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SCOA AUSTRALIA INCORPORATED

STATEMENT OF OBJECTS AND PURPOSES

As amended 29 November 2016

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1) The name of the incorporated association is:

SCOA Australia Incorporated.

The purposes for which the proposed incorporated Association is established are to defend and improve equally the superannuation and retirement conditions of members, their spouses/partners and dependants, and to deal with any other matter affecting their welfare.

2) Solely for the purposes of furthering the purposes set out above SCOA Australia shall have power:

- a) To organise or conduct representations by personal attendance, correspondence or other means to Government Ministers of State, parliamentarians, other authorities and the media;
- b) To represent the interests of members to the Government of the day in respect of superannuation pensions, age pensions and related benefits, welfare entitlements, taxation and other social issues;
- c) To monitor parliamentary action at both Federal and State levels which could affect the entitlements of members;
- d) To make appropriate and timely representations to the Members of Parliament on all issues related to superannuation of concern to all members;
- e) To watch closely and keep fully informed on any change in relationships between Commonwealth superannuation pensions, the Age Pension and other relevant benefits;
- f) To keep abreast of developments in State Government and private sector superannuation schemes;
- g) To combat any adverse media publicity which could influence political and/or community thinking towards the benefits and rights of members;
- h) To affiliate with any other organisation for the purpose of furthering the interests of those members;
- i) To co-operate on matters of mutual interest with relevant unions, relevant Australian Government agencies and other relevant organisations;
- j) To appoint any officer, committee, person or organisation and to fix the remuneration (if any) to be paid for services rendered;

- k) To invest and deal with moneys of SCOA Australia not immediately required in such manner as is from time to time thought fit; and
 - l) To do all such things as are incidental or conducive to the attainment of these Objects and Purposes but having regard at all times that operations shall not be conducted for the purpose of profit or gain to individual members and any distribution whether in money, property, or other wise to members of SCOA Australia is prohibited.
- 3) Affiliation with or support for any political party by any means whatsoever is prohibited.
