

DECISION

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

Police Federation of Australia

(E2025/16)

MR STEENSON

SYDNEY, 18 FEBRUARY 2025

Arrangement for conduct of election.

[1] On 29 January and 17 and 18 February 2025 the Western Australia Police Branch (the **Branch**) of the Police Federation of Australia lodged with the Fair Work Commission (the **Commission**) prescribed information for an election to fill casual vacancies in the following offices for the remainder of the term:

Executive Members - Metropolitan Region (2)

[2] On the same dates, the Branch lodged with the Commission prescribed information for an election to fill the following office, which is vacant due to insufficient nominations received in a previous election (E2024/84):

Treasurer (1)

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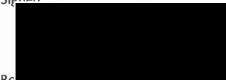
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PRESCRIBED INFORMATION FOR ELECTIONS in accordance with Section 189 Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Act 2009 and Regulation 138 Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Regulations 2009

I, Rozanne Byass, duly appointed as Secretary of the Police Federation Australia, Western Australia Police Branch of 639 Murray Street West Perth, WA 6005, make the following statement:

- 1. I am authorised to sign this statement containing prescribed information for Police Federation of Australia, Western Australian Police 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. The resignation letter or other supporting information is attached for each casual vacancy. Attached hereto and marked **Annexure B** and **Annexure C** is resignation letters of the following:
 - Mr Paul Gale; and
 - Mr Gary Lewis.
- 5. Insufficient nominations were received in an earlier election for the position of Treasurer.
- 6. No rule alterations are pending that will impact the election.
- 7. This statement is not bound by the minimum two (2) month lodgement requirement as the positions are vacant casually vacant.

Signed.



Secretary- PFA- WA Police Branch

Dated: 17 Feb 2025



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 [insert as many pages as 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 |
|----------------------|-------------------|-----------------|---|---|---------------------------------|
| PFA-WA POLICE BRANCH | Treasurer | 1 | Collegiate electoral system | Insufficient nominations | Executive |
| PFA WA POLICE BRANCH | Executive Members | 2 | Direct Voting System | Casual vacancy | Financial Members of the branch |

• Important dates:

| | Direct Voting System | Collegiate Electoral System |
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| Nominations OPEN | Rule 52AO(3)(a)- to be determined by Returning Officer | To be determined by the Returning Officer |
| Nominations CLOSE | Rule 52AO(3)(a)- to be determined by Returning Officer | To be determined by the Returning Officer |
| Roll of Voters cut off date | Rule 52AO (2) | Rule 52AO (2) |

NOTES: For insufficient nominations and casual vacancies, the date nominations open and close, unless specified in the rules, should be listed as 'To be determined by the returning officer'. This also applies where rules are silent as to the nominated dates.

If the nomination dates are 'To be Determined by the Returning Officer', but your organisation has a preference, please state 'To be Determined by Returning Officer' and clearly indicate that your nominated date is a preference.

If the P.I. includes a position that is not an office, please refer to our template <u>Prescribed information for the election of officer and non-officer positions</u>.