



N51 Merchant Service Guild of Australia, Federal Office deposit 2

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DEPOSIT N51: MERCHANT SERVICE GUILD OF
 AUSTRALIA, FEDERAL OFFICE

Inclusive Dates: 1901-78

Quantity: 12m.

Note: This organization was first known as the
 Mercantile Marine Officers' Association. A
 General Meeting of members held on
 12 February 1904 agreed to adopt the name
 the Merchant Service Guild of Australasia.
 On 3 September 1957 the name of the union
 was changed to the Merchant Service Guild
 of Australia.

 The Guild was registered under the
 Commonwealth Conciliation and Arbitration Act
 of 1904 on 5 May 1905. It was the first
 employee organization to be registered under
 this act.

 The union covers anyone holding a certificate
 of competency to do with the safe navigation
 of vessels. Initially the Guild was formed
 by the Mates Merging with the Masters. In
 1907 the Coast Trade Masters and Officers'
 Association was asked to join and at a General
 Meeting held on 14 April 1919 it was agreed
 to invite engineers to join who were not
 eligible for membership of the Australian
 Institute of Marine and Power Engineers. In
 January 1979 the union amalgamated with the
 seagoing Shipwrights.

There are six main categories of members - offshore members; tugs; pilots; shore based members; marine engineers and drivers and seagoing shipwrights.

The union has branches in Queensland, Victoria/Tasmania; South Australia; NSW and Western Australia. The Victorian Branch was the first to be established in 1905.

Sources:

Pat Huntley Inside Australia's Top 100 Trade Unions (p. 138)

C. Cook "Guild History", Guild Log Mar/Apr 1982 - Mar/Apr 1983.

Description:

Committee of Management minutes 1914; 1951-60; 1964-69.

Minute motion register 1969

Attendance book of Committee of Management meetings 1971-73.

Press copy letter book 1904-05

Membership subscription books 1901-55

Subject files c. 1944-78

Papers relating to pilotage duties 1949-55

Legal papers relating to cases heard in the Commonwealth Conciliation and Arbitration Commission 1926-70; Court of Marine Inquiry 1960-77; Supreme Court of NSW 1947-61.

Papers of a preliminary investigation into the foundering of the M.V. "Straitsman" 1974.

Chief Officer's log of "St. Giles" 1951-53

Printed material 1948, 1956

C. Pritchard

September 1973.

DEPOSIT N51
SERIES LIST

Series Description	Date Range	Location
<u>Minutes of Committee of Management Meetings</u>	6 Jan 1914-29 Dec 1914; 5 Jan 1951- 8 Dec 1955;	N51/ 1-5
Includes minutes of Informal Monthly Meetings, Special General Meetings and some Annual General Meetings	8 May 1956-16 Feb 1960; 29 Sep 1964-30 Sep 1969	
5 volumes		
see also: N51/58		
<u>Minute Motion Register</u>	7 Jan- 3 Jun 1969	N51/6
1 volume		
<u>Attendance Book for Committee of Management Meetings</u>	26 Jan 1971-26 Jan 1973	N51/269
1 volume		
<u>Press Copy Letter Book of General Secretary</u>	19 Jul 1904-25 Oct 1905	N51/7
1 volume		
<u>Membership subscription registers</u>	1901-32	N51/8-17
10 volumes		
<u>Membership subscription cash receipt books</u>	1910-1955	N51/9-26
9 volumes		
<u>Subject Files</u>	c. 1944-78	N51/27-161
These files have been arranged alphabetically according to subject. An asterisk* beside a title indicates that the content of the file is mainly concerned with negotiating terms and conditions of employment on behalf of members.		
135 files		

DEPOSIT N51
SERIES LIST

Series Description	Date Range	Location
<u>Papers relating to the payment for pilotage duties performed by Masters</u> 3 files	1949-55	N51/266-268
<u>Transcripts of proceedings heard before the Commonwealth Conciliation and Arbitration Commission.</u> These transcripts are arranged chronologically. When a case has been instigated by a union other than the Guild this has been noted. Case numbers are indicated below the item title 92 files see also: N51/60; N51/86; N51/93-96; N51/110 N51/153; N51/242-243; N51/244	1953-70	N51/162-241
<u>Judgements handed down by the Commonwealth Conciliation and Arbitration Commission</u> 2 files	1951-69	N51/242-243
<u>Miscellaneous papers relating to cases heard by Commonwealth Conciliation and Arbitration Commission</u> 1 file	1926-65	N51/244
<u>Transcripts of proceedings heard before the Court of Marine Inquiry</u> 18 files	1960-77	N51/245-255
<u>Papers of a preliminary investigation conducted by G.P. Horscroft into the circumstance of the foundering of the M.V. "Straitsman".</u> 1 file see also: N51/253	25 Mar 1974	N51/256

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Series Description	Date Range	Location
<u>Appeal Books and related papers of cases heard in the Supreme Court of NSW</u> 9 files	1947-61	N51/258-264
<u>Chief Officer's Log for the Adelaide Steamship Co. Ltd vessel "St. Giles"</u> 1 volume	14 Aug 1951-4 Jan 1953	N51/270
<u>Printed material</u> 3 items	Feb, May 1948 Feb 1956	N51/271-273
<u>Award clause register</u>	c. 1952	N51/274

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MERCHANT SERVICE GUILD OF AUSTRALIA Federal Office		
N51/1	Minutes of Committee of Management	6 Jan 1914 - 29 Dec 1914
2	Same	5 Jan 1951 - 16 Feb 1954
3	Same Also includes Minutes of Informal Monthly Meeting & Special General Meetings	23 Feb 1954 - 8 Dec 1955
4	Same Also includes Minutes of Informal Monthly Meetings and renewed copy of 1959 Minutes of Annual General Meeting	8 May 1956 - 16 Feb 1960
5	Same Also includes Minutes of Informal Monthly Meetings and renewed copies of 1904, 1965, 1967 and 1968 Annual General Meetings. For Minutes of later meetings see N51/58	29 Sep 1964 - 30 Sep 1969
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N51/6	Minute Motion Register	7 Jan - 3 Jun 1969
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N51/7	Letter book of General Secretary	19 Jul 1904 - 25 Oct 1905
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N51/8	Membership Subscription Register Shows subscription paid and ship. Alphabetical index in front of volume	1901-03
9	Same	1903-07
10	Same 'A' Roll Nos 1-287 Shows full name, subscription paid, membership history, positions held. Alphabetical index in front of volume	c.1902-11

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<u>MERCHANT SERVICE GUILD OF AUSTRALIA (Federal Office) .. Contd.</u>		
Membership Subscription Register (Contd.)		
N51/11	Same as No.10 - 'B' Roll Nos 325-612	c.1905-11
12	Same 'C' Roll Nos 613-898	c.1908-11
13	Same 'D' Roll Nos 899-1049	c.1910-18
14	Same '1' Roll Nos 1-1223 References are noted to earlier entries in Registers A-D.	c.1911-26
15	Same '2' Roll Nos 1224-1936	c.1911-30
16	Same '3' Roll Nos 1937-2836	c.1912-32
17	Same '4' Roll Nos 2837-3844	c.1916-36
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N51/18	Membership Subscriptions Cash Receipt Book	Jan 1910-Jun 1916
19	Same	Jul 1910-Dec 1934
20	Same	Jul 1916-Sep 1926
21	Same	Nov 1920-Aug 1935
22	Same	Sep 1926-Apr 1943 Sep 1935-Jun 1940
23	Same	Jan 1947-Mar 1968
24	Same	Jan 1949-Feb 1955
25	Same	Aug 1949-Mar 1955
26	Same	Jan 1950-Feb 1952
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Subject files		
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N51/27	Addressograph Multigraph	6 Jan-18 Nov 1970

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<u>MERCHANT SERVICE GUILD OF AUSTRALIA (Federal Office) ... Contd.</u>		
Subject Files (Contd.)		
N51/28	ACTU - Circulars and correspondence	Dec 1969-Dec 1972
29	ACTU - Correspondence	12 Nov 1973- 13 Dec 1976
30	ACTU - Circulars, correspondence & telegrams	18 Dec 1973- 6 Dec 1974
31	ACTU - Congress papers	Aug-Sep 1971
32	Same	Sep 1975
33	Same	Sep 1977
34	ACTU - Special Conference of Affiliated Unions	Jul 1976
35	Australian Institute of Navigation. Consists of correspondence relating to advertisements of the Institute; Report of the 1969 Council and Newsletters for October/November 1969	31 Aug 1969- 5 Oct 1972
36	Australian Shipbuilding Board. Correspondence relating to the suitability of accommodation for crew members in certain vessels.	11 Jun 1956- 11 Aug 1966
37	*Australian Territory Liner Services P/L	8 Jun 1967- 11 Sep 1974
38	Benson, Captain S J. Personal correspondence of Captain Benson who held the position of General Secretary	9 Jan 1970 15 Dec 1970
39	Benzol. Correspondence with other Unions, employers and members relating to the dangers of handling Benzol cargoes. Includes a report on a combined union meeting held on 28 August 1967 to discuss the problem of Benzol & Benzol related products and reports from the Trade Union Clinic and Research Centre and the School of Public Health and Tropical Medicine.	Apr 1967- 22 Apr 1970
40	Branch Correspondence - Newcastle; NSW; Brennan/Darwin; Q'island & N.T.	1977

For earlier Branch Correspondence see
N51/137-145

Location No.	Description	Date Range
<u>MERCHANT SERVICE GUILD OF AUSTRALIA (Federal Office) ... Contd.</u>		
Subject Files (Contd.)		
N51/41	Branch Correspondence - NSW	1975-76
42	Same - Victoria/Tas;SA;WA; Executive & Federal Councillors & memos to all Branches	1977
43	Same - Q'land and N.T.	1975-76
44	Same - S.A.	1975-76
45	Same - Vic/Tas	1976
46	Same - Vic/Tas	1975-76
47	Same - W.A.	1975-76
48	Same - Memos from Federal office to all Branches	1974-76
49	Branch Minutes - Vic/Tas	26 Mar 1974- 29 Nov 1977
50	Brierley, Edwards & Co. Accountants acting for the Guild	1953-72
51	*British Phosphate Commissioners	16 Jan 1950- 28 Jun 1974
52	*Burns Philp & Co. Ltd.	11 Feb 1953- 22 Apr 1971
53	Canadian Merchant Service Guild	29 Jun 1953- 14 Apr 1976
54	*Clutha Development P/L	12 Feb 1970- 12 Jun 1974
55	*Colonial Sugar Refining Company Ltd	4 Mar 1955- 10 Apr 1973
56	*Comalco Limited	29 Nov 1972- 11 Sep 1974
57	Combined Maritime Unions Meetings. Includes Minutes of Meetings held on 1 Dec 1970; 20 Jan 1971; 3 Mar 1971; 2 Jun 1971; 7 Jul 1971; 11 Nov 1971	1 Dec 1970- 8 Dec 1971

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Subject Files (Contd.)

N51/58	Committee of Management. Includes Minutes of Committee of Management Meetings and Monthly Meetings and letters and circulars relating to COM matters See also N51/1-6 and N51/269	1969-73
59	Commonwealth Bureau of Census and Statistics. Relates to the collection of Trade Union Statistics and Industrial Disputes Statistics	17 Apr 1961- 10 Dec 1971
60	Commonwealth Conciliation & Arbitration Commission. Includes copies of Judgements; notifications of Industrial Disputes; copies of Summons to witnesses and an application for variation of the Merchant Service (Tug Boats) Award, 1965 See also N51/86; N51/93-96; N51/110; N51/153; N51/162-244.	1969-72
61	Commonwealth Savings Bank	8 Jan 1953- 8 Oct 1971
62	Crown Employees Appeal Board. Mainly correspondence relating to the appointment of a Guild representative	9 Oct 1962- 24 Nov 1970
	Departments. Government Departments have been divided into Commonwealth and State. See also N51/59; N51/81; N51/90 & N51/124	
63	*Department/Commonwealth - Custom and Excise	c.1968
64	*Same - Immigration	9 May 1969- 17 Aug 1971
65	*Same - Labour & National Service	13 Jul 1955- 13 Jun 1972
66	*Same - Shipping & Transport Vol.1	18 Dec 1963- 25 Aug 1967
67	*Same - Same Vol.2	26 Oct 1966- 16 Nov 1970
68	*Same - Same Vol.3	11 Jan 1971- 14 Dec 1973

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Subject Files (Contd.)

N51/69	*Department/Commonwealth - Shipping & Transport Vol.4	16 Mar 1971- 1 Oct 1973
70	*Same - Transport	17 Jan 1974- 11 Apr 1975
71	*Same - Same	21 Dec 1973- 27 Sep 1974
72	Same - Same (News Releases)	16 Feb 1973- 20 Dec 1973
73	Same - Same	26 Sep 1974- 29 Dec 1974
74	Same - Same	15 Jan 1975- 11 Jul 1975
75	Same - Same	20 Jul 1975- 23 Dec 1976
76	*Same - Various Departments Correspondence covers both Commonwealth and State Departments.	30 Sep 1953- 29 Aug 1972
77	*Department/State - Harbours & Marine, Qld.	28 Aug 1963- 9 Aug 1972
78	*Same - Public Works, Vic.	4 Aug 1970- 19 Dec 1972
79	*Same - Same - Vic & NSW	16 Jan 1956- 3 Oct 1972
80	*Same - Marine & Harbours, SA	30 Sep 1969- 22 Sep 1971
81	Deputy Commissioner of Taxation	13 Apr 1953- 12 Jun 1969
82	*Eastern-Australia Steamship Co,Ltd.	8 Jun 1953- 8 Aug 1974
83	Federal Inter-office memos	10 Apr 1975- 23 Dec 1976
84	*J Fenwick & Co.Pty Ltd	17 Oct 1958- 2 Apr 1974

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<u>MERCHANT SERVICE GUILD OF AUSTRALIA (Federal Office) ... Contd.</u>		
Subject Files (Contd.)		
N51/85	*Flinders Shipping Co.	29 May 1970- 15 Nov 1972
86	Judge Gallagher. This file also contains correspondence dealing with the subjects of Legal Opinions 21 Dec 1955-10 Jun 1969; <u>Guild Log Jun-Jul 1972</u> ; Lashing Cargo 1970, and applications for the position Industrial Officer 6 Nov 1970-14 Nov 1972	14 Aug 1963- 8 Oct 1968
87	General Correspondence	1969-70
88	Same	1970-71
89	Guild and Institute Co-ordinating Committee. The Committee was established in 1949. File consists of Minutes of the Merchant Service Guild of Australia and the Australian Institute of Marine & Power Engineers Co-ordinating Committee, and correspondence between the two organizations about matters of common interest. <u>Guild Log</u> See N51/86	29 Mar 1949- 19 Nov 1968
90	Harbor Boards' & Harbor Trust Commissioners. Includes Melbourne Harbor Trust; Geelong Harbor Trust Commissioners; Portland Harbor Trust Commissioners; SA Harbors' Board & SA Employers' Federation.	1953-72
91	*Hetherington Kingsbury & Hethkings	21 Mar 1958- 4 Feb 1974
92	*W. Holyman & Sons Pty Ltd Industrial officer - applications for position. See N51/86	8 Jan 1953- 24 Feb 1972
93	Industrial Registrar - Correspondence	30 Sep 1960- 22 Oct 1973
94	Same - Same	4 Feb 1974- 21 Dec 1976
95	Same - Same	14 Jan 1977- 14 Dec 1977
96	Same - Notifications	21 Jan 1977- 22 Dec 1977

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<u>MERCHANT SERVICE GUILD OF AUSTRALIA (Federal Office) ... Contd.</u>		
Subject Files (Contd.)		
N51/97	*Ingram Contractors Australia P/L	1 Jul 1969- 28 Jul 1971
98	Insurance	26 Jun 1956- 8 Oct 1973
99	International Labour Organization	1975-15 Mar 1978
100	International Transport Workers' Federation	4 Aug 1967- 8 Nov 1972
101	Same	Jan-13 Dec 1973
102	Same	8 Jan-19 Dec 1974
103	Same	8 Jan-22 Dec 1975
104	Same	16 Jan-17 Dec 1976
105	Same	15 Mar 1977- 27 Nov 1978
106	*John Burke P/L	9 Dec 1953- 29 Mar 1973
107	Labor Council of NSW. Mainly circulars advising of meetings, decisions taken and joint action of unions required.	17 Mar 1971- 13 Dec 1973
108	Same	10 Jan-3 Dec 1974
109	Same	28 Jan 1975- 4 Oct 1977
	Lashing Cargo See N51/86	
	Legal Opinions See N51/86	
110	Mallesons Solicitors acting for Maritime employers	6 Oct 1967- 22 Dec 1972
111	Marine Court Cases/ Merchant Service Guild. Includes Log of Claims lodged by Guild in July 1966; Schedule of claims for Fremantle Harbour Trust, Pilots' Award, 1963; Log of Claims for Fremantle Harbour Trust Jetty Superintendents' Award; Correspondence relating to Merchant Service Seagoing Masters' Award, 1962, and a copy of the 1952 Masters' Award.	c.1944-69

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<u>MERCHANT SERVICE GUILD OF AUSTRALIA (Federal Office) ... Contd.</u>		
Subject Files (Contd.)		
N51/112	Medibank	26 Mar-1 Sep 1976
113	Miscellaneous correspondence	13 Oct 1967- 16 Dec 1968
114	*Miscellaneous Shipping Companies	27 Apr 1954- 4 Jun 1974
115	Captain J Moodie Heddle Victorian Representative of the Guild	19 Jan 1969- 25 Feb 1970
116	*Nabalco P/L	2 Apr 1971- 30 Nov 1973
117	Newcastle Representative	16 Jan 1969- 28 Sep 1972
118	*Oil Rig Tenders	27 Nov 1967- 22 Sep 1968
119	*Osmarine (Australia) P/L	3 Nov 1969- May 1972
120	Pilots Award See also N51/266-268	25 Oct 1961- 23 Sep 1966
121	*Port Phillip Pilot Service	21 Jun 1946- 19 Aug 1974
122	Public Service Arbitrator Mainly transcripts of proceedings heard before Public Service Arbitrator to vary Determinations.	5 Mar 1958- 1 Dec 1972
123	Same	22 Feb 1973- 21 Jan 1977
124	*Public Service Board. Includes both Commonwealth and State Public Service Boards. Comprises copies of Determinations and correspondence relating to the employment of Guild Members.	24 Feb 1961- 13 Oct 1972
125	Radar. Mainly correspondence with shipowners concerning the provision of radar on vessels.	4 Oct 1967- 12 Sep 1968
126	Richardson & Wrench Limited. Real Estate Agents concerned with the rental of Guild premises	8 May 1953- 30 Apr 1969

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<u>MERCHANT SERVICE GUILD OF AUSTRALIA (Federal Office) ... Contd.</u>		
Subject Files (Contd.)		
N51/127	*Ritch & Smith	22 Sep 1961- 11 Feb 1971
128	Royal Commission on Alleged Payment to Maritime Unions Book 1 Transcripts of Proceedings	13 Sep 1974- 3 Oct 1974
129	Same Book 2	9 Oct 1974- 31 Oct 1974
130	Same Book 3	4 Nov-21 Nov 1974
131	Same Book 4	25 Nov-10 Dec 1974
132	Same Book 5	11 Dec 1974- 16 Jan 1975
133	Same Book 6	20 Jan 1975- 13 Mar 1975
134	Same Book 7 Also includes Press Releases; copy of a brief prepared for the Royal Commission on "The Transport Task met by single voyage permits" and a copy of the July 1975 <u>Interim Report.</u>	17 Mar 1975- 21 Jul 1975
135	Same General file includes copies of Exhibits 69A and 82.	29 May 1974- 25 Feb 1975
136	Royal Commission on Alleged Payment to Maritime Unions. Final Report.	Apr 1976
137	Section Correspondence - Darwin For later Branch correspondence see N51/40-48	13 May 1973- 5 Nov 1973
138	Same - Queensland	13 Feb 1968- 1 Nov 1973
139	Same - South Australia	4 Dec 1968- 30 May 1972
140	Same - Same	21 Jan 1972- 27 Nov 1973
141	Same - Tasmania	12 Sep 1973- 17 Dec 1973

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<u>MERCHANT SERVICE GUILD OF AUSTRALIA (Federal Office) ... Contd.</u>		
Subject Files (Contd.)		
N51/142	Section Correspondence - Victoria	30 Oct 1961- 18 Dec 1973
143	Same - Western Australia	15 Jan 1969- 17 Dec 1971
144	Same - Same	22 Dec 1971- 30 Nov 1973
145	Same - Vic/SA/WA/Tas	21 Feb 1974- 13 Dec 1974
146	Same - Harbours & Rivers (Vic/NSW/Qld)	11 Dec 1953- 10 Dec 1973
147	Same - Same (Qld/Vic)	19 Feb 1973- 16 Jan 1975
148	*H C Sleigh Limited	2 Dec 1963- 8 Jan 1974
149	*Smit-Lloyd (Australia) P/L	Sep 1968- May 1974
150	J M Smith & Emmerton. Solicitors. Correspondence relating to a salvage claim for the "Adelung-Tudor"	2 Aug 1966- 20 Mar 1968
151	*State Shipping Service (WA Coastal Shipping Commission)	5 May 1953- 17 Dec 1973
152	*Stannard Brothers P/L	27 Apr 1961- 3 Sep 1969
153	Sullivan Brothers & Company. Solicitors Acting for the Guild	8 Aug 1961- 16 Apr 1974
154	*Sydney Steam Collier Owners' and Coal Stevedores' Association	3 Dec 1952- 7 Dec 1971
155	Trade Union Clinic - Research Centre	23 Jun 1967- 3 Jun 1968
156	*Transport Commission of Tasmania	7 Nov 1973- 18 Feb 1974
157	*Union Steamship Co. of N.Z.Ltd	4 Aug 1967- 5 Apr 1968
158	*Utah-Jild	28 Jun 1967- 10 Sep 1968

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N51/159	Various Unions. Includes correspondence with the Federated Marine Stewards & Pantrymen's Association of Australia; Professional Radio Employees Institute of Australasia; NSW Dredge & Maritime Services Board Employers' Assoc; Federated Shipwrights & Ship Constructors Assoc of Australia; Firemen & Deckhands' Union of NSW relating to areas of common interest.	9 Jul 1953- 23 Oct 1970
	Victorian Representative See N51/115	
160	*Waratah Tug & Salvage Co. Ltd.	8 Mar 1963- 11 Apr 1974
161	*Westminister Dredging Australia P/L	9 Nov 1965- 27 Dec 1967

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Transcripts of Proceedings heard before the
Commonwealth Conciliation & Arbitration Commission.

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than the Guild this has been noted.
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See also N/51/60; N51/86; N51/93-96; N51/110;
N51/153; N51/242-43; N51/244

N51/162	Dispute re payments of employees performing piloting duties. (Case No. 442/1953)	1953
163	Application for variation of the Merchant Service (Seagoing) Award 1952. (Case Nos. 592/1951; 918/1951; 46/1952; 101/1952). Also includes exhibits tendered by the Merchant Service Guild.	1954
164	Application to vary re joinder of parties (Case No.236/1954).	1954
165	Application to vary the Merchant Service (Pilotage) Award 1953. (Case No.509/1954)	1954

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<u>MERCHANT SERVICE GUILD OF AUSTRALIA (Federal Office) ... Contd.</u>		
	Transcripts of Proceedings heard before the Commonwealth Conciliation and Arbitration Commission (Contd.)	
N51/166	Application to vary the Merchant Service (Seagoing) Award and the Marine Engineers Award re victualling, accommodation and annual leave. (Case No.585-86/1954)	1954
167	Dispute between the Seamen's Union of Australia and the Commonwealth Steamship Owners' Association re S S "Borda".	1954
168	Dispute between the Australian Shipping Board and The Seamen's Union of Australia re quality of food on the vessel "Binburra". (Case No.9/1955)	1955
169	Dispute re command of Vessel SS "River Mitta". (Case No.11/1955)	1955
170	Application for variation of award re rates of pay. (Case 132/1955)	1955
171	Application to vary re rates of pay. (Case 229/1955)	1955
172	Dispute re place of accommodation of officers on the vessel "Tulagi". (Case 406/1955)	1955
173	Application by the Commonwealth Steamship Owners' Association for cancellation of The Merchant Service (Pilotage) Award 1953. (Case 442/1953; 137/1955)	1955
174	Dispute between Huddart Parker Ltd and the Seamen's Union of Australia concerning the vessel "Warringa". (Case No.834/1955)	1955-56
175	Compulsory Conference re accommodation on the m.v. "Tarinna". (Case No.961/1955)	1955
176	Application by the Commonwealth Steamship Owners Association for Orders re employees who give or have given notice to terminate their services. (Case No.6/1956)	1956

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	Transcripts of Proceedings heard before the Commonwealth Conciliation and Arbitration Commission (Contd.)	
N51/177	Application for an order to rescind parts of an order made in matters Nos 538 and 933 of 1955 on 9 Dec 1955.	1956
178	Dispute between BHP and the Seamen's Union of Australia re dismissal of Seamen on SS "Iron Monarch". (Case No.140/1956)	1956
179	Dispute re payment to Masters performing pilotalge duties. (Case Nos 538-39/1955)	1956
180	Dispute between the Adelaide Steamship Co. Ltd and the Seamen's Union of Australia re dismissal of a donkeyman from SS "Beltana" at Fremantle. (Case No.38/1957)	1957
181	Application to vary the Merchant Service (Sea-going) Award 1952 re rates of pay for employees performing manual work in the South Australian Coastal Trade. (Case No.118/1957)	1957
182	Dispute between the Federated Marine Stewards and Pantrymen's Association of Australasia and the Commonwealth Steamship Owners' Association and others re public holidays, Saturday work, etc. for marine stewards. (Case No.434/1957)	1957
183	Application by the Commonwealth Steamship Owners' Association for variation of the Merchant Service Sea-going Masters Award, 1956. (Case No.527/1957)	1957
184	Dispute between the Commonwealth Steamship Owners' Association, Adelaide Steamship Company Limited and the Seamen's Union of Australia re "Beltana". (Case No.638/1957)	1957
185	Dispute between Huddart Parker Ltd & the Seamen's Union and others re selection of seamen to be granted time off in port on vessel "Woomera". (Case No.273/1958)	1958

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<u>MERCHANT SERVICE GUILD OF AUSTRALIA (Federal Office) ... Contd.</u>		
	Transcripts of Proceedings heard before the Commonwealth Conciliation and Arbitration Commission (Contd.)	
N51/186	Dispute re rates of pay and conditions of employment for Masters Officers and Marine Engineers in all States of the Commonwealth and Pilots in the State of South Australia. (Case No.463/1957)	1958
187A	Dispute between the Merchant Service Guild of Australasia and other maritime unions and various employers re rates of pay and employment conditions. (Case Nos. 434/1957; 463/1957; 693/1957; 700/1957; 718/1957; 735/1957; 17/1958; 319/1958; 330/1958; 401/1958)	1958
187B-C	Same	1958-59
188	Dispute between the Merchant Service Guild of Australasia and other maritime unions and employers re rates of pay and employment conditions. (Case Nos. 463/1957; 693/1957; 700/1957)	1958
189	Application to vary The Merchant Service Sea-going Masters' Award 1956 relating to the vessels "Nyora" and "Wyralla" (Case No. 652/1958)	1958
190	(No Listing for this number)	
191A	Dispute between the Seamen's Union of Australia and various employers re wages and conditions. (Case Nos. 330/1958; 735/1957; 718/1957; 17/1958; 319/1958; 401/1958; 471/1958; 426/1958)	1959
191B	Same	1959
192	Application by the Merchant Service Guild of Australasia and other maritime unions to vary certain awards and margins. (Case Nos. 1004-06; 1008-11; 1100-02; 1104-08; 1112; 1114; 1119; 1125/1959)	1959
193	Dispute re crew accommodation on M.V's "Pateena", "Poolta" and "Risdon". (Case No.893/1959)	1959
194	Dispute between the Broken Hill Proprietary Company Limited and the Marine Cooks, Bakers & Butchers Assoc. of Australasia re hours of duty & overtime for cooks employed on vessels "Iron Whyalla". (Case No.923/1959)	1959

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	Transcripts of Proceedings heard before the Commonwealth Conciliation and Arbitration Commission (Contd.)	
N51/195	Dispute between Geelong Harbour Trust Commissioners and the Australian Institute of Marine and Power Engineers and Another re overtime employment of certain personnel engaged on tugs in the Port of Geelong. (Case No.188/1957)	1959-60
196	Dispute re rates of pay and conditions of employment for Masters, Officers and Marine Engineers in all States of the Commonwealth and pilots in South Australia. (Case No.463/1957; 730/1958)	1960
197	Dispute re rates of pay and conditions of employment for Masters, Officers and Marine Engineers in all States of the Commonwealth and pilots in South Australia. (Case No.463/1957)	1960
198	Dispute re proposed accommodation on "Bass Trader". (Case No.484/1960)	1960
199	Application by the Merchant Service Guild of Australasia and other maritime unions to vary awards and margins. (Case Nos 1004-07; 1089 and 1113/1959)	1960
200	Dispute re wages and conditions of employment of Masters, Officers and Engineers on tugs throughout the Commonwealth.	1960
201	Notification of an impending industrial dispute. (Case No. 539/1961)	1961
202	Notification by the Merchant Services Guild of Australasia and other maritime unions re disputes on the vessels "Lake Illawarra" and "Timbatta". (Case Nos.988 and 1126 of 1960 and 405-406 410; 421/1961)	1961
203	Application by the Commonwealth Steamship Owners Association and WA Government State Shipping Services to vary re rates for victualling & accommodation etc. (Case Nos. 408 and 417/1961)	1961

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and Arbitration Commission (Contd.)

N51/204A	Disputes re salaries and conditions for Masters and Officers working under the Merchant Service (Seagoing) Award, 1952. (Case Nos.463; 693/1957 and 730/1958)	1961
204B-D	Same	1961-2
205	Notification of the Act of a dispute between the Australian Institute of Marine & Power Engineers and J. Fenwick & Waratah Tug and Salvage Company P/L re night tugs at Newcastle. (Case No. 1081/1961)	1961
206	Notification of the Act of a dispute between Broken Hill Proprietary Company Limited and the Seamen's Union of Australia re manning of vessel "Iron Monarch" - Union demand for dismissal of Chief Officer. (Case No.1213/1961)	1961
207	Application by the Seamen's Union of Australia for variation of the Seamen's Award, 1955. (Case No.626/1961)	1961
208	Notification of the Act of an impending industrial dispute and an application for variation of agreements (Case No.120/1960 and 539/1961)	1961
209	Dispute between Federated Marine Stewards and Pantrymen's Association of Australasia and Commonwealth Steamship Owners Association and Others re wages and conditions for marine stewards and pantrymen. (Case Nos.434/1957 and 239/1960)	1962
210	Australian Coastal Shipping Commission (Australian National Line) and Seamen's Union of Australia Notification under Section 28 of the Act re failure of Union to supply a crew for m.v. "Lake Macquarie" at Port Kembla. (Case No.727/1962)	1962
211	Application by the Commonwealth Steamship Owners' Association to vary Merchant Service Seagoing Masters Award. (Case No.756/1962)	1962

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N51/212	Application by Commonwealth Steamship Owners Association to vary schedules in Merchant Service Seagoing Masters Award. (Case No.1097/1961)	1962
213	Application to vary re hours of work the Collier Trade (Masters and Mates) Award 1962. (Case No.2193 and 295/1963)	1963
214	Notification under Section 28 of the Act of disputes re Long Service Leave. (Case Nos.463/1957 and 730/1958)	1963
215A	Dispute re rates of pay and conditions of employment of Masters, Mates and Engineers (Tugboats). (Case Nos.1079-80; 1082-84; 1088; 1090; 1092; 1235-42/1961 and 132-34/1963)	1963
215B-G	Same	1963-65
216	Dispute re dismissal of boatswain from from vessel "Nilpena" and refusal of union to supply a replacement. (Case No.1376/1964)	1964
217	Dispute between Commonwealth Steamship Owners' Association and others and The Federated Marine Stewards & Pantrymen's Association of Australia and others re stoppages in maritime industry. (Case No.1396/1964)	1964
218	Dispute between the Australian Institute of Marine & Power Engineers and Another and the Commonwealth Steamship Owners Association re rosters of engineers on tugs at Fremantle. (Case No.899/1965)	1965
219	Dispute re issue of industrial clothing to seamen. (Case No.1857/1965)	1965
220	Dispute between the Broken Hill Proprietary Company Limited and the Seamen's Union of Australia re conditions of employment at Steel Works Wharf, Newcastle. (Case No.123/1966)	1966

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N51/221	Dispute between the Australian National Line and the Seamen's Union of Australia, re manning of vessel "Boonaroo" on voyage to Vietnam. (Case No.1062/1966)	1966
222	Dispute between Australian Institute of Marine & Power Engineers and Howard Smith Industries P/L re ship keeping and tugs "Murray Porter" and "Henry Bolte" in Westernport Bay and application by the Commonwealth Steamship Owners Association to vary re conditions of employment on tugs under the Marine Engineers (Tug Boats) Award, 1965, and the Merchant Service (Tug Boats) Award, 1965 on tugs "Murray Porter" and "Henry Bolte". (Case No.1385-87/1966)	1966
223	Dispute between Commonwealth Steamship Owners' Association and others and the Australian Institute of Marine & Power Engineers, re proposed 24 hour stoppage on 6 Nov 1966. (Case No.1732/1966)	1966
224	Dispute between Commonwealth Steamship Owners Association and the Australian Institute of Marine & Power Engineers re refusal of employees on tug boats to handle tankers. (Case No.1770/1966)	1966
225	Dispute re payment for "seeing orders" and meal hour. (Case Nos.1018 and 1020/1967)	1967
226	Dispute between Broken Hill Pty Co. Limited and Seamen's Union of Australia re second cook of vessel SS "Iron Duke". (Case No.208/1967)	1967
227	Dispute re accommodation of the master and chief engineer on the vessel S79 under construction at Newcastle. (Case No.1082/1967)	1967

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N51/228	Dispute between the Seamen's Union of Australia and Howard Smith Industries Pty.Ltd. re tropical and hard lying allowances, vessel "Age". (Case No.570/1967)	1967
229	Dispute between the Commonwealth Steamship Owners Association and the Seamen's Union of Australia re rates of pay for engine and pump room ratings on tanker "B P Endeavour". (Case No. 1529/1967)	1967
230	Dispute re rates of pay on the delivery voyage of the tug "Toorongah" from Port Adelaide to Melbourne. (Case No.1438/1967)	1967
231	Dispute between the Associated Steamships Pty Ltd and the Seamen's Union of Australia re severance pay. (Case No. 1917/1967)	1967
232	Dispute between the Australian National Line and the Seamen's Union of Australia re notice of discharge given to J McCann on vessel "Noongah". (Case No. 1038/1968)	1968
233	Dispute between Australian Institute of Marine and Power Engineers and Commonwealth Steamship Owners' Association, re wages and working conditions for employees on tugs. (Case No.1069/1968)	1968
234	Dispute re wage rates and working conditions. (Case Nos 273;370-71;420;449;470 and 1922/ 1968)	1969
235	Application to vary wage rates re the Merchant Service (Tug Boats) Award, 1965 and the Merchant Engineers (Tug Boats) Award 1965. (Case No. 1946 and 1950/1968)	1969
236	Dispute between the Australian Coastal Shipping Commission and the Federated Marine Stewards and Pantrymen's Association of Australasia and others, re signing on of stewards on "Empress of Australia". (Case No.428/1969)	1969

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238	Adelaide Steamship Co.Pty.Ltd and the Australian Institute of Marine & Power Engineers re wages and working conditions for marine engineers on tugboats engaged on Special Voyages. (Case No.1096/1967)	1969
239	Dispute re Salaries and conditions of work for Marine pilots. (Case No.1510/1969)	1969-70
240A	Application to vary rates of pay etc. The Merchant Service (Tug Boats) Award 1965 and dispute between Adelaide Steamship Co.Ltd and Merchant Service Guild of Australia re wages and working conditions for masters and mates on tugboats engaged on special voyages. (Case Nos 444; 958; 1095-96/1967) - See also N51/60	1969
240B	Same	1970
241	Dispute re aggregate wages etc on tug boats and at Westernport. (Case Nos. 2110/1970; and 859; 223; 875-76; 953; 1016; 1081/1971)	
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N51/242	Judgements handed down by the Commonwealth Conciliation and Arbitration Commission. See also N51/60	1951-64
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246	Inquiry into the circumstances in which the M.V. "Forso" grounded near Pt. Lookout, Queensland, 7 Apr 1960.	1960
247	Inquiry as to the circumstances in which the S.S. "Dandenong" struck a rock near Fingal Head, Northern NSW, 1 May 1960.	1960
248	Inquiry into the circumstances attending the grounding of M.V. "Wangara" off Point Lonsdale Light at the entrance to Port Phillip, 18 Nov 1961.	1962
249A	Inquiry into the grounding of M.V. "Karoo". 8 Sep 1963. See also N51/86 Legal Opinions.	1963
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250	Inquiry into the circumstances of the stranding of the S.S. "Beltana" on Corsair Rock at the entrance to Port Phillip, 16 Sep 1963. See also N51/86 Legal Opinions.	1963
251	Inquiry into the circumstances of the sinking, with subsequent loss of life, of the twin screw steam dredge "W.D. Atlas" off Jervis Bay, 20 May 1966.	1966

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N51/252A	Inquiry into the foundering of the M.V. "Blythe Star" off South West Cape, Tasmania, 13 Oct 1973.	1973
252B-G	Same	1973-74
253	Inquiry into the foundering of the M.V. "Straitsman" in the River Yarra, Melbourne, 23 Mar 1974. See also N51/256	1974
254	Inquiry into the stranding of the M.V. "Pera" on the Cairns Reef, 12 March 1976.	1976
255	Inquiry into the matter of the M.V. "Perentie".	1977
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259B-C	Same. Annotated.	1952
260	Affidavits, statements and legal opinions relating to N.H. Grantham's appeal. See also N51/259A-C	1952
261	Appeal from a Court of Marine Inquiry between John Wallace Nelson, appellant and the Director of Navigation. (Term No. 431/1953) See also N51/262	1953
262	Brief and working papers of counsel appearing for John Wallace Nelson. See also N51/261	1953
263	Appeal from a Court of Marine Inquiry between Peter Howard McLuskey, appellant and the Director of Navigation. (Term No. 370/1961) See also N51/264	1961
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N51/265	Transcript of appeal case between Bayer Spain, 1923 appellant and the Union Steamship Company of NZ Ltd, respondent, heard in the High Court of Australia, NSW Registry. (No. 29/1923)	
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267	Pilotage Mainly correspondence with Government, Ship Owners and Union members about the issue of Masters performing pilot duties	1954-55
268	Pilotage Figures Statistics on pilotage fees and wages in various parts and for particular ships	c.1955
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N51/269	Committee of Management Attendance Book	26 Jan 1971-26 Jun 1973
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N51/270	Chief Officer's Log for the Adelaide Steamship Co.Ltd vessel "St. Giles"	14 Aug 1951- 4 Jan 1953
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N51/271	<u>The Seamen's Journal</u> Vol.IV No.11	Feb 1948
272	<u>The Seamen's Journal</u> Vol.IV No.14	May 1948
273	<u>The Sextant</u> Vol.10 Official Publication of the International Organization of Masters, Mates and Pilots, Inc.	Feb 1956
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