# Association of Professional Engineers, Scientists and Managers, Australia National Assembly Members - Vacancies

### **DECLARATION OF RESULTS FOR UNCONTESTED OFFICES**

Results of the election for the following offices conducted in accordance with the provisions of the Workplace Relations Act 1996 and the rules of the organisation.

E2008/E157

**Telstra and Australia Post Senior Managers Division** 

National Assembly Member - Telstra & Australia Post

No nomination was received

**Transport Division** 

**National Assembly Member - Transport Division** 

No nomination was received

Tony King Returning Officer 26 May 2008 [2008] AIR 373 PR981595

## Workplace Relations Act 1996 s.189 RAO Schedule - arrangement for conduct of an election

# The Association of Professional Engineers, Scientists and Managers, Australia (E2008/157)

T. NASSIOS DEPUTY INDUSTRIAL REGISTRAR

MELBOURNE, 28 APRIL 2008

Arrangement for conduct of election

#### **DECISION**

[1] On 18 April 2008 The Association of Professional Engineers, Scientists and Managers, Australia lodged in the Industrial Registry the prescribed information in relation to an election for the following offices:

National Assembly Members from the following:

Telstra and Australia Post Senior Managers Division (1)

Transport Division (1)

[2] 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 Schedule 1 of the *Workplace Relations Act* 1996, I am making arrangements for the conduct of the election by the Australian Electoral Commission.



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Dear Sir/ Madam,

Re: Conduct of Elections for APESMA National Assembly, Casual Vacancies

I request that you conduct the election to fill the positions of Casual Vacancies for National Assembly of the Association of Professional Engineers, Scientists and Managers, Australia.

Please find attached relevant documentation.

I await your advice.

Yours faithfully,

Bill Jackson

ACTING NATIONAL SECRETARY



#### AUSTRALIAN INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS COMMISSION

#### APPLICATION FOR REGISTRAR TO ARRANGE FOR CONDUCT OF ELECTION

#### (Section 189 of the RAO Schedule and

#### Regulation 138 of the Workplace Relations Regulations 2006)

- **I, Bill Jackson,** being a member of the Committee of Management of Association of Professional Engineers, Scientists and Managers, Australia ("APESMA"), an organisation registered under Schedule 1 to the Act, apply for elections for the following 2 casual vacancies:
- National Assembly member, Telstra and Australia Post Senior Managers Division
   1 vacancy;
- 2. National Assembly member, Transport Division 1 vacancy.

#### Declaration by member of committee of management

- **I, Bill Jackson** of 29 Darebin St., Mile End, South Australia, Acting National Secretary of APESMA declare that:
- (a) In April 2008, an election was held for the National Assembly of APESMA in accordance with APESMA Federal Rule 14. John Nellor, Returning Officer, advised that the following casual vacancies remain unfilled:
  - 1. National Assembly member, Telstra and Australia Post Senior Managers Division 1 vacancy ("Position 1");
  - 2. National Assembly member, Transport Division 1 vacancy ("Position 2").

The declarations of results for National Assembly Members offices are attached and marked as exhibit "RE1".

- (b) The Association requests that the Australian Industrial Registry conduct an election for the abovementioned casual vacancies.
- (c) The reason for the election is that the casual vacancies in the National Assembly have occurred.
- (d) The electorates for the National Assembly positions consist of all financial members of the following Divisions:
  - Telstra and Australia Post Senior Managers Division for Position 1; and
  - Transport Division for Position 2.
- (e) Nominations for positions on the National Assembly are to be called for after the seventeenth day of September and before the first day of October 2007, and are to be returned to the Returning Officer by the fifteenth day of October 2007, and shall meet the requirements as specified in Branch Rule 14 of the Association' Rules. Under Rules 16.4, the National Assembly Members shall be elected by Branches and

not later than the fifteenth day of December the Branches shall notify the National Secretary of the names and addresses of the National Assembly Members so elected. The National Assembly Members shall take office on the first day of March in the succeeding year and shall hold office for the ensuing twenty-four months and shall be eligible for re-election.

- (f) The day on which the roll of voters for the ballot is to be closed shall be on the thirtieth day prior to the opening of nominations.
- (g) The voting system which is to be used for National Assembly elections is the direct voting system.
- (h) Rule 14 states that where the term of casual vacancies is greater than 12 months and exceed 75% of the term of office, an election to fill such vacancies is to be conducted under the direction of the Australian Industrial Registry. As such, we now request that the Australian Industrial Registry conduct an election to fill the abovementioned casual vacancies.
- (i) The statement is made under Regulations 138(2) and it is lodged under subsection 189(1) of the RAO Schedule.

Dated: 18 April 2008

Bill Jackson

Acting National Secretary – APESMA