

21-10-2008, 04:11PM FROM-

T-868 P.018/027 F-470

To whom it may concern,
I, Scott Volkens do wish to continue with my application for a blue card.

I did receive the accompanying documents and only wish to state that I have been subjected to every type of enquiry there is: Legal, police, cmc, ocp, media. And all charges were dropped several times. I have always maintained my innocence and always will and therefore feel there is no need to go into this any further.

I have worked in swimming for the last 30 years. I am currently the Head Coach of the Queensland Academy of Sport for swimming. In 2003 I was Head Coach of the Australian team for the World Championship.

For the last 20 years I have been the QLD State Director of Coaching & my current position. During this period I have conducted hundred of coaching clinics throughout Queensland, Aust, New Zealand, Japan, USA, Singapore, Canada, and other places.

I believe I have always ~~been~~ tried to assist the swimming youth to achieve their potential, to become great citizens and stay clear of drugs. I have created some of Australia's greatest role models in Susan O'Neill and Samantha Riley, whilst being a part of the development of athletes such as Stephanie Rice, Emily Seebohm, Cate Campbell, Kylie Palmer and Bronie Barratt to name a few.
(all Olympic Gold medalists)

21-10-2008 04:11PM FROM-

T-868 P.018/027 F-470

I could have gotten hundreds of references and would do if that is what is required, but I feel the ones I have selected, cover all aspects and requirements necessary for a blue card application.

Margaret Pugh OAM :- I coached her daughter. She was president of Queensland Swimming Australian Selection. Queensland Selector. Board member of Australian Swimming.

Dr June Caravan, OId Swimming Honorary Medical Officer, OId team Doctor, Aust team doctor.

Wendy Swift - Sport Psychologists. O.A.S., O.L.D., AUST Team psychologists

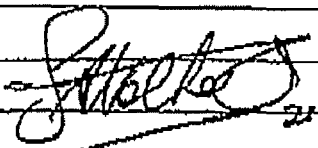
Kevin Hasemann - CEO Swimming Queensland

All referees are aware of the police action as is all of Australia due to the circus it attracted.

I believe, as do the referees I have supplied, that I should be granted a blue card so I can continue the work I have done for the last 30 years with the youth of Australia.

I do and will take all due care and attention whilst working with these kids.

I look forward to gaining a positive reply from this application.

Kindest Regards -  21/10/08