Do you know that Jeff Jackson, not long ago, resigned from our union following the release of an independent auditor's report showing he was on the take and the union suing him to recover money owed to it.

How Kathy Jackson (Jeff Jackson's wife) sent fake invoices to our union for work she never did. The effect of this was to reduce Jeff's maintenance to his previous wife and children and reduce his tax bill. Inside are copies of the invoices and the legal letter showing the Jacksons were forced to repay the money and had to resign.

JACKSON has tried to bury this report and now he's running for election again, hoping members have forgotten or never heard about it.

Did you know that when these charges were published in our union magazine, although there was 100% proof, Jeff Jackson sued his own union and Jeff Jackson's mates in the HSUA National Office secretly paid Jeff Jackson $80,000 against the union's own lawyers advice.
Jeff Jackson used our maintenance to his detriment.

Kathy Jackson (Jeff Jackson's wife) sent fake invoices to our union for maintenance payments to his previous wife and children and reduced Jeff Jackson's payments to his ex-wife and children.

Jeff Jackson's partner Kathy Jackson (then Kathy Koukouvaos) invoiced our union for work she didn't do. This helped Jeff Jackson avoid paying maintenance to his ex-wife and children and to avoid tax.

The HSUA accountant's signature is next to the invoice, indicating that the four day rate $961.85 is simply $1,227.30.

**Invoice Details**

**TO WHOM**

During February of this year I was aware that he felt he could reduce his salary to four days a week and work on a consultancy basis. This I did.

He had devised a scheme where he worked only four days a week and then pick up the fifth day on a consultancy basis for that day. This helped him avoid paying maintenance to his ex-wife and children and avoid tax.

As I was not happy with this I discussed the matter with him. He said he was advised by his surgeon to work only four days a week and then pick up the fifth day on a consultancy basis. This I did.

I gave him his notice and this was not acceptable to him. He then gave me his notice. This was not acceptable to me.

I asked Mr. Jackson if this had been agreed to four months ago. He said it had been. I then said I would give him until the end of the month to find another arrangement.

I warned Mr. Jackson that all his previous arrangements would be terminated and that in future he would be paid only for the work he did.

The reduction in salary would be carried out accordingly. He instructed me to pay superannuation as if he were still in the same position.

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tax. Here are the documents which prove it and show how it was done.
Jeff’s Melbourne Cup Party, with booze and a spa. We pay.

The questions to be asked; Why did Jeff Jackson resign if he thought he’d done nothing wrong? How could he be forced to repay money if it wasn’t dishonestly spent? And finally, why does Mr Jackson, after 2 decisive defeats at the ballot box, refuse to accept the members’ decision?
TO:  Mr. J. Armstrong  
The Secretary - Health Services Union of Australia Victoria No. 1 Branch

RE:  Mr. J. Jackson

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III - Overnight Accommodation

From the sample selected for our audit purposes, it appears that Mr. J. Jackson travelled to Bendigo (15th August, 1994, 16th December, 1994 - the strike) and Sydney (21st December, 1994). Each of these nights were Fridays. We were unable to locate reasons for these trips from the travel schedules maintained by the Union.

We have been advised that accommodation only should be allocated to the "Flag" account, however there are examples of "other" expenses, (e.g. mini bar) have been paid by the Union.

III - Petty Cash

There have been numerous occasions where cash has been withdrawn from the petty cash fund by Mr. J. Jackson and no invoices or supporting documentation has been provided. On questioning members of the Union there appears to be discrepancies between the reason for cash to be withdrawn and the actual attendance of Mr. J. Jackson at the meeting cited.

An example of this is a withdrawal of $3.90 on 16th December 1994 for the "reimbursement from expenses in relation to the Ballarat meetings". If you refer to item 10 above, Mr. J. Jackson was staying in Bendigo.

It should also be noted that $12.35 was requested on 11th July 1994 for petrol, yet via Motor Pass petrol purchases were also made on 11th July 1994.

III - Union Equipment

We believe that several items of union equipment, namely, facsimile, telephone, etc. are in the possession of Mr. J. Jackson as at the date of this letter. We ask you to ensure that these items have been returned.
Here is what the independent auditors and chartered accountants Ragg Weir and Co said in a SIGNED report.

We know HSUA members are sick of infighting and mudslinging. We want a strong, united and honest union. But to achieve this we have to root out those that are dividing us.

We need some big changes. We need to elect a team that is working 100% for members, not for themselves.

Jeff’s Christmas party.

We pay.

28th November, 1995

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We have completed a review of expenditure items incurred by Mr. J. Jackson’s Committee’s request and note below items that we believe may require further examination.

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In relation to this item of expenditure it appears that Mr. J. Jackson purchased other items via the Motor Pass card on more frequent occasions than that of the Committee.

We have received comments from members of the Union, together with the inconsistency in the daily travel register maintained by the Union, that the expenditure has been made with the consent of travel undertaken by Mr. J. Jackson. We attach copies of pass statements from 24th November 1994 until the 29th January 1995 (all period) that indicate the fuel purchased on thirty-three occasions (including on the Union was closed for Christmas break and includes Albury and Sydney.) It is clear from the other months inspected, that fuel was purchased very regularly. The explanations received appear acceptable for the travel undertaken.

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