



Fair Work
Commission

DECISION

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

**Communications, Electrical, Electronic, Energy, Information, Postal, Plumbing and
Allied Services Union of Australia**
(E2025/150)

MR STEENSON

SYDNEY, 15 SEPTEMBER 2025

Arrangement for conduct of election.

[1] On 11 September 2025 the South Australian Divisional Branch of the Electrical, Energy and Services Division of the Communications, Electrical, Electronic, Energy, Information, Postal, Plumbing and Allied Services Union of Australia lodged with the Fair Work Commission prescribed information for an election to fill the following office, due to insufficient nominations received in a previous election (**E2024/41**):

Divisional State Councillor from the Defence Section (1)

[2] I am satisfied that an election for the abovenamed office 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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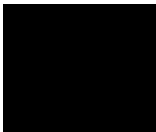
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PRESCRIBED INFORMATION FOR ELECTIONS in accordance with Section 189 of the *Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Act 2009* and Regulation 138 of the *Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Regulations 2009*

I, John Adley, being the Divisional Branch Secretary of the Communications, Electrical, Electronic, Energy, Information, Postal, Plumbing and Allied Services Union of Australia, Electrical, Energy and Services Division, South Australian Branch (the Branch), make the following statement:

1. I am authorised to sign this statement containing prescribed information for the Branch.
2. The following information is lodged under subsections 189(1) of the *Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Act 2009* (the RO Act);
3. The election that is required are set out in the table in Annexure A.
4. There are no rule alterations pending that may impact the election.
5. Insufficient nominations were received to fill the office of State Councillor - Defence Industry Section in the scheduled election E2023/69 and in a subsequent insufficient nominations election E2024/41 (copy of declaration attached). It is anticipated that a candidate is now available to fill the office. Accordingly, the Branch requests that the AEC conduct a further insufficient nominations election to fill the vacancy.

Signed:



John Adley, CEPU SA Branch Secretary

Dated: 04 September 2025

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	Electorate
SA	Divisional State Councillor – Defence Industry Section	1	DVS	<i>Insufficient nominations</i>	Financial Members of the Defence Industry Section <i>(Divisional rules 15.10, 15.19.18)</i>

- **IMPORTANT DATES:**

	Direct Voting System
Nominations OPEN	To be determined by the Returning Officer in consultation with the Branch
Nominations CLOSE	To be determined by the Returning Officer in consultation with the Branch (for scheduled election – 7 days after opening of nominations – <i>Divisional rule 15.17.1</i>)
Roll of Voters cut-off date	To be determined by the Returning Officer in consultation with the Branch (for scheduled elections - 7 days prior to the opening date for nominations – <i>Divisional rule 15.19.7</i>)