



AUSTRALIAN MOTORCYCLE COUNCIL
(INCORPORATED IN THE A.C.T.)

10 July 1989

The President
Motorcycle Riders' Association
GPO Box 1933R
Melbourne Vic 3001

Dear Sir,

I am replying to your letter of 29 June 1989 about your Association's decision to withdraw from the Council.

While I respect your Association's right to make such a decision, it should also be aware that, under the Council's constitution (which your Association agreed to abide by when it joined the Council), members may not terminate their membership in the Council while their subscriptions are in arrears. In your Association's case, some \$2087.67 in subscriptions is presently outstanding. Please advise your Association's intention and ability regarding early payment of the arrears.

In your letter, you also raise the matter of the membership in the Council of the MRAs in NSW and Qld. Neither of these Associations has withdrawn from the Council. Nor have they advised the Council of any intention to do so. In the case of MRA NSW, they were granted a reduction in their status (from constituent member to associate member) following an application they made in mid-1987. MRA Qld remains a constituent member of the Council. Both Associations remain entitled to representation under the Council's constitution.

I look forward to receiving an early reply.

Yours faithfully,

Paul Edstein
Chairman