 campaign for increased workloads and alternative work. Previous Control Number: 3/6



1979.0113 Unit 1	1979.0113.00051	Related Circulars and Organisational Material	1975	Treasury Department documents, circa November 1975, relating to restrictions upon prepayment of salary. Previous Control Number: 3/7
1979.0113 Unit 1	1979.0113.00052	Related Circulars and Organisational Material	1972-1975	Amalgamated Engineering Union/Amalgamated Metal Workers Union; federal and state circulars, 1972; information bulletins, 1972; shop stewards rallies and claims, 1912; anti-Fraser pamphlets, 1975. Previous Control Number: 3/8
1979.0113 Unit 1	1979.0113.00053	Related Circulars and Organisational Material	Undated	Photograph of an unidentified meeting. Previous Control Number: 3/9
1979.0113 Unit 1	1979.0113.00054	Correspondence	1974	Only fragmentary, the correspondence generally relates to organisational details of, and support given, to the 1974 alternative work campaign. Previous Control Number: 4
1979.0113 Unit 1	1979.0113.00055	Pamphlets	1971	Advertising Mass Meeting, 3 December 1971, regarding flow on of parent awards to commonwealth employees. Previous Control Number: 5/1
1979.0113 Unit 1	1979.0113.00056	Pamphlets	Undated	Liberal government sacks workers, calls for mass action against retrenchments, n.d. (1972). Previous Control Number: 5/2
1979.0113 Unit 1	1979.0113.00057	Pamphlets	1973	Advertising Mass Meeting, 18 September 1973 regarding alternative work. Previous Control Number: 5/3



1979.0113 Unit 1	1979.0113.00058	Pamphlets	1974	Advertising Mass Meeting, 22 July 1974, regarding right to work. Previous Control Number: 5/4
1979.0113 Unit 1	1979.0113.00059	Pamphlets	1975	Report of meeting of union officials and commonwealth establishment delegates, 7 November 1975, protesting at refusal of supply. Previous Control Number: 5/5
1979.0113 Unit 1	1979.0113.00060	Increased Workloads and Alternative Work Campaigns and Inquiries	c.1973	Redundancy and Alternative Work: Australian Labor Party Federal Government Policy (c.1973). Previous Control Number: 6/1
1979.0113 Unit 1	1979.0113.00061	Increased Workloads and Alternative Work Campaigns and Inquiries: Aeronautical Research Laboratories	Undated	Outline of the Work of the Aeronautical Research Laboratories. Previous Control Number: 6/2/1
1979.0113 Unit 1	1979.0113.00062	Increased Workloads and Alternative Work Campaigns and Inquiries: Aeronautical Research Laboratories	Undated	Actual and potential areas for application of A.R.L. skills and physical resources. Previous Control Number: 6/2/2
1979.0113 Unit 1	1979.0113.00063	Increased Workloads and Alternative Work Campaigns and Inquiries: Commonwealth Government Engine Works	1974	Notes on advantages of maintaining A.G.E.W. 1974. Previous Control Number: 6/3/1
1979.0113 Unit 1	1979.0113.00064	Increased Workloads and Alternative Work Campaigns and Inquiries: Commonwealth Government Engine Works	May 1974	Extract from A.G.E.W. Submission to I.A.C. Previous Control Number: 6/3/2
1979.0113 Unit 1	1979.0113.00065	Increased Workloads and Alternative Work Campaigns and Inquiries: Commonwealth Government Engine Works	May 1974	Extract from A.N.L. Submission to I.A.C. Previous Control Number: 6/3/3



1979.0113 Unit 1	1979.0113.00066	Increased Workloads and Alternative Work Campaigns and Inquiries: Commonwealth Government Engine Works	25 June 1974	Letter, A.G.E.W. Shop Committee to Frank Crean, M.H.R. Previous Control Number: 6/3/4
1979.0113 Unit 1	1979.0113.00067	Increased Workloads and Alternative Work Campaigns and Inquiries: Commonwealth Government Engine Works	28 June 1974	Telegram A.G.E.W. Shop Committee to Bob Hawke. Previous Control Number: 6/3/5
1979.0113 Unit 1	1979.0113.00068	Increased Workloads and Alternative Work Campaigns and Inquiries: Commonwealth Government Engine Works	6 June 1974	Telegram A.G.E.W. Shop Committee to Gough Whitlam. Previous Control Number: 6/3/6
1979.0113 Unit 1	1979.0113.00069	Increased Workloads and Alternative Work Campaigns and Inquiries: Commonwealth Government Engine Works	Undated	Typescript (for pamphlet), outlining capabilities of the A.G.E.W. Previous Control Number: 6/3/7
1979.0113 Unit 1	1979.0113.00070	Increased Workloads and Alternative Work Campaigns and Inquiries: Commonwealth Government Engine Works	Undated	Department of Supply, Commonwealth Government Engine Works, n.d. (1973?). Previous Control Number: 6/3/8
1979.0113 Unit 1	1979.0113.00071	Increased Workloads and Alternative Work Campaigns and Inquiries: Government Aircraft Factory	November 1973	Report of Working Party of Committee of Enquiry into Workloads in Australian Defence Establishments regarding Government Aircraft Factories. Previous Control Number: 6/4/1
1979.0113 Unit 1	1979.0113.00072	Increased Workloads and Alternative Work Campaigns and Inquiries: Government Aircraft Factory	27 November 1973	Comments by Eddie Scott, A.M.W.U., on the report of the working party. Previous Control Number: 6/4/2



1979.0113 Unit 1	1979.0113.00073	Increased Workloads and Alternative Work Campaigns and Inquiries: Government Aircraft Factory	Undated	Submission from G.A.F. Combined Unions Shop Stewards Committee on Industrial Democracy at the G.A.F. Previous Control Number: 6/4/3
1979.0113 Unit 1	1979.0113.00074	Increased Workloads and Alternative Work Campaigns and Inquiries: Victorian Ordnance and Ammunition Factories	16 June 1972	Letter, R V Garland, regarding retrenchments at Footscray Ammunition Factory. Previous Control Number: 6/5/1
1979.0113 Unit 1	1979.0113.00075	Increased Workloads and Alternative Work Campaigns and Inquiries: Victorian Ordnance and Ammunition Factories	19 June 1972	A.C.T.U. circular regarding retrenchments at Footscray Ammunition Factory. Previous Control Number: 6/5/2
1979.0113 Unit 1	1979.0113.00076	Increased Workloads and Alternative Work Campaigns and Inquiries: Victorian Ordnance and Ammunition Factories	Undated	Typescript, outlining commercial work potential of ammunition factories. Previous Control Number: 6/5/3
1979.0113 Unit 1	1979.0113.00077	Increased Workloads and Alternative Work Campaigns and Inquiries: Victorian Ordnance and Ammunition Factories	Undated	Typescript, outlining commercial work potential of Ordnance Factory, Maribyrnong. Previous Control Number: 6/5/4
1979.0113 Unit 1	1979.0113.00078	Increased Workloads and Alternative Work Campaigns and Inquiries: Victorian Ordnance and Ammunition Factories	25 September 1973	Submission regarding Defence Funds Allocation and Bendigo Ordnance Factory presented to Lance Barnard, Minister for Defence. Previous Control Number: 6/5/5
1979.0113 Unit 1	1979.0113.00079	Increased Workloads and Alternative Work Campaigns and Inquiries: Victorian Ordnance and Ammunition Factories	8 July 1974	Letter, Stewart Anderson, President, Bendigo A.M.W.U. Branch to Kep Enderby, Minister for Manufacturing Industry, regarding commercial possibilities at Bendigo Ordnance Factory. Previous Control Number: 6/5/6



1979.0113 Unit 1 1979.0113 Unit 1	1979.0113.00080 1979.0113.00081	Increased Workloads and Alternative Work Campaigns and Inquiries: Victorian Ordnance and Ammunition Factories Increased Workloads and Alternative Work Campaigns and Inquiries: Victorian Ordnance and	Undated Undated	Additional Work (Navy) possible for Bendigo Ordnance Factory. Previous Control Number: 6/5/7 Additional Work possible for Ammunition Factory, Footscray. Previous Control Number: 6/5/8
1979.0113 Unit 1	1979.0113.00082	Ammunition Factories Increased Workloads and Alternative Work Campaigns and Inquiries: Victorian Ordnance and Ammunition Factories	Undated	List of companies interested in supplying work to Ammunition Factory, Footscray. Previous Control Number: 6/5/9
1979.0113 Unit 1	1979.0113.00083	Increased Workloads and Alternative Work Campaigns and Inquiries: Victorian Ordnance and Ammunition Factories	Undated	Letter from Ammunition Factory management, soliciting outside orders and providing details and specifications of work possible at the factory. Previous Control Number: 6/5/10
1979.0113 Unit 1	1979.0113.00084	Increased Workloads and Alternative Work Campaigns and Inquiries: Victorian Ordnance and Ammunition Factories	1974-1975	Table of gap hours at the Footscray Ammunition Factory, 1974 - 1975. Previous Control Number: 6/5/11
1979.0113 Unit 1	1979.0113.00085	Increased Workloads and Alternative Work Campaigns and Inquiries: Victorian Ordnance and Ammunition Factories	1974	Tables of projected workforce and production at the Munitions Filling Factory, St Marys, New South Wales. Previous Control Number: 6/5/12
1979.0113 Unit 1	1979.0113.00086	Increased Workloads and Alternative Work Campaigns and Inquiries: Victorian Ordnance and Ammunition Factories	Undated	List of work done for private industry by the Lithgow Small Arms Factory, New South Wales. Previous Control Number: 6/5/13
1979.0113 Unit 1	1979.0113.00087	Increased Workloads and Alternative Work Campaigns and Inquiries: Victorian Ordnance and Ammunition Factories	1974	Committee of Inquiry into Workloads in Munitions Factories, 1974. Purpose and Terms of Reference. Previous Control Number: 6/5/14/1



1979.0113 Unit 1 1979.0113	1979.0113.00088 1979.0113.00089	Increased Workloads and Alternative Work Campaigns and Inquiries: Victorian Ordnance and Ammunition Factories Increased Workloads	1974	Committee of Inquiry into Workloads in Munitions Factories, 1974. List of Working Groups. Previous Control Number: 6/5/14/2 Committee of Inquiry into
Unit 1		and Alternative Work Campaigns and Inquiries: Victorian Ordnance and Ammunition Factories		Workloads in Munitions Factories, 1974. Suggested Operating Procedure. Previous Control Number: 6/5/14/3
1979.0113 Unit 1	1979.0113.00090	Increased Workloads and Alternative Work Campaigns and Inquiries: Victorian Ordnance and Ammunition Factories	1974	Committee of Inquiry into Workloads in Munitions Factories, 1974. Letter relating to inspection of various establishments. Previous Control Number: 6/5/14/4
1979.0113 Unit 1	1979.0113.00091	Increased Workloads and Alternative Work Campaigns and Inquiries: Victorian Ordnance and Ammunition Factories	1974	Committee of Inquiry into Workloads in Munitions Factories, 1974. A.C.T.U. circular regarding the inquiry and trade union representation, August 1974. Previous Control Number: 6/5/14/5
1979.0113 Unit 1	1979.0113.00092	Increased Workloads and Alternative Work Campaigns and Inquiries: Victorian Ordnance and Ammunition Factories	1974	Committee of Inquiry into Workloads in Munitions Factories, 1974. Comments upon the enquiry by Brian Baxter, A.M.W.U. organiser, 6 September 1974. Previous Control Number: 6/5/14/6
1979.0113 Unit 1	1979.0113.00093	Increased Workloads and Alternative Work Campaigns and Inquiries: Williamstown Naval Dockyard	Undated	Bid of the Workforce at Naval Dockyard Williamstown for its Survival - need for outside work at the dockyard. Previous Control Number: 6/6/1
1979.0113 Unit 1	1979.0113.00094	Increased Workloads and Alternative Work Campaigns and Inquiries: Williamstown Naval Dockyard	Undated	Alternative work possible at the Dockyard. Previous Control Number: 6/6/2



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1979.0113 Unit 1	1979.0113.00095	Increased Workloads and Alternative Work Campaigns and Inquiries: Williamstown Naval Dockyard	Undated	List of contractors/sub- contractors doing work for the Navy Department/or possible to do at the Dockyard, establishes whether it is union/non-union labour.
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