Surf club stands by Roslan

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FRANK Roslan and Surfers' Paradise club will fight the State Surf Centre on Roslan's suspension.

Roslan was suspended indefinitely at this month's State Centre meeting for criticising the managerial control of Bill Daley at the national surf championships in Sydney in 1948.

Daley was manager of the Queensland team and Roslan was captain of the Surfers' Paradise team, which represented Queensland in the R. and R. and won the title.

Roslan said yesterday that he had sent a protest letter direct to the Surf Head Centre in Sydney.

Surfers' Paradise Club secretary (Ron McDougall) said that the club would back Roslan in the campaign.

"The whole of Surfers' Club may have to be suspended. Their sentiments on the management of the 1948 State team are the same as Roslan's," McDougall said.

CLAIM DENIAL

State president Frank McGrath said at the Point Danger Branch meeting on Saturday that Roslan had not appeared before the judiciary committee during a period of twelve months.

Roslan yesterday denied that he had failed to make an appearance before the judiciary board. He claimed that he had had one interview and would not retract his statement.

McDougall said that the club would try to marshal the five other members of the team to support a protest to the next South Coast branch meeting on October 8.

Of the other five, Fred Thee, Harry Sandison, George Walsh, and Noel Smith are still at Surfers, and John Stubbs is with Burleigh.