



DECISION

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

"Automotive, Food, Metals, Engineering, Printing and Kindred Industries Union"
known as the Australian Manufacturing Workers' Union (AMWU)
(E2025/133)

MR STEENSON

SYDNEY, 19 AUGUST 2025

Arrangement for conduct of election.

[1] On 13 August 2025 the "Automotive, Food, Metals, Engineering, Printing and Kindred Industries Union" known as the Australian Manufacturing Workers' Union (AMWU) lodged with the Fair Work Commission prescribed information for an election to fill the following office, for the remainder of the term, due to insufficient nominations received in a previous election (**E2025/25**):

NSW Branch

Rank and file State Councillor (1)

[2] In addition, the prescribed information also requested an election under section 187 of the *Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Act 2009* (the **Act**) for the following non-office positions for a new term:

Retired Members Division

Honorary National Secretary (1)

Honorary State Secretary from each of the following Branches
within the Retired Members Division:

New South Wales/Australian Capital Territory	(1)
Victoria	(1)
Queensland/Northern Territory	(1)
South Australia	(1)
Western Australia	(1)
Tasmania	(1)

[3] A copy of the request for the Australian Electoral Commission (**AEC**) to conduct the election for the non-office positions has been sent to the AEC.

[4] I am satisfied that an election for the abovenamed **office and non-office positions** is required to be held under the rules of the organisation and, under subsection 189(3) of the Act, I am making arrangements for the conduct of the election by the AEC.



DELEGATE OF THE GENERAL MANAGER

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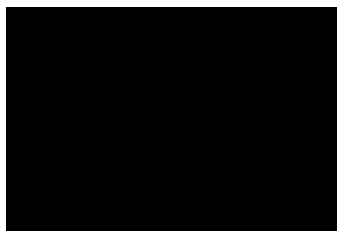
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PRESCRIBED INFORMATION FOR ELECTIONS in accordance with Section 189 of the *Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Act 2009* and Regulation 138 of the *Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Regulations 2009*, with a request under Section 187 of the *Fair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

I, Steve Murphy, being the National Secretary of the “Automotive, Food, Metals, Engineering, Printing and Kindred Industries Union” known as the Australian Manufacturing Workers’ Union (**AMWU**), make the following statement:

1. I am authorised to sign this statement containing prescribed information for the “Automotive, Food, Metals, Engineering, Printing and Kindred Industries Union” known as the Australian Manufacturing Workers’ Union (**AMWU**).
2. The following information is lodged under subsection 189(1) of the *Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Act 2009* (**RO Act**).
3. The elections required in **Annexure A** are collegiate elections to address any offices which received insufficient nominations during the conduct of E2025/25.
4. A copy of the request under section 187 for the AEC to conduct an election for any non-office positions is attached (see **Annexure B**).
5. No rule alterations are pending that will impact the election(s).
6. This statement is lodged at least 2 months before nominations open for the election(s) prescribed below.

DATED: 13 August, 2025



STEVE MURPHY
NATIONAL SECRETARY

ANNEXURE A

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
<i>NSW Branch</i>	<i>Rank and File State Councillor</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>Collegiate</i>	<i>Insufficient nominations</i>	<i>Delegates to the New South Wales State Conference Rule 5E1.1(a), 6C.1(b)</i>

Important dates:

	Electoral 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>To be determined by the Returning Officer</i>

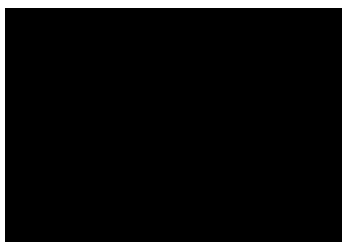
ANNEXURE B

Dear Electoral Commissioner,

Re: Request under Section 187 of the *Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Act 2009*

I, **Steve Murphy**, am writing to request, pursuant to subsection 187(1) of the *Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Act 2009*, that the Australian Electoral Commission conduct an election for those positions listed in the table below which are not offices, but which require an election under the rules of our organisation.

I confirm I am an officer of the “Automotive, Food, Metals, Engineering, Printing and Kindred Industries Union”, known as the Australian Manufacturing Workers’ Union (**AMWU**) who is authorised by the Committee of Management to sign this request.



STEVE MURPHY
NATIONAL SECRETARY

Dated: 13 August, 2025

ANNEXURE B

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
For the election of non-office positions					
<i>National Office</i>	<i>Honorary National Secretary – Retired Members Division</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>Direct Voting System</i>	<i>Scheduled</i>	<i>All financial members of the Retired Members Division Rule 7G2</i>
<i>NSW/ACT</i>	<i>Honorary State Secretary – Retired Members Division</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>Direct Voting System</i>	<i>Scheduled</i>	<i>All financial members of the Retired Members Division in NSW and the ACT Rule 7G2</i>
<i>Victoria</i>	<i>Honorary State Secretary – Retired Members Division</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>Direct Voting System</i>	<i>Scheduled</i>	<i>All financial members of the Retired Members Division in Victoria Rule 7G2</i>
<i>Queensland/NT</i>	<i>Honorary State Secretary – Retired Members Division</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>Direct Voting System</i>	<i>Scheduled</i>	<i>All financial members of the Retired Members Division in Queensland and the NT Rule 7G2</i>
<i>South Australia</i>	<i>Honorary State Secretary – Retired Members Division</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>Direct Voting System</i>	<i>Scheduled</i>	<i>All financial members of the Retired Members Division in South Australia Rule 7G2</i>
<i>Western Australia</i>	<i>Honorary State Secretary – Retired Members Division</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>Direct Voting System</i>	<i>Scheduled</i>	<i>All financial members of the Retired Members Division in Western Australia</i>

					<i>Rule 7G2</i>
<i>Tasmania</i>	<i>Honorary State Secretary – Retired Members Division</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>Direct Voting System</i>	<i>Scheduled</i>	<i>All financial members of the Retired Members Division in Tasmania</i> <i>Rule 7G2</i>

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>to be determined by the Returning Officer</i>