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Dear Hickey,

As usual I called at the office today and signed the cheques.

I am disappointed that I was unable to take away with me any application for Membership forms.† Unless these are printed and circulated NOW, the movement will never progress.

I realise full well that you are a busy man, and that your own office entails long hours and working late. Also, there is your own family to consider, however willing you are.

From your own viewpoint and that of the movement, I am convinced that the time is now ripe for an organiser to be appointed. The essential need at the moment is to distribute the membership forms among the general council, to be followed later by the general Appeal. For this work only a part time organiser is required and he would be under your supervision. The position should carry some remuneration however frugal, as I have always held yours should.

I have not approached Barry Walsh but I think that if he could devote 2/3 hours every day, that he would be the ideal man for this stage of the work in conjunction with yourself, as he has already shown genuine interest.

Let me know whether this or similar idea would meet with your's and the Committee's approval.

*William Reidy*

*Excuse the amateur typing.*