### Australian Education Union NSW Teachers Federation (NSWTF) Branch

### **Declaration of Results for Uncontested Offices**

#### E2015/53

Below are the results of the election for the following offices, conducted in accordance with the provisions of the Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Act 2009 and the rules of the organisation.

#### **NSW Branch Executive**

**Branch Vice President (4)** 

Candidates

ACKROYD, Gemma FITZGERALD, Denis MULROY, Tim No further nomination was accepted

Branch Custodians (2)

Candidates

BYERS, Dianne VOS, Margaret

#### ATSI Branch Executive Representative from Branch Council

Candidates BALLARD, Ben

#### Branch Association Representatives to Branch Executive (8)

Candidates

BELLACH, Kathryn COOKE, Philip MACE, Jennifer MORGAN, Mick SCIFFER, Michael VON SCHOENBERG, Philip WATT, Natasha No further nomination was accepted

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

Neil Kean Returning Officer 10 March 2015

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Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Act 2009

# **POST ELECTION REPORT**

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FWC contact officer:	MS O'Neill	Email:	orgs@fwc.gov.au
ELECTIONS COVERED IN THIS REPORT Election Decision No/s: E2015/53			
<u>RULES</u> Rules used for elections Rule ID:		[284V: Incorporates alterations of 01/01/2014 determined on 24 December 2014- R2014/317]	
Rules difficult to apply/interpret: Model Rule reference (if any):		None N/A	
ROLL OF VOTERS		N/A Election uncontested	
ALLEGATIONS OF IRREGULARITIES RECEIVED			

#### ALLEGATIONS OF IRREGULARITIES RECEIVED

Details of written allegations of irregularities, and action taken by AEC: N/A

Other irregularities identified, and action taken: N/A

#### ATTACHMENTS

Declaration of results for uncontested offices

Neil Kean Returning Officer 16 March 2015



# DECISION

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

# Australian Education Union - New South Wales Teachers Federation (NSWTF) Branch

(E2015/53)

MS O'NEILL

#### MELBOURNE, 16 JANUARY 2015

Arrangement for conduct of election.

[1] On 12 January 2015 the New South Wales Teachers Federation (NSWTF) Branch of the Australian Education Union (the Branch) lodged with the Fair Work Commission prescribed information in relation to an election for the following offices:

Branch Vice Presidents (4)

Branch Custodians (2)

ATSI Branch Executive Representative from Branch Council

Branch Association Representatives to Branch Executive (8)

[2] The Branch was informed that the prescribed information was not lodged before the day prescribed by Regulation 138(3) of the *Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Regulations 2009.* That day is the day occurring 2 months before the first day when a person may, under the rules of the organisation or branch, become a candidate in the election. The Branch then asked me to allow a later day for lodgment of the prescribed information under subsection 189(2) of the *Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Act 2009* (the Act). Having considered the reasons for late lodgment, I allow lodgment on 12 January 2015 in this instance.

[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 Act, I am making arrangements for the conduct of the election by the Australian Electoral Commission.



**GENERAL MANAGER** 

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# Australian Education Union

### **New South Wales Teachers Federation Branch**

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16 January 2015

In reply please quote: 11/2015/JD:jw

General Manager Fair Work Australia GPO Box 1994 MELBOURNE VIC 3001

Email to: Mark.ELLIOTT@fwc.gov.au

Dear Sir

I refer to the prescribed information lodged in relation to the election for Branch Executive E2015/53.

I note that the prescribed information was not lodged on time, as required by the regulations. This was because the election arises as a result of alterations certified on 24 December 2014.

By that stage the Branch had closed for its annual Christmas shut down.

The prescribed information was lodged as soon as practicable after the Branch reopened in 2015.

I request that you allow 12 January 2015 as the date for lodgement in this instance.

Yours sincerely

Rod Brown Deputy Branch Secretary



# Australian Education Union

# **New South Wales Teachers Federation Branch**

23-33 Mary Street, Surry Hills NSW 2010 NSW Branch President: Maurie Mulheron NSW Branch Secretary: John Dixon

Telephone: (02) 9217 2100 Facsimile: (02) 9217 2470

12 January 2015

In reply please quote: 7/2015/JD:jw

General Manager Fair Work Australia GPO Box 1994 MELBOURNE VIC 3001

orgs@fwc.gov.au copy to: Mark.ELLIOTT@fwc.gov.au

Dear Sir

I, John Dixon, Branch Secretary of the Australian Education Union, New South Wales Teachers Federation Branch, am authorised to lodge the following prescribed information in relation to an election in the Australian Education Union, New South Wales Teachers Federation Branch. The information is being lodged under the Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Act 2009, Section 189.

1. The office and positions in respect of which an election is required are: Branch Executive elections of

Branch Vice Presidents (4) Branch Custodians (2) An ATSI Representative from the Branch Council (1) Branch Association representatives members (8)

#### 2. Reason for the election:

As per Section 8 (rule 70) **Transitional Provisions** of the AEU NSWTF Branch rules. (Please note these are the first elections of the new NSWTF branch of the AEU.)

#### 3. The electorate comprises:

The members of the interim Australian Education Union NSWTF Branch Council (2015).

#### 4. The dates and times for the opening and closing of nominations are :

In accordance with direction provided by the Australian Electoral Commission under Rule 70 Sub Section (7) "shall be conducted in accordance with Rule 38 provided that the returning officer shall vary the dates for taking steps in the election so as to permit the election to be conducted at a Branch Council meeting in March 2015". Please note- the March Council is scheduled for Saturday March 14<sup>th</sup>.

#### 5. Role of voters shall close:

In accordance with Rule 38 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 a collegiate election of the interim Branch Council.

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

John Dixon Branch Secretary Australian Education Union New South Wales Teachers Federation Branch Locked Bag 3010 Darlinghurst NSW 1300 Email:dixon@nswtf.org.au

Yours sincerely

John Dixon Branch Secretary