Fair Work Commission

DECISION

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

CPSU, the Community and Public Sector Union
(E2026/25)

MR STEENSON   SYDNEY, 6 FEBRUARY 2026

Arrangement for conduct of election.

[1]   On 4 February 2026 the Victorian Branch of the SPSF Group of the CPSU, Community and Public Sector Union lodged with the Fair Work Commission prescribed information for an election to fill a casual vacancy in the following office for the remainder of the term:

      Branch Councillor from Central Agencies Region   (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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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, MITCHELL VANDEWERDT-HOLMAN, being the BRANCH ASSISTANT SECRETARY of the COMMUNITY AND PUBLIC SECTOR UNION STATE PUBLIC SERVICES FEDERATION GROUP VICTORIAN BRANCH make the following statement:
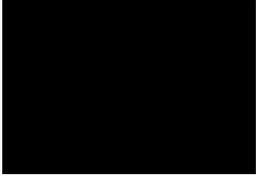
1. I am authorised to sign this statement containing prescribed information for the COMMUNITY AND PUBLIC SECTOR UNION STATE PUBLIC SERVICES FEDERATION GROUP VICTORIAN BRANCH.

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.

5. No rule alterations are pending that will impact the election.

6. This statement **IS** lodged at least 2 months before nominations open for the election(s) in Annexure A.

7. If the number of elected representatives is calculated on a formula(s) defined in the rules:

   a. The rule number(s) which specify(s) the formula(s) is/are:

      CPSU SPSF GROUP CHAPTER C RULES 3.2 AND 7.1, and

      CPSU SPSF GROUP VICTORIAN BRANCH RULE 13

   b. The formula(s) is:

      1 BRANCH COUNCIL DELEGATE PER 500 MEMBERS OR PART THEREOF OF A BRANCH ELECTORATE AS DESCRIBED BY THE BRANCH RULES

   c. The information for calculating the formula(s) is:

ELECTORATE NAME	NUMBER OF MEMBERS	RESULTING NUMBER OF DELEGATES
5 – CENTRAL AGENCIES	3,246	7

   d. The relevant date(s) for this information is: **31 December 2024**

DATED

04 FEBRUARY 2026

Mitchell Vandewerdt-Holman

Branch Assistant Secretary
Community and Public Sector Union
State Public Services Federation Group
Victorian Branch

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
VICTORIAN BRANCH	BRANCH COUNCILLOR – ELECTORATE 5 – CENTRAL AGENCIES	1	Direct Voting System	Casual vacancy	All members whose work location is within the Melbourne metropolitan area and who are employed by an employer the Branch Council declares to be Central Agencies. **Chapter C Part 3A Rule 15** **Victorian Branch Rule 13**

- Important dates:

	Direct Voting System	Collegiate Electoral System
Nominations OPEN	To be determined by the returning officer	NA
Nominations CLOSE	**Chapter C Part 3B Rule 19.2**: 14 days after the date determined by the returning officer	NA
Roll of Voters cut off date	**Chapter C Rule 3B Rule 25.1(c)**: 7 days before the day on which nominations for the election open	NA