



DECISION

Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Act 2009
s.189—Arrangement for conduct of an election

Independent Education Union of Australia (E2019/116)

MR ENRIGHT

MELBOURNE, 27 JUNE 2019

Arrangement for conduct of election.

[1] On 26 June 2019 the Independent Education Union of Australia-Victoria Tasmania Branch lodged with the Registered Organisations Commission prescribed information for an election to fill the following office, due to insufficient nominations received in a previous election (**E2019/6**):

Branch Delegates to Federal Council

(3)

[2] I am satisfied that an election for the abovenamed offices is required to be held under the rules of the organisation and, under subsection 189(3) of the *Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Act 2009*, I am making arrangements for the conduct of the election by the Australian Electoral Commission.



DELEGATE OF THE COMMISSIONER

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26 June 2019

The Commissioner
Registered Organisations Commission
GPO Box 2983
MELBOURNE VIC 3001
Via email: regorgs@roc.gov.au

Dear Commissioner

In accordance with s189(1) of the *Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Act 2009*, I advise that pursuant to the rules of the Independent Education Union Victoria Tasmania, a branch of the Independent Education Union of Australia, elections for Branch Delegates to Federal Council should be conducted due to insufficient nominations.

The following documentation is attached:

1. A **Statement** made in accordance with Regulation 138 signed by an officer authorised to make the statement.
2. **Annexure A** setting out the prescribed information in respect of the elections pursuant to Regulation 138 and required by s189(1) of the Act.
3. **Supporting Documentation**
 - AEC Declaration of Branch Election Results E2019/6
 - Motion of Committee of Management 21 June 2019

I look forward to your response.

Yours sincerely



Debra James
General Secretary

PRESCRIBED INFORMATION FOR ELECTIONS in accordance with Section 189 *Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Act 2009* and Regulation 138 *Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Regulations 2009*

I, Debra James, being the General Secretary of the Independent Education Union Victoria Tasmania, a branch of the Independent Education Union of Australia, make the following statement:

1. I am authorised to sign this statement containing prescribed information for the Independent Education Union Victoria Tasmania.
2. The following information is lodged under subsection 189(1) of the Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Act 2009 (the RO Act).
3. The elections that are required are set out in the table in **Annexure A**.
4. No rule alterations are pending that will impact the election.
5. This statement is lodged at least 2 months before nominations open for the election.

Signed:



Debra James
General Secretary

Dated: **26 June 2019**

Annexure A

REGULATION 138

PRESCRIBED INFORMATION IN RESPECT OF ELECTION – SUB-SECTION 189(1) OF THE ACT

Branch	Name of Office	Number required	Voting System <i>Direct voting system; Collegiate electoral system</i>	Reason for Election <i>Scheduled; Casual vacancy; New office created; Insufficient nominations</i>	Electorate
Victoria/Tasmania	Branch Delegates to Federal Council	3	DVS	Insufficient Nominations	All financial members of Victorian Tasmanian Branch

	Direct Voting System	Collegiate Electoral System
Nominations OPEN	<i>28 August 2019 (Rule 17(e))</i>	<i>Not applicable</i>
Nominations CLOSE	<i>20 September 2019 (Rule 17(h))</i>	<i>Not applicable</i>
Roll of Voters cut off date	<i>21 August 2019 (Rule 17(o))</i>	<i>Not applicable</i>

PROPOSED TIMELINE FOR THE CONDUCT

28 Aug Nominations are called for in respect of all positions on the IEU website.

Nominations must be open for at least 21 days

20 Sept Nominations close

Ballot must open no later than 28 days after close of nominations

30 Sept Ballot opens

Ballot must be open no less than 21 days

22 Oct Ballot closes

Ballot closes 12pm noon on the 22nd day after the ballot opens

13 June 2019

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Independent Education Union of Australia-Victoria
Tasmania Branch E2019/6

Election(s) Covered in this Report

Election Decision No/s: E2019/6

Rules

Rules used for the election: [130N: Incorporates alterations of 14 May 2018] [R2018/45]
(replaces rulebook dated 12 April 2018 [R2017/253 and R2017/293])

Rules difficult to apply/interpret: None
Model Rule reference (if any) (N/A)

Roll of Voters

As there were no contested offices, no Roll of Voters was required.

Irregularities

Details of written allegations of irregularities, and action taken by AEC: *None*

Other irregularities identified, and action taken: N/A

Other Matters

Nil

Attachments

- 1) Declaration of results for Uncontested Offices



Jeff Webb
Returning Officer
13 June 2019

**Independent Education Union of Australia
Victoria & Tasmania
DECLARATION OF RESULTS - E2019/6
Uncontested Offices**

Scheduled Election

The results of the election for the following offices conducted in accordance with the provisions of the *Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Act 2009* and the rules of the organisation are:

Independent Education Union of Australia-Victoria Tasmania Branch

Branch Delegates to Federal Council (11)

Candidates

BUSK Kylie

CLAYTON Marit

COTTER Loretta

HICKEY Cathryn

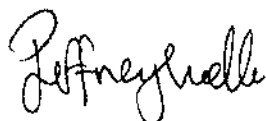
MANNION Paul

MATSON Denis

O'LOUGHLIN Therese

WILLAMS Mark

As the number of nominations accepted did not exceed the number of positions to be filled, I declare the above candidates elected.



Jeff Webb
Returning Officer
05/06/2019



Friday 21 June 2019

6.2.3 Branch Delegates to Federal Council

Motion 6

"The Committee of Management notes that there were insufficient nominations received for the election of Branch Delegates to Federal Council and directs the General Secretary to make such arrangements as are required under the Union Rules and the Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Act 2009 to conduct another election."

Moved: Rachael Evans

Seconded: Heather Macardy