

DECISION

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

Police Federation of Australia (E2025/19)

MR STEENSON

SYDNEY, 28 MARCH 2025

Arrangement for conduct of election.

[1] On 13 March 2025 the Victoria Police Branch (the Branch) of the Police Federation of Australia lodged with the Fair Work Commission prescribed information for an election to fill the following offices for a new term of office:

Branch Executive Member

(4)

[2] The Branch rules¹, in particular rule Part CC 52CB, provide that the Branch Executive consists of twelve (12) members elected for three (3) year terms, four (4) of whom are elected each year – in effect, a rotating election cycle, i.e. this 2025 election being for those offices previously elected in 2022 (E2022/19).

[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 Part CC of the rules of the Police Federation of Australia.

PRESCRIBED INFORMATION FOR ELECTIONS in accordance with Section 189 of the *Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Act 2009* and Regulation 138 of the *Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Regulations 2009,* with a request under Section 187 of the *Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Act 2009*

- 1. The elections that are required are set out in the table in Annexure B.
- 2. A copy of the request under section 187 for the AEC to conduct an election for any non-office positions is attached (see Annexure A).

I, **KARL DAVID**, being the **PRESIDENT** of the **POLICE FEDERATION OF AUSTRALIA, VICTORIA POLICE BRANCH**, make the following statement:

- 1. I am authorised to sign this statement containing prescribed information for POLICE FEDERATION OF AUSTRALIA, VICTORIA 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 B.
- 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(s) in Annexure B.

Signed:



NOTE: This statement, together with Annexures A and B, <u>must</u> be lodged with the Fair Work Commission at least 2 months prior to nominations opening. It can be submitted by email to <u>regorgs@fwc.gov.au</u>.

Annexure B

• 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	
For the election of officers						
Victoria Police	Branch Executive Member	4	Direct Voting System	Scheduled	Victoria Police Branch Members (Rule 52CF)	
For the election of non-office positions						
N/A	N/A	N/A	Select relevant voting system	Select reason for election	State the electorate and reference the relevant rule	

• Important dates:

	Direct Voting System	Collegiate Electoral System
Nominations OPEN	By no later than 31 May 2025 (rule 52CF (1))	N/A
Nominations CLOSE	12.00 noon Friday 20 June 2025 (rule 52CF (2))	N/A
Roll of Voters cut off date	7 days prior to nominations opening (rule 52CF (5))	N/A