

DECISION

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

Police Federation of Australia (E2024/174)

MR STEENSON

SYDNEY, 8 NOVEMBER 2024

Arrangement for conduct of election.

[1] On 10 October 2024 the Queensland Police Branch of the Police Federation of Australia lodged with the Fair Work Commission prescribed information for an election to fill casual vacancies in the following offices for the remainder of the term of office:

Branch Vice President (1)

Branch Assistant Treasurer (2)

[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 GENERAL MANAGER

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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, Shane Allan Prior, being the General President of the Queensland Police Branch of the Police Federation of Australia make the following statement:

- 1. I am authorised to sign this statement containing prescribed information for the Queensland Police Branch of the Police Federation of Australia.
- 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. These elections are necessary due to casual vacancies that have arisen, resulting in these offices becoming vacant.
- 4. The election is to be conducted in accordance with the Police Federation of Australia, Part CF1 Rules. 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(s) in Annexure A.
- 6. The Branch Vice-President and Branch Assistant Treasurers will be elected from the Regional Representatives see Part CF1, sub-rule 39(c).
- 7. The Manager will, at the meeting of the electoral college, call for nominations of candidates from amongst the members of the electoral college see Part CF, sub-rule 72(d).

Dated: 07-10-2024

NOTE: This statement should be lodged with the Fair Work Commission at least 2 months prior to nominations opening. It can be submitted to regorgs@fwc.gov.au.

Annexure A

• Elections that are required

Branch	Name of Office	Number required	Voting System Direct voting system; Collegiate electoral system	Reason for Election Scheduled; Casual vacancy; New office created; Insufficient nominations	Electorate
Queensland Police Branch	Branch Vice-President	1	Collegiate Electoral System	Casual Vacancy	Branch Executive – Rule 39(c) and 72 of the CF1 Rules
Queensland Police Branch	Branch Assistant Treasurer	2	Collegiate Electoral System	Casual Vacancy	Branch Executive – Rule 39(c) and 72 of the CF1 Rules

• Important dates:

	Direct Voting System	Collegiate Electoral System
Nominations OPEN	-	To be determined by the Returning Officer
Nominations CLOSE	-	To be determined by the Returning Officer
Roll of Voters cut off date	-	Rule 72 of the CF1 Rules