

18/10/2018

Post-election Report

**Australian Education Union
NSWTF Branch
Casual Vacancy Election
E2018/171**

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Election(s) Covered in this Report

Election Decision No/s: E2018/171

Rules

Rules used for the election: (284V: Incorporates alterations of 20/6/2018{R2018/117})

Rules difficult to apply/interpret: None

Model Rule reference (if any) N/A

Roll of Voters

Total number of voters on the Roll: 305

Number of apparent workplace addresses: *NIL*

Number of non-current addresses: *NIL*

Other matters pertaining to the roll of voters: *NIL*

Irregularities

Details of written allegations of irregularities, and action taken by AEC: *NIL*

Other irregularities identified, and action taken: *NIL*

Other Matters

NIL

Attachments

Declaration of results for Contested Offices

A handwritten signature in black ink, consisting of a large, stylized 'C' followed by a horizontal line.

Chris Cox
Returning Officer
18 October 2018

Australian Education Union
NSWTF Branch
DECLARATION OF RESULTS - E2018/171
Contested Offices

Casual Vacancy Election

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 are:

Association Representative on Branch Council (Branch Executive)

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| Total number of persons on the roll of voters | 305 |
| Ballot Papers Issued | 234 |
| Replacement ballot papers issued | 0 |
| TOTAL BALLOT PAPERS ISSUED | 234 |

| <u>Candidates</u> | | <u>First Preference Votes</u> | <u>Votes</u> |
|------------------------|-------------|-------------------------------|--------------|
| BURKITT | Stewart | 108 | 117 |
| DRABSCH | Ricky Allan | 22 | 0 |
| SCIFFER | Michael | 103 | 114 |
| Total votes | | 234 | |
| Formal ballot papers | | 233 | |
| Informal ballot papers | | 1 | |
| Exhausted Votes | | 2 | |

I declare Stewart Burkitt elected.



Chris Cox
Returning Officer
Australian Electoral Commission
17/09/2018



DECISION

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

Australian Education Union
(E2018/171)

MR ENRIGHT

MELBOURNE, 12 JULY 2018

Arrangement for conduct of election.

[1] On 5 July 2018 the New South Wales Teachers Federation Branch (the Branch) of the Australian Education Union lodged with the Registered Organisations Commission (the Commission) prescribed information for an election to fill a casual vacancy in the following office for the remainder of the term:

Association Representative on Branch Council (1)

[2] The Branch has advised the Commission that the relevant prescribed information had ‘inadvertently’ been addressed and emailed to the General Manager of Fair Work Australia on 16 May 2018 via an incorrect email address. The Commission has taken steps to request the Branch to remedy the inherent range of administrative errors demonstrable by that process.

[3] When the errors emerged, the prescribed information was lodged with the Commission on 5 July 2018.

[4] I am satisfied that an election for the abovenamed office 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 COMMISSIONER

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11 July 2018

General Manager
Fair Work Australia
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By email: regorgs@roc.gov.au

Dear Sir

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, John Dixon, being the Branch Secretary of the Australian Education Union NSW Teachers Federation Branch, make the following statement:

1. I am authorised to sign this statement containing prescribed information for Australian Education Union NSW Teachers Federation Branch.
2. The following information is lodged under subsection 189(1) of the Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Act 2009 (the RO Act).
3. The election that is required is set out in the table in Annexure A.
4. The resignation letter is attached.
5. No rule alterations are pending that will impact the election.
6. This statement **IS** lodged at least 2 months before nominations open for the election below.
7. The most practicable time for this by-election to be held is the Branch Council meeting scheduled for September 15.

Yours sincerely

John Dixon
Branch Secretary

Annexure A

Election that is required: Branch Executive (casual vacancy)

| Branch | Name of Office | Number required | Voting System | Reason for Election | Electorate |
|--------|------------------|-----------------|---------------|---------------------|---|
| NSW | Branch Executive | 1 | Collegiate | Casual Vacancy | Branch Council Rule 14 (2) in accordance with Rule 38 |

Important dates:

| | Collegiate voting system – by and from Branch Council |
|-----------------------------|---|
| Nominations OPEN | To be determined by the Returning Officer |
| Nominations CLOSE | To be determined by the Returning Officer |
| Roll of Voters cut-off date | To be determined by the Returning Officer |