

NOTICE OF MOTION FOR ADRA ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

THIS NOTICE OF MOTION IS PRESENTED BY THE COMMUNITY
MEDIATION DIVISION OF ADRA

- . That while this Division feels that the principles espoused in the paper would be worthy of support, it feels that it is premature to debate this paper at the Annual General Meeting of ADRA.

It believes that a proper consultative process should be put in place which would involve input from the relevant agencies and trainers in this field.

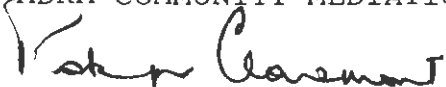
- . This Division recommends that ADRA convene a committee of senior representatives from all relevant agencies, including the Community Justice Centres, the Family Mediation Service, the Conflict Resolution Network, ACDC, Couples Mediation Service, LEADR, universities, and individual trainers, to seek agreement on the need for the development of minimum standards for mediators, and to develop an accreditation process.

Prior to this committee meeting, it is recommended that the ADRA Board should approach the Attorney-General and inform him of the formation of this committee.

- . It is recommended that ADRA develop a preliminary discussion paper from the present paper for discussion at that meeting, and that an ongoing process of consultation be instituted which may produce the widest consensus and support

- . The purpose of this process is to ensure that ADRA has maximum credibility as a professional body attempting to develop minimum standards and an accreditation process.

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