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Candidate Statement for the position of Director at Squash & Racquetball Victoria.

Age:	63
Family Status:	Married, 1 daughter
Education:	Degree in International Business from ICI Paris.
	6 Sigma Black Belt.
	Numerous in job training.

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I have been working in the Automotive industry for over 40 years. My roles ranged from Director of Export Sales based in Paris to Head of Advanced R&D based in the US followed by roles as Group VP Manufacturing, Engineering and Sales in the UK, MD for an Advanced Engineering Division in Italy, MD of an Italian IT company and the Group VP Engineering for Pacifica Brakes. For the last 6 years I have been Exec Officer for the South East Melbourne Manufacturing Alliance (SEMMA www.semma.com.au)

I have also purchased in November 2016 a majority share in Blu Health and full control in March 2017. We ran a successful PSA \$5k Men and women's tournament last year.

I am a member of a number of Advisory Boards. Chairman of the Advisory Board for the Chisholm Bachelor of Technology Degree, Knox City Council City Future planning Committee and various ad hoc groups related to Government projects.

Member of Moorabbin Squash Club and Committee member. Member of Vic Squash advisory group.

I was also President of the St. Thibault Squash Club in France for 3 years and have a very good relationship with most of the French Squash Management group. My daughter was a part of the French teams in the late 1990's and 2000 and is currently number 12 in France and Masters Champion.

I believe that my background in Squash around the world, my current commitment to growing Squash Melbourne (up 30% this year) and my willingness to invest in the development of Junior squash in Victoria will bring significant benefits to Squash Vic.

Until I am more involved in the organisation of Squash Vic, it's fundraising and development capabilities I cannot say I have a clear vision other than to stabilise the organisation and promote Squash and Racquetball in Victoria.