

# **Australian Education Union NSW Branch Elections 2005**

## **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.

E2005/190 & 191

### **Aboriginal & Torres Strait Islander Federal Conference Delegate**

#### Candidate

EMZIN-BOYD, Charline

### **TAFE Division**

#### **National Aboriginal & Torres Strait Islander Education Committee (TAFE Division) Member**

#### Candidate

PARKINS, Michael Alan

### **General Division**

#### **Federal Conference Delegate representing the General Division**

#### Candidate

WHITE, Sui-linn

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

Lee Jones  
Returning Officer  
17 November 2005

**Workplace Relations Act 1996 – Schedule 1B**

**RETURNING OFFICER - POST ELECTION REPORT**

**Client:** Australian Education Union – ACT Branch

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**ELECTIONS COVERED IN THIS REPORT**

**Election Decision No/s:** E2005/190 & E2005/154

**Election:** Australian Capital Territory Branch – National Principal Committee  
(General Division) Member

Australian Capital Territory Branch – Branch Vice Presidents  
(Schools & TAFE Sector)

**Returning Officer:** Jeff Howarth

**RULES**

**Rules used for elections Rule ID:** [284V: Incorporates alterations of 18/05/2005]  
[R2005/168]

**Rule/s re eligibility to vote:** Federal Branch rule 6(J) provides that the roll of voters is to be closed 7 days before the day on which nominations open.

**Rules difficult to apply/interpret:** Nil

**Action taken under section 193 of RAO** Nil

**Schedule:**

**ROLL OF VOTERS**

As a Ballot was not required, therefore a Roll of Voters is not requested

**ALLEGATIONS OF IRREGULARITIES RECEIVED**

There were no written complaints or allegations of irregularities

**OTHER MATTERS**

Federal Branch Rules in relation to the ACT Branch: Rule 6 (L) - stipulates that with any substitute ballot paper that the Returning Officer issues (to a voter), he/she shall initial that ballot paper and mark on it "substitute ballot paper". The AEC policy is that we discourage any unnecessary markings on any ballot paper (whether original or substitute) & therefore we will not mark the ballot paper as "substitute ballot paper". The *declaration envelope* containing the ballot paper will have sufficient address label identification to indicate whether it's an original ballot paper or a "substitute ballot paper".

**ATTACHMENTS**

**A-** Declaration of Results for Uncontested Offices

Jeff Howarth  
Returning Officer

10 November 2005



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**Reference:** ACT 05/219

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Mr Clive Haggard  
Branch Secretary  
Australian Education Union  
PO Box 3042  
MANUKA ACT 2603

Attn: Sue Billington

Dear Mr Haggard

**Australian Education Union, Australian Capital Territory Branch.  
[E 2005/190] ACT Branch vacancy - National Principal Committee (General Division) Member, &  
[E 2005/154] ACT Branch Vice Presidents [Schools Sector (2) & TAFE (1)]**

I refer to my letter of 23 September 2005 concerning the arrangements for me to conduct an election for various positions in your Organisation and wish to advise that a ballot will not be necessary.

My declaration of the uncontested offices is attached.

The election is now complete.

Yours sincerely

Jeff Howarth  
Returning Officer

9 November 2005

cc Deputy Industrial Registrar, VIC  
All Candidates

# **Australian Education Union Australian Capital Territory Branch**

## **Declaration of results for uncontested offices**

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E2005/190 & E2005/154

### **ACT Branch - Federal and National Delegates**

#### **National Principal Committee (General Division) Member**

##### Candidate

FRENCH, Sue

### **ACT Branch – Branch Vice Presidents**

#### **Branch Vice Presidents (Schools Sector) (2)**

##### Candidates

FRENCH, Sue

RASMUS, Philip

#### **Branch Vice President (TAFE Sector)**

##### Candidate

HAMILTON, James

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

Jeff Howarth  
Returning Officer

9 November 2005

**Workplace Relations Act 1996 – Schedule 1B**

**RETURNING OFFICER - POST ELECTION REPORT**

**Client:** Australian Education Union, New South Wales Branch

**Contact details:** Barry Johnson  
Branch Secretary  
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**ELECTIONS COVERED IN THIS REPORT**

***Election Decision No/s:*** E2005/190 & 191

***Election:*** 2005 Vacancies in federal representatives.

***Returning Officer:*** Lee Jones

**RULES**

***Rules used for elections Rule ID:***

284V: Incorporates alterations of 18/05/2005 -  
R2005/168

***Rule/s re eligibility to vote:***

NSW Federal Branch Rule 2 and 13

***Rules difficult to apply/interpret:***

***Action taken under section 193 of RAO***

***Schedule:***

**ROLL OF VOTERS**

As a Ballot was not required therefore a Roll of Voters is not requested

**ALLEGATIONS OF IRREGULARITIES RECEIVED**

There were no written complaints or allegations of irregularities

**ATTACHMENTS**

**A)** Declaration of Results for Uncontested Offices

Lee Jones  
Returning Officer

18 November 2005

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#### Candidate

EMZIN-BOYD, Charline

### **TAFE Division**

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#### Candidate

PARKINS, Michael Alan

### **General Division**

#### **Federal Conference Delegate representing the General Division**

#### Candidate

WHITE, Sui-linn

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

Lee Jones  
Returning Officer  
17 November 2005



# Australian Education Union

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Ref: 31.1.1

Mr Nicholas Wilson  
Industrial Registrar  
GPO Box 1994S  
Melbourne 3001

21 September 2005



Dear Mr Wilson,

**Statement: Prescribed Information: Section 189(1) of the RAO Schedule of the Workplace Relations Act 1996**

In accordance with Section 189 (1) of the RAO Schedule of the Workplace Relations Act 1996 and Regulation 138, I wish to lodge the following prescribed information in relation to elections which are due to be held in the ACT Branch of the Australian Education Union for the undermentioned office in this Union.

This election is a membership election.

I am the Acting Federal Secretary of the AEU and am authorised to lodge this prescribed information.

**Names of Office:**

One (1) National Principal Committee (General Division) Member representing the ACT Branch. *1 January 2006 - 31 December 2007*

**Electorate:** The electorate is the financial members assigned to the General Division of the ACT Branch except that the member being nominated and the nominators must be a Principal member.

**Reason for Election**

This election is required to be held as a result of their being insufficient nominations received for these positions in the election process recently held. (E2005/147). I have attached a copy of the AEC declaration of results from the AEC ACT Branch.



### **Voting System**

The voting system to be employed in the conduct of the election for the office is a direct voting system.

### **Closure of Voting Rolls**

The roll of voters is closed seven days before the day on which nominations open for the elections.

The Branch Secretary to contact for lists of members and other necessary information in relation to this election is Clive Haggard, PO Box 3042, Manuka, ACT 2603

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'S Hopgood', with a small dot at the end.

Susan Hopgood  
Acting Federal Secretary

Attachment 1

**Australian Education Union  
ACT Branch - Federal & National Delegates**

**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.

E2005/147

**ACT Branch - Federal and National Delegates**

**Federal Conference Delegates representing the General Division (2)**

Candidates

HAGGAR, Clive John  
ZUFFO, Annamaria

**Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Federal Conference Delegate**

Candidate

GREENE, Daniel

**National TAFE Council Executive Member**

Candidate

HAMILTON, James

**National TAFE Council Delegate**

Candidate

Mc NEVIN, Timothy

**National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Education Committee (General Division) Member**

Candidate

CRADDY, Beth

**National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Education Committee (TAFE Division) Member**

No nomination was received

**National Principal Committee (General Division) Member**

No nomination was received

**National Early Childhood Committee (General Division) Member**

Candidate

COLEMAN, Cheryl

**TASMANIAN, ACT & NT BRANCHES Federal Conference Delegate  
Representing the TAFE Division**

Candidate

Mc NEVIN, Timothy

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

Jeff Howarth  
Returning Officer  
20 September 2005

facsimile



# NSW TEACHERS FEDERATION

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TO: Nicholas Wilson FAX: 03 9654 6672  
OF: INDUSTRIAL REGISTRA  
FROM: BARRY JOHNSON PAGES: 3 (incl this page)  
DATE: 22 September 2005 FILE NO:  
RE: REQUEST FOR THE CONDUCT OF FURTHER ELECTIONS FOR THE  
NSW TEACHERS FEDERATION

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# NSW TEACHERS FEDERATION

TEACHERS FEDERATION HOUSE Locked Bag 3010 Darlinghurst NSW 1300

Please address all correspondence to  
THE GENERAL SECRETARY

21 September 2005

In reply please quote: 1394/05/BJ:jep

Mr Nicholas Wilson  
Industrial Registrar  
GPO Box 1994S  
MELBOURNE VIC 3001

**BY FACSIMILE: 03 9654 6672**

Dear Mr Wilson

**Re: Federal Conference Delegate representing the General Division (one vacancy)  
National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Education Committee - TAFE Division  
(one vacancy)  
Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Federal Conference Delegate - General Division  
(one vacancy)**

I would like to conduct the abovementioned elections as soon as possible. As the NSW Teachers Federation has a positive Affirmative Action program in place at the Teachers Federation, I am particularly concerned that two of the three positions are for Aboriginal members of the Union. With the declaration of the election results, I note that the Australian Education Union, New South Wales Branch, have the following vacancies:

- i) Federal Conference Delegate (General Division);
- ii) Federal Conference Delegate, Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander (General Division); and
- iii) National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Education Committee (TAFE Division)

As the Branch Secretary of the Australian Education Union, New South Wales Branch, I advise that I am authorised to lodge the following prescribed information in relation to an election in the Australian Education Union, New South Wales Branch. The information is being lodged under subsection 189 (1) of the RAO Schedule.

1. **Reason for the election:**  
Compliance with the Australian Education Union, New South Wales Branch's Affirmative Action program and obtaining a full contingent of Federal Conference delegates (General Division).
2. **The electorate comprises:**  
The members of the Australian Education Union NSW Branch Council (2004-2005).

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3. **The dates and times for the opening and closing of nominations are:**  
In accordance with direction provided by the Australian Electoral Commission under Rule 9 Sub Section (2): "Nominations for election as a member of Branch Executive shall be called by notification to all members of Branch Council at least seven days prior to the date on which nominations close."
5. **Role of voters shall close:**  
In accordance with Rule 9 Sub Section (3) the roll of voters shall close on the day the Australian Electoral Commission determines as the date the nominations will close.
6. **Voting system:**  
The voting system to be used in the conduct of the election is direct member election.

The Branch Secretary to contact for lists of members and other necessary information in relation to this election is:

Barry Johnson  
Branch Secretary  
Australian Education Union  
New South Wales Branch  
Locked Bag 3010  
Darlinghurst NSW 1300

Yours sincerely



**BARRY JOHNSON**  
**GENERAL SECRETARY**

*Workplace Relations Act 1996*  
s.189 of Schedule 1B - arrangement for conduct of an election

**Australian Education Union**  
(E2005/190 & 191)

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DEPUTY INDUSTRIAL REGISTRAR

MELBOURNE, 22 SEPTEMBER 2005

*Arrangement for conduct of election.*

**DECISION**

[1] On 21 & 22 September 2005 the abovenamed organisation lodged in the Industrial Registry prescribed information in relation to elections for the following offices:

**ACT Branch**

National Principle Committee (General Division) Member

**New South Wales Branch**

Federal Conference Delegate representing the General Division  
National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Education Committee (TAFE Division) Member  
Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Federal Conference Delegate

[2] I am satisfied that elections for the abovenamed offices are required to be held under the rules of the organisation and, under subsection 189(3) of Schedule 1B of the Workplace Relations Act 1996, I am making arrangements for the conduct of the elections by the Australian Electoral Commission

