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EB 2007 – FRONTLINE NUMBERS

As members are aware the PAT is seeking to establish safe and reasonable staffing levels for front line policing. The COP has declined to include this issue in the EB negotiations but has held parallel discussions with the PAT on this issue.

The COP has circulated his position to you today (24/12/07). The PAT received it on Friday 21/12/07 and as yet the PAT Executive Committee has not considered its contents and its implications for staffing levels.

I encourage members to examine the detail of the Commissioner's position and consider whether his proposal will resolve the staffing shortfalls that may exist in your area.

Please provide your feedback on this important issue by discussing it with members of the PAT Executive, by email to randolph.wierenga@pat.asn.au or pat@pat.asn.au or you can log into our members' forum and express your views.

PAT OFFICE CLOSURE

The PAT office will be closed from 3pm 24/12/2007 and will reopen at 8.30 am on Wednesday 2/1/08. Staff members will be available during this period should you require urgent assistance. The PAT emergency legal assistance contact number is 1800 777 920. For non essential matters you can contact either Randolph Wierenga on 0418343951 or Mark Kadziolka on 0409006819.

On behalf of the PAT I wish you and your family a happy and safe Christmas and a prosperous New Year.

Randolph Wierenga

President

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