



Fair Work
Commission

DECISION

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

The Australian Institute of Marine and Power Engineers
(E2026/128)

MR STEENSON

SYDNEY, 9 SEPTEMBER 2026

Arrangement for conduct of election.

[1] On 16 August 2026 the South Australian Branch (**Branch**) of the Australian Institute of Marine and Power Engineers (**AIMPE**) lodged with the Fair Work Commission prescribed information, and on 7 September 2026 lodged amended prescribed information, for a scheduled election to fill the following offices for a new term of office:

Branch President	(1)
Branch Treasurer	(1)
Federal Councillor	(1)

[2] I note that each of the above offices has a two-year term of office. Under the AIMPE rules as they currently stand,¹ the office of Branch Secretary, most recently filled in election **E2024/139**, has a four-year term and is therefore next due for election in 2028.

[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 Rulebook D2024/5

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, GRAHAM DAVID GOSDEN, being the SECRETARY of the AUSTRALIAN INSTITUTE OF MARINE AND POWER ENGINEERS – SOUTH AUSTRALIAN BRANCH make the following statement:

1. I am authorised to sign this statement containing prescribed information for AUSTRALIAN INSTITUTE OF MARINE AND POWER ENGINEERS – SOUTH AUSTRALIAN 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. 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 A.

Signed: GRAHAM GOSDEN

Dated: 6/09/2026

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

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
Australian Institute of Marine and Power Engineers – South Australian Branch	President	1	Direct Voting System	Scheduled	All financial members of the South Australian Branch AIMPE – Rule 33 B(i)
Australian Institute of Marine and Power Engineers – South Australian Branch	Treasurer	1	Direct Voting System	Scheduled	All financial members of the South Australian Branch AIMPE – Rule 33 B(i)
Australian Institute of Marine and Power Engineers – South Australian Branch	Federal Councillor	1	Direct Voting System	Scheduled	All financial members of the South Australian Branch AIMPE – Rule 33 B(i)

- Important dates:

	Direct Voting System	Collegiate Electoral System
Nominations OPEN	To be determined by the Returning Officer – AIMPE suggestion: 9th November 2026 – rule 33B(iii)	Insert date and reference the relevant rule; or ‘To be determined by returning officer’ if the rules provide
Nominations CLOSE	To be determined by the Returning Officer – AIMPE suggestion: 21 st December 2026 – rule 33B(iii)	Insert date and reference the relevant rule; or ‘To be determined by returning officer’ if the rules provide

Roll of Voters cut off date	To be determined by the Returning Officer – AIMPE suggestion: 2 nd November 2026 – rule 33B(xiv)	Insert date and reference the relevant rule
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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