

E2006/185

THE AUSTRALASIAN MEAT INDUSTRY EMPLOYEES' UNION

(Federal Council)



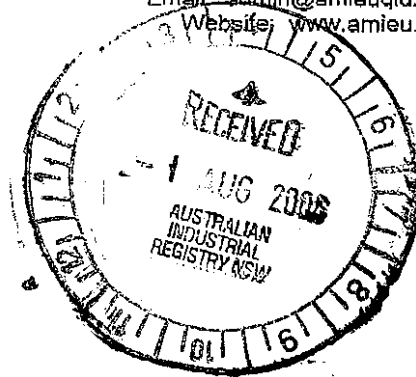
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KATH EVANS

1 August 2006

The Industrial Registrar
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BY FAX AND FILING: (03) 9655 0401

Dear Sir

In accordance with subsection 189(1) of the *Workplace Relations Act 1996* [Schedule 1B *Registration and Accountability of Organisations*] ("RAO") and prescribed information in respect of RAO Regulation 138, I advise of the need to conduct an election for certain offices of the Australasian Meat Industry Employees Union ("AMIEU").

I provide the following prescribed information:-

(a) The name of each office or position for which an election is required:-

- Federal President (ONE)
- Federal Vice-President (ONE)

(b) The reason for the election is that the term of the offices will expire at the 2006 Federal Council meeting on 4 September 2006.

(c) The offices referred to above are singular offices.

(d) The electorate for both of the offices is the Federal Council of the AMIEU. A current copy of all of all such members of the Federal Council is attached.

(e) There is an ambiguity in the rules of the AMIEU as to the relevant opening and closing of nominations. No opening day of nominations is stipulated at all. Rule 17.8 suggests that nominations may be taken at the Federal Council meeting. Rule 17.9 suggests that nominations must be forwarded in writing no later than two weeks prior to the scheduled meeting.

The AMIEU respectfully proposes the following timetable to avoid any difficulties:-

Opening of nominations: Immediately.

Closing of nominations: 18 August 2006.

(f) There is no closing date for the roll of voters. The Federal Council is a static body elected effectively with each quadrennial Branch election. As such, the need for a closing date for a roll of voters is unnecessary.

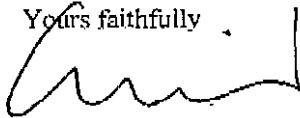
(g) The kind of voting system to be used in the conduct of the election is a collegiate voting system.

This information is lodged under s.189(1) of the RAO Schedule. I certify that I am authorised to provide this information.

I request that you make arrangements for the election to be held.

If you have any enquiries please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours faithfully



GRAHAM BIRD
FEDERAL SECRETARY
AMIEU

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From: Superina, Dean
Sent: Wednesday, 2 August 2006 10:26 AM
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Subject: Scheduled Election - E2006/185 - AMIEU, Federal Council

Attachments: PI_E2006_185_AMIEU_FED.pdf; AMIEU 007V (25-06-05) R2005 208.doc

Please see prescribed information and rulebook for the abovementioned election.



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Subject: Election Decision - E2006/185

Attachments: E2006_185_AEC.pdf

See decision attached



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Electoral Commissioner Through
Australian Electoral Officer (industrial.elections@aec.gov.au)

Under subsection 189 of Schedule 1 of the Workplace Relations Act 1996, please arrange for the conduct of the following election by the Australian Electoral Commission:

E No 2006/185

RE: THE AUSTRALASIAN MEAT INDUSTRY EMPLOYEES' UNION

Positions:

See Decision

Contact: Graham Bird
Federal Secretary

Phone: (07) 3217 3766

A copy of the decision is enclosed.

I further request that you arrange for this office to be notified that arrangements for the conduct of this election have been made, by email transmission at industrial.elections@air.gov.au

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Dean Superina', written over a horizontal line.

Dean Superina
for Deputy Industrial Registrar

3 August 2006



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Mr Graham Bird
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Dear Mr Bird

**Re: Arrangements for the conduct of an Election – The Australasian Meat
Industry Employees' Union (E2006/185)**

A copy of the decision in relation to the above matter is enclosed.

For future elections, please ensure that prescribed information is lodged with the Registry two months before the opening of nominations (see subsection 189(2) of Schedule 1 of the *Workplace Relations Act 1996* (the RAO Schedule) and regulation 138(3) of the *Workplace Relations (Registration and Accountability of Organisations) Regulations 2003*). Please note that subsection 189(2) of the RAO Schedule is a civil penalty provision.

I am making arrangements, under subsection 189(3) of the RAO Schedule, with the Electoral Commissioner for the conduct of the subject election by a member of staff of the Australian Electoral Commission, who will contact you in the near future about the election.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read 'Barry Jenkins'.

Barry Jenkins
Deputy Industrial Registrar

3 August 2006

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WORKPLACE RELATIONS ACT 1996
s189 RAO Schedule - arrangement for conduct of an election

**The Australasian Meat Industry Employees Union
(E2006/185)**

BARRY JENKINS
DEPUTY INDUSTRIAL REGISTRAR

SYDNEY, 3 AUGUST 2006

DECISION

On 1 August 2006 the abovenamed organisation lodged prescribed information in relation to the conduct of an election for the following offices:

Federal President	(1)
Federal Vice-President	(1)

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.



Australian Electoral Commission / AEC

Workplace Relations Act 1996 – Schedule 1B

RETURNING OFFICER - POST ELECTION REPORT

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ELECTIONS COVERED IN THIS REPORT

Election Decision No/s: E2006/ 185
Election: Federal Officers Election
Returning Officer: Glenn Rollo

RULES

Rules used for elections Rule ID: Rules of The Australian Meat Industry Employees Union,[007V: Incorporates alterations of 24/6/2005 certified in R2005/2008]

Rule/s re eligibility to vote: Rule 17.2; Rule 17.11.2

Rules difficult to apply/interpret Nil.

Model Rule reference (if any): ---

Legal precedents considered: ---

Action taken under section 193 of RAO Schedule: ---

ROLL OF VOTERS

Total number of voters on the roll	21	
Number of private addresses	19	90.5%
Number of apparent workplace addresses	2	9.5%
Number of non-current addresses	0	

ALLEGATIONS OF IRREGULARITIES RECEIVED

There were no written complaints or allegations of irregularities

ATTACHMENTS

- A)** Declaration of Results for Uncontested Offices
- B)** Declaration of Results for Contested Offices

Glenn Rollo
Returning Officer
19 September 2006.

The Australasian Meat Industry Employees Union 2006 Federal Officers Election

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.

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Federal Council

Federal President

Candidate

EVANS, Kath

As the number of nominations accepted did not exceed the number of positions to be filled, I declare the above candidates elected.

Glenn Rollo
Returning Officer

The Australasian Meat Industry Employees Union 2006 Federal Officers Election

DECLARATION OF RESULTS FOR CONTESTED 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.

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Federal Council

Total number of persons on the roll of voters	21
Ballot papers issued	27
Duplicate ballot papers issued	0
TOTAL BALLOT PAPERS ISSUED	27
Ballot papers / envelopes returned for scrutiny	27
Less ballot papers / envelopes rejected at preliminary scrutiny	0
Adjusting Balance	0
TOTAL BALLOT PAPERS ADMITTED TO SCRUTINY	27
Percentage of ballot papers returned to number issued	100%
Ballot papers returned as unclaimed mail	0
Ballot papers not returned	0

Federal Vice-President

<u>Candidates</u>	<u>First Preference Votes</u>	<u>Votes</u>
COURTNEY, Grant	0	0
SULLY, Diana	27	27
Exhausted Votes		0
Loss/Gain by Fraction		0
Total votes	27	27
Formal ballot papers	27	27
Informal ballot papers	0	0

I declare Diana Sully elected.

Glenn Rollo
Returning Officer
Australian Electoral Commission

19 September 2006