

Dear Members,

I write to inform you that Peter Ryan, President of the SBA has advised the Board of his intention to stand down from his role as President and as a Director of the SBA effective immediately due to a change in personal circumstances.

Peter informed the Board yesterday that recent changes to his private business arrangements has affected his ability to provide the necessary time and support to the SBA and could no longer do the role justice.

The Board has reluctantly accepted Peter's resignation.

Peter has been President and Chairman of the SBA Board since July 2017. He has provided strong leadership, guidance and support establishing effective governance, transparent and timely communications, and financial strength. Peter has worked closely with our CEO Craig Weir on key projects in particular helping to build trusted relationships with our key partners and stakeholders Basketball Victoria and Bayside City Council.

Peter said, "I have enjoyed the last 2 years immensely and feel confident the SBA is in a strong position for the future".

Peter noted he could not have performed his duties as effectively without the support of a fantastic group of dedicated and loyal fellow directors. Peter also noted the valued support he has received from the Presidents of the Domestic Clubs and the Life Members.

Please join me in thanking Peter for his significant contribution to the SBA and wish him well with his future endeavors. No doubt you will see Peter around the courts.

Until a new President is formally appointed by the Board, as Vice president I will take on the role of Acting President.

Kind Regards

Acting SBA President

Scott Harvey