



DECISION

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

Police Federation of Australia
(E2024/120)

MR STEENSON

SYDNEY, 10 SEPTEMBER 2024

Arrangement for conduct of election.

[1] On 13 August 2024¹ the South Australia Police Branch (the **Branch**) of the Police Federation of Australia (the **organisation**) lodged with the Fair Work Commission prescribed information for an election to fill the following offices for a new term of office:

Branch Annual Conference Delegates for the workgroups listed in **Attachment A**

(the number of Delegates to be elected in each workgroup to be determined in accordance with sub rule 45C(a) of the organisation's rules)

[2] The cover letter accompanying the prescribed information provides the Branch's preferred dates for the nomination and ballot periods, requesting that nominations open on 15 October 2024. Sub rule 44B(e)(ii) provides that the election timetable shall be determined by the Returning Officer, in consultation with the Branch Secretary.

[3] 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 GENERAL MANAGER

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¹ The cover letter to the prescribed information is dated 7 August 2024 and the statement of prescribed information is dated 'August 2024'.

ATTACHMENT A

Ceduna Workgroup
Cooper Pedy Workgroup
Kadina Workgroup
Nuriootpa Workgroup
Peterborough Workgroup
Port Augusta Workgroup
Port Lincoln Workgroup
Port Pirie Workgroup
Whyalla Workgroup
Adelaide Hills Workgroup
Berri Workgroup
Millicent Workgroup
Mount Gambier Workgroup
Murray Bridge Workgroup
Naracoorte Workgroup
Renmark Workgroup
South Coast Workgroup
Adelaide Investigation Workgroup
Drug & Organized Crime Investigation Workgroup
Elizabeth Investigation Workgroup
Forensic Services Workgroup
Intelligence Support Workgroup
Major Crime Investigation Workgroup
Port Adelaide Investigation Workgroup
Serious Fraud Investigation Workgroup
South Coast Investigation Workgroup
Elizabeth Workgroup
Gawler Workgroup
Golden Grove Workgroup
Henley Beach Workgroup
Holden Hill Workgroup
Northern Traffic Workgroup
Northern Prosecutions Workgroup

Parks Workgroup
Port Adelaide Workgroup
Salisbury Workgroup
Adelaide Workgroup
Christies Beach/Aldinga Workgroup
Hindley Street Workgroup
Netley Workgroup
Norwood Workgroup
Southern Prosecutions Workgroup
Sturt Workgroup
Southern Traffic Workgroup
Academy Workgroup
Anti Corruption Branch Workgroup
Band Workgroup
Comcen Workgroup
Dog Operations Unit Workgroup
Firearms Workgroup
Human Resources Management Workgroup
Mounted Operations Workgroup
STAR Operations Workgroup
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Traffic Services Workgroup
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August 7, 2024

The General Manager
Fair Work Commission – Registered Organisations
By e-mail: regorgs@fwc.gov.au

Dear Sir

Re: Election for Offices

The term of our delegates expires on 31 December 2024.

Attached is the notification pursuant to Section 189 of the *Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Act 2009*, concerning the election of branch delegates.

I confirm that all new workplaces assigned to the workgroups since the last scheduled election in 2022 have been endorsed by the branch committee of management.

Preferred dates for the nomination and ballot period, which we ask that you take into consideration, are:

Roll closes:	5.00 pm Tuesday, October 8, 2024
Nominations open	Tuesday, October 15, 2024
Nominations close	5.00 pm Tuesday, October 29, 2024
Ballot opens	Tuesday, November 12, 2024
Ballot closes	9.00 am on Tuesday, December 10, 2024

While we understand that the number of delegates for each electorate is to be determined in line with the date of the closure of the roll of voters, please find below an indicative listing of the number of delegates per electorate as at today.

Electorate	Number of Delegates
<i>Ceduna Workgroup</i>	1
<i>Cooper Pedy Workgroup</i>	1
<i>Kadina Workgroup</i>	1
<i>Nuriootpa Workgroup</i>	1
<i>Peterborough Workgroup</i>	1
<i>Port Augusta Workgroup</i>	1
<i>Port Lincoln Workgroup</i>	1
<i>Port Pirie Workgroup</i>	1
<i>Whyalla Workgroup</i>	1
<i>Adelaide Hills Workgroup</i>	1
<i>Berri Workgroup</i>	1
<i>Millicent Workgroup</i>	1
<i>Mount Gambier Workgroup</i>	1
<i>Murray Bridge Workgroup</i>	1
<i>Naracoorte Workgroup</i>	1
<i>Renmark Workgroup</i>	1
<i>South Coast Workgroup</i>	1
<i>Adelaide Investigation Workgroup</i>	1
<i>Drug & Organized Crime Investigation Workgroup</i>	1
<i>Elizabeth Investigation Workgroup</i>	1
<i>Forensic Services Workgroup</i>	1
<i>Intelligence Support Workgroup</i>	1
<i>Major Crime Investigation Workgroup</i>	2
<i>Port Adelaide Investigation Workgroup</i>	1
<i>Serious Fraud Investigation Workgroup</i>	1
<i>South Coast Investigation Workgroup</i>	1
<i>Elizabeth Workgroup</i>	1
<i>Gawler Workgroup</i>	1
<i>Golden Grove Workgroup</i>	1
<i>Henley Beach Workgroup</i>	1
<i>Holden Hill Workgroup</i>	1
<i>Northern Traffic</i>	1
<i>Northern Prosecutions Workgroup</i>	1
<i>Parks Workgroup</i>	1
<i>Port Adelaide Workgroup</i>	1
<i>Salisbury Workgroup</i>	1
<i>Adelaide Workgroup</i>	1
<i>Christies Beach/Aldinga Workgroup</i>	1
<i>Hindley Street Workgroup</i>	1
<i>Netley Workgroup</i>	1
<i>Norwood Workgroup</i>	1
<i>Southern Prosecutions Workgroup</i>	1
<i>Southern Traffic Workgroup</i>	1
<i>Sturt Workgroup</i>	1
<i>Academy Workgroup</i>	2

Electorate (cont.)	Number of Delegates
<i>Anti Corruption Branch Workgroup</i>	1
<i>Band Workgroup</i>	1
<i>Comcen Workgroup</i>	2
<i>Dog Operations Unit Workgroup</i>	1
<i>Firearms Workgroup</i>	1
<i>Human Resources Management Workgroup</i>	2
<i>Mounted Operations Workgroup</i>	1
<i>STAR Operations Workgroup</i>	1
<i>StateTac/OpMandrake Workgroup</i>	1
<i>Traffic Services Workgroup</i>	2
<i>Officers Branch</i>	2

I look forward to progressing this matter in due course.

Yours sincerely



**WADE BURNS
PRESIDENT**

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

I, WADE BURNS, being the PRESIDENT of the POLICE FEDERATION OF AUSTRALIA, SOUTH AUSTRALIA BRANCH, make the following statement:

1. I am authorized to sign this statement containing prescribed information for the POLICE FEDERATION OF AUSTRALIA, SOUTH AUSTRALIA BRANCH.
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 elections in Annexure A.

Signed:
WADE BURNS, PRESIDENT

Date: August 2024

ANNEXURE A

- Elections that are required:

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
SA	<i>Delegates</i>	<i>To be determined</i>	DVS	<i>Scheduled</i>	<i>Ceduna Workgroup (rule 45C(a))</i>
SA	<i>Delegates</i>	<i>To be determined</i>	DVS	<i>Scheduled</i>	<i>Cooper Pedy Workgroup (rule 45C(a))</i>
SA	<i>Delegates</i>	<i>To be determined</i>	DVS	<i>Scheduled</i>	<i>Kadina Workgroup (rule 45C(a))</i>
SA	<i>Delegates</i>	<i>To be determined</i>	DVS	<i>Scheduled</i>	<i>Nuriootpa Workgroup (rule 45C(a))</i>
SA	<i>Delegates</i>	<i>To be determined</i>	DVS	<i>Scheduled</i>	<i>Peterborough Workgroup (rule 45C(a))</i>
SA	<i>Delegates</i>	<i>To be determined</i>	DVS	<i>Scheduled</i>	<i>Port Augusta Workgroup (rule 45C(a))</i>
SA	<i>Delegates</i>	<i>To be determined</i>	DVS	<i>Scheduled</i>	<i>Port Lincoln Workgroup (rule 45C(a))</i>
SA	<i>Delegates</i>	<i>To be determined</i>	DVS	<i>Scheduled</i>	<i>Port Pirie Workgroup (rule 45C(a))</i>
SA	<i>Delegates</i>	<i>To be determined</i>	DVS	<i>Scheduled</i>	<i>Whyalla Workgroup (rule 45C(a))</i>
SA	<i>Delegates</i>	<i>To be determined</i>	DVS	<i>Scheduled</i>	<i>Adelaide Hills Workgroup (rule 45C(a))</i>
SA	<i>Delegates</i>	<i>To be determined</i>	DVS	<i>Scheduled</i>	<i>Berri Workgroup (rule 45C(a))</i>
SA	<i>Delegates</i>	<i>To be determined</i>	DVS	<i>Scheduled</i>	<i>Millicent Workgroup (rule 45C(a))</i>
SA	<i>Delegates</i>	<i>To be determined</i>	DVS	<i>Scheduled</i>	<i>Mount Gambier Workgroup (rule 45C(a))</i>
SA	<i>Delegates</i>	<i>To be determined</i>	DVS	<i>Scheduled</i>	<i>Murray Bridge Workgroup (rule 45C(a))</i>

SA	<i>Delegates</i>	<i>To be determined</i>	<i>DVS</i>	<i>Scheduled</i>	<i>Naracoorte Workgroup (rule 45C(a))</i>
SA	<i>Delegates</i>	<i>To be determined</i>	<i>DVS</i>	<i>Scheduled</i>	<i>Renmark Workgroup (rule 45C(a))</i>
SA	<i>Delegates</i>	<i>To be determined</i>	<i>DVS</i>	<i>Scheduled</i>	<i>South Coast Workgroup (rule 45C(a))</i>
SA	<i>Delegates</i>	<i>To be determined</i>	<i>DVS</i>	<i>Scheduled</i>	<i>Adelaide Investigation Workgroup (rule 45C(a))</i>
SA	<i>Delegates</i>	<i>To be determined</i>	<i>DVS</i>	<i>Scheduled</i>	<i>Drug & Organized Crime Investigation Workgroup (rule 45C(a))</i>
SA	<i>Delegates</i>	<i>To be determined</i>	<i>DVS</i>	<i>Scheduled</i>	<i>Elizabeth Investigation Workgroup (rule 45C(a))</i>
SA	<i>Delegates</i>	<i>To be determined</i>	<i>DVS</i>	<i>Scheduled</i>	<i>Forensic Services Workgroup (rule 45C(a))</i>
SA	<i>Delegates</i>	<i>To be determined</i>	<i>DVS</i>	<i>Scheduled</i>	<i>Intelligence Support Workgroup (rule 45C(a))</i>
SA	<i>Delegates</i>	<i>To be determined</i>	<i>DVS</i>	<i>Scheduled</i>	<i>Major Crime Investigation Workgroup (rule 45C(a))</i>
SA	<i>Delegates</i>	<i>To be determined</i>	<i>DVS</i>	<i>Scheduled</i>	<i>Port Adelaide Investigation Workgroup (rule 45C(a))</i>
SA	<i>Delegates</i>	<i>To be determined</i>	<i>DVS</i>	<i>Scheduled</i>	<i>Serious Fraud Investigation Workgroup (rule 45C(a))</i>
SA	<i>Delegates</i>	<i>To be determined</i>	<i>DVS</i>	<i>Scheduled</i>	<i>South Coast Investigation Workgroup (rule 45C(a))</i>
SA	<i>Delegates</i>	<i>To be determined</i>	<i>DVS</i>	<i>Scheduled</i>	<i>Elizabeth Workgroup (rule 45C(a))</i>
SA	<i>Delegates</i>	<i>To be determined</i>	<i>DVS</i>	<i>Scheduled</i>	<i>Gawler Workgroup (rule 45C(a))</i>
SA	<i>Delegates</i>	<i>To be determined</i>	<i>DVS</i>	<i>Scheduled</i>	<i>Golden Grove Workgroup (rule 45C(a))</i>
SA	<i>Delegates</i>	<i>To be determined</i>	<i>DVS</i>	<i>Scheduled</i>	<i>Henley Beach Workgroup (rule 45C(a))</i>
SA	<i>Delegates</i>	<i>To be determined</i>	<i>DVS</i>	<i>Scheduled</i>	<i>Holden Hill Workgroup (rule 45C(a))</i>
SA	<i>Delegates</i>	<i>To be determined</i>	<i>DVS</i>	<i>Scheduled</i>	<i>Northern Traffic Workgroup (rule 45C(a))</i>

SA	<i>Delegates</i>	<i>To be determined</i>	DVS	<i>Scheduled</i>	<i>Northern Prosecutions Workgroup (rule 45C(a))</i>
SA	<i>Delegates</i>	<i>To be determined</i>	DVS	<i>Scheduled</i>	<i>Parks Workgroup (rule 45C(a))</i>
SA	<i>Delegates</i>	<i>To be determined</i>	DVS	<i>Scheduled</i>	<i>Port Adelaide Workgroup (rule 45C(a))</i>
SA	<i>Delegates</i>	<i>To be determined</i>	DVS	<i>Scheduled</i>	<i>Salisbury Workgroup (rule 45C(a))</i>
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SA	<i>Delegates</i>	<i>To be determined</i>	DVS	<i>Scheduled</i>	<i>Academy Workgroup (rule 45C(a))</i>
SA	<i>Delegates</i>	<i>To be determined</i>	DVS	<i>Scheduled</i>	<i>Anti Corruption Branch Workgroup (rule 45C(a))</i>
SA	<i>Delegates</i>	<i>To be determined</i>	DVS	<i>Scheduled</i>	<i>Band Workgroup (rule 45C(a))</i>
SA	<i>Delegates</i>	<i>To be determined</i>	DVS	<i>Scheduled</i>	<i>Comcen Workgroup (rule 45C(a))</i>
SA	<i>Delegates</i>	<i>To be determined</i>	DVS	<i>Scheduled</i>	<i>Dog Operations Unit Workgroup (rule 45C(a))</i>
SA	<i>Delegates</i>	<i>To be determined</i>	DVS	<i>Scheduled</i>	<i>Firearms Workgroup (rule 45C(a))</i>

SA	Delegates	To be determined	DVS	Scheduled	Human Resources Management Workgroup (rule 45C(a))
SA	Delegates	To be determined	DVS	Scheduled	Mounted Operations Workgroup (rule 45C(a))
SA	Delegates	To be determined	DVS	Scheduled	STAR Operations Workgroup (rule 45C(a))
SA	Delegates	To be determined	DVS	Scheduled	StateTac/OpMandrake Workgroup (rule 45C(a))
SA	Delegates	To be determined	DVS	Scheduled	Traffic Services Workgroup (rule 45C(a))
SA	Delegates	To be determined	DVS	Scheduled	Officers Branch (rule 45C(a))

- Important dates:

	Direct Voting System
Nominations OPEN	<i>To be determined by the returning officer</i>
Nominations CLOSE	<i>To be determined by the returning officer</i>
Roll of Voters cut off date	<i>7 days prior to nominations opening (rule 44B(e)(i))</i>
Ballot OPEN	<i>To be determined by the returning officer</i>
Ballot CLOSE	<i>To be determined by the returning officer</i>