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Tully Gwyer
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5th July 2011

Dear Tully

Below is part of a letter sent to you on June 19th 2011

At the meeting of the committee of June 15th 2011, the following three motions were passed and unanimously voted on:

1. *That Tully Gwyer be given a first Censure for not informing the Program Committee that she would not be broadcasting her Pump It program of June 4th;*
2. *That Tully Gwyer be given a second Censure for not returning her office key, despite being officially asked numerous times: and*
3. *That Tully Gwyer not use this office key to enter the office, and return the key forthwith.*

You can appeal these decisions to the committee by informing us that you intend to do so, and a date will be set for the meeting.

Members who receive three censures within two years run the risk of losing their membership, which shall then be dealt with under the Disciplinary Section of the Constitution. If you have two Censures against you and agree to abide by the rules and regulations of the organisation, then after two years your Censures will become null and void.

In your case, you are now running the risk of receiving a third censure.

At the committee meeting of July 3rd, it was decided to issue you with a 3rd Censure over your continued refusal to return station equipment, namely the "Office Key" which was previously given to you.

With that in mind, and having reached 3 Censures, the committee had the option to cancel your membership of Shoalhaven Community Radio for life, or for a lesser term.

The committee decided that they would opt for the lighter term of suspending membership for 3 months, effective Saturday 9th July 2011 until Saturday 8th October.

This was a unanimous decision, with much discussion, and with some regret from many members, who were appalled that such a simple request has been met with no comment or commitment from yourself to rectify the situation.

The situation is now, that if the office key is not returned either by registered post, or handed into the Arts Centre downstairs with directions that it be returned to us, by 7 days of this registered letter 7th July 2011, this decision will be again discussed by the committee.

You are also asked to return the FOB key, and \$15 deposit you paid will be paid into your bank account as soon as FOB key is received, or a cheque sent to your desired address.

The current directive also means you are not allowed on station property.

The committee sincerely regrets this situation and we have tried our best to avoid it, but you have left us no option, as at no time have communicated with us to resolve this impasse, and as such left us with no option.

Disciplining of members

- 13 (1) Where the committee is of the opinion that a member of the association:
(b) has persistently and willfully acted in a manner prejudicial to the interests of the station, the committee may, by resolution
(d) suspend the member from membership of the association for a specified period.
- (3) Where the committee passes a resolution under clause (1) the secretary shall, as soon as practicable, cause a notice in writing to be served on the member.

RESOLUTION:

That Tully Gwyer be given a third censure for her continued refusal to return station property, in this case the key to the office which Tully was issued with. **Moved Rob Bell Sec Kath Kean Unanimous**

RESOLUTION:

That Tully Gwyer having received 2 previous censures now getting a 3rd censure have her membership suspended for a period of three months and will not be permitted to go on air from this Saturday 9th July 2011 until Saturday 8th October, or enter the premises of the Radio Station.

Moved Dan Smith

Sec Carol Rixon Browne Unanimous

(b) you are hereby invited to address the committee

(c) on the 18th July, Triple U FM 6.30pm

- (d) at the meeting you may attend and speak, or submit to the committee at or prior to the date of
(e) that meeting written representations relating to the resolution.

We look forward to seeing you there please advise of your attendance or no attendance.

Regards

Rob Bell
Secretary Shoalhaven Community Radio Inc

