

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: E2005/208
Election: Ordinary Branch Executive Officer (CS Member)
General Division Delegates to Branch Council
Returning Officer: Stephen Gordge

RULES

Rules used for elections Rule ID: [284V: Incorporates alterations of 15 September 2005]
[R2005/269&270]
Rule/s re eligibility to vote: Branch Rule 52
Rules difficult to apply/interpret:
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:	833	
Number of private addresses:	792	95%
Number of apparent workplace addresses:	41	5%%
Number of non-current addresses:	0	0%

ALLEGATIONS OF IRREGULARITIES RECEIVED

There were no written complaints or allegations of irregularities

OTHER MATTERS

SA Branch Rule 52(9) refers to the SA Local Government Act of 1934. This Act no longer exists. AEU should rewrite their rules to ameliorate this anomaly.

ATTACHMENTS

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

Stephen Gordge
Returning Officer
17 March 2006

Australian Education Union Area Delegates - Far North

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.

E2005/208

Far North Area

Total number of persons on the roll of voters	103
Ballot papers issued	103
Duplicate ballot papers issued	0
TOTAL BALLOT PAPERS ISSUED	103
Ballot papers / envelopes returned for scrutiny	22
Less ballot papers / envelopes rejected at preliminary scrutiny	0
Adjusting Balance	0
TOTAL BALLOT PAPERS ADMITTED TO SCRUTINY	22
Percentage of ballot papers returned to number issued	21%
Ballot papers not returned	81

General Division Delegate to Branch Council (2)

<u>Candidates</u>	<u>First Preference Votes</u>	<u>Votes</u>
GRIFFITHS, Judy	Not in ballot	0
SUMMERTON, Ben	6	6
WYSKAMP, Michael	15	15
Total votes	21	21
Formal ballot papers	21	21
Informal ballot papers	1	1

I declare Judy Griffiths and Michael Wyskamp elected.

Stephen Gordge
Returning Officer
Australian Electoral Commission

Australian Education Union Area Delegates - Far West

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.

E2005/208

Far West Area

Total number of persons on the roll of voters	116
Ballot papers issued	116
Duplicate ballot papers issued	0
TOTAL BALLOT PAPERS ISSUED	116
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	23%
Ballot papers not returned	89

General Division Delegate to Branch Council (2)

<u>Candidates</u>	<u>First Preference Votes</u>	<u>Votes</u>
CURRY, Justin	7	7
THOMAS, Geoff	20	20
HOFFMAN, Ulla	Not in ballot	0
Total votes	27	27
Formal ballot papers	27	27
Informal ballot papers	0	0

I declare Ulla Hoffman and Geoff Thomas elected.

Stephen Gordge
Returning Officer
Australian Electoral Commission

Australian Education Union Area Delegates - Flinders

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.

E2005/208

Flinders Area

Total number of persons on the roll of voters	222
Ballot papers issued	222
Duplicate ballot papers issued	0
TOTAL BALLOT PAPERS ISSUED	222
Ballot papers / envelopes returned for scrutiny	60
Less ballot papers / envelopes rejected at preliminary scrutiny	0
Adjusting Balance	0
TOTAL BALLOT PAPERS ADMITTED TO SCRUTINY	60
Percentage of ballot papers returned to number issued	27%
Ballot papers not returned	102

General Division Delegate to Branch Council (2)

<u>Candidates</u>	<u>First Preference Votes</u>	<u>Votes</u>
CAFCAKIS, George	25	33
ELLEM, Denise Lesley	17	0
HANLIN, Katrina Charmaine	18	27
Total votes	60	60
Formal ballot papers	59	59
Informal ballot papers	1	1

I declare George Cafcakis and Katrina Charmaine Hanlin elected.

Stephen Gorge
Returning Officer
Australian Electoral Commission

Australian Education Union Area Delegates - North West

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.

E2005/208

North West Area

Total number of persons on the roll of voters	66
Ballot papers issued	66
Duplicate ballot papers issued	0
TOTAL BALLOT PAPERS ISSUED	66
Ballot papers / envelopes returned for scrutiny	22
Less ballot papers / envelopes rejected at preliminary scrutiny	0
Adjusting Balance	0
TOTAL BALLOT PAPERS ADMITTED TO SCRUTINY	22
Percentage of ballot papers returned to number issued	33%
Ballot papers not returned	44

General Division Delegate to Branch Council (2)

<u>Candidates</u>	<u>First Preference Votes</u>	<u>Votes</u>
BURNE, Martyn	12	12
MOLEN, Carmel	Not in ballot	0
STAPLETON, Tyrone	10	10
Total votes	22	22
Formal ballot papers	22	22
Informal ballot papers	0	0

I declare Carmel Molen and Martyn Burne elected.

Stephen Gordge
Returning Officer
Australian Electoral Commission

Australian Education Union Area Delegates - Pirie

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.

E2005/208

Pirie Area

Total number of persons on the roll of voters	153
Ballot papers issued	153
Duplicate ballot papers issued	0
TOTAL BALLOT PAPERS ISSUED	153
Ballot papers / envelopes returned for scrutiny	51
Less ballot papers / envelopes rejected at preliminary scrutiny	1
Adjusting Balance	0
TOTAL BALLOT PAPERS ADMITTED TO SCRUTINY	50
Percentage of ballot papers returned to number issued	33%
Ballot papers not returned	102

General Division Delegate to Branch Council (2)

<u>Candidates</u>	<u>First Preference Votes</u>	<u>Votes</u>
BYRNES-CLOET, Heidi	9	0
COGHLAN, Alan	11	16
HILDEBRANDT, Dawn	29	33
Total votes	49	49
Formal ballot papers	49	49
Informal ballot papers	1	1

I declare Alan Coghlan and Dawn Hildebrandt elected.

Stephen Gorge
Returning Officer
Australian Electoral Commission

Australian Education Union Area Delegates - Whyalla

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.

E2005/208

Whyalla Area

Total number of persons on the roll of voters	250
Ballot papers issued	250
Duplicate ballot papers issued	0
TOTAL BALLOT PAPERS ISSUED	250
Ballot papers / envelopes returned for scrutiny	64
Less ballot papers / envelopes rejected at preliminary scrutiny	0
Adjusting Balance	0
TOTAL BALLOT PAPERS ADMITTED TO SCRUTINY	64
Percentage of ballot papers returned to number issued	25%
Ballot papers not returned	186

General Division Delegate to Branch Council (2)

<u>Candidates</u>	<u>First Preference Votes</u>	<u>Votes</u>
DEANE-SHAW, Anthony	9	0
HOWE, Sharon	13	21
SIOR, Janet	8	0
SURGUY, Margaret Mary	34	42
Exhausted Votes		1
Total votes	64	63
Formal ballot papers	64	64
Informal ballot papers	0	0

I declare Margaret Mary Surguy and Sharon Howe elected.

Stephen Gordge
Returning Officer
Australian Electoral Commission

Australian Education Union Area 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.

E2005/208

Barossa Area

Alternate General Division Delegate to Branch Council (2)

Candidates

HUDSON, Debra Anne
RIDGE, Greg

General Division Delegate to Branch Council (2)

Candidates

HILL, Joanne
SMITH, David

Central Urban Area

Alternate General Division Delegate to Branch Council (7)

No nominations were received

General Division Delegate to Branch Council (7)

Candidates

ANDERSON, Allen
LLEWELLYN, Rita
NESTER, Beverley
No further nominations were accepted

Eastern Urban Area

Alternate General Division Delegate to Branch Council (4)

No nominations were received

General Division Delegate to Branch Council (4)

Candidates

HEWTON, Terence Clement
JONES, Michael David
MARINO, Gennaro
No further nomination was accepted

Elizabeth Munno Para Area

Alternate General Division Delegate to Branch Council (4)

No nominations were received

General Division Delegate to Branch Council (4)

Candidates

PARKINSON, Keith

TURVILLE, Wayne

No further nominations were accepted

Eyre Area

Alternate General Division Delegate to Branch Council (2)

No nominations were received

General Division Delegate to Branch Council (2)

Candidates

BRAHAM, Mick

WICKSTEIN, Jocelyn

Far North Area

Alternate General Division Delegate to Branch Council (2)

No nominations were received

Far West Area

Alternate General Division Delegate to Branch Council (2)

No nominations were received

Fleurieu Area

Alternate General Division Delegate to Branch Council (3)

Candidates

MCCLAREN, Jan

WIRTH, Greg

WIRTH, Suzanne

General Division Delegate to Branch Council (3)

Candidates

GALLAHER, Julie

HASELGROVE, Fiona

HUDSON, Brenton

Flinders Area

Alternate General Division Delegate to Branch Council (2)

No nominations were received

Gawler Area

Alternate General Division Delegate to Branch Council (2)

No nominations were received

General Division Delegate to Branch Council (2)

Candidate

BLACKBURN, Peter

No further nomination was accepted

Hills Area

Alternate General Division Delegate to Branch Council (3)

No nominations were received

General Division Delegate to Branch Council (3)

No nominations were received

Junction Area

Alternate General Division Delegate to Branch Council (2)

No nominations were received

General Division Delegate to Branch Council (2)

Candidate

PALMER, Jessica

No further nomination was accepted

Kangaroo Island Area

Alternate General Division Delegate to Branch Council (2)

Candidates

BORGMEYER, Val

CUDDIHY, Kimball

General Division Delegate to Branch Council (2)

Candidates

HARDING, Denise

IVERSON, Malcolm Boyd

Le Fevre Area

Alternate General Division Delegate to Branch Council (2)

Candidates

KAKAS, Tsam
PRICE, Janice

General Division Delegate to Branch Council (2)

Candidates

DALE-LITTLE, Gedda
WATSON, Carmel

Lincoln Area

Alternate General Division Delegate to Branch Council (2)

Candidate

WALPOLE, Anna
No further nomination was accepted

General Division Delegate to Branch Council (2)

Candidate

GAMEAU, Anne
No further nomination was accepted

Lower North Area

Alternate General Division Delegate to Branch Council (2)

Candidates

FULLER, Ben
MATTHEWS, Pat

General Division Delegate to Branch Council (2)

Candidates

BASTIAN, Richard
SMITH, Beth M

Lower South East Area

General Division Delegate to Branch Council (3)

Candidates

BUTTERY, Nicolle
FIDDAMAN, Belinda
HOGG, Alan

Alternate General Division Delegate to Branch Council (3)

Candidates

PICH, Samith
SMYTHE, Meaghan
No further nomination was accepted

Mid North Area

Alternate General Division Delegate to Branch Council (2)

Candidate

WATTS, Brendan
No further nomination was accepted

General Division Delegate to Branch Council (2)

Candidates

BAUM, John
NUTT, Anne

Mitcham Area

General Division Delegate to Branch Council (4)

Candidates

ELLIS, Jodie
MOORE, Jane
No further nominations were accepted

Alternate General Division Delegate to Branch Council (4)

No nominations were received

Murraylands Area

General Division Delegate to Branch Council (3)

Candidates

DEANE, Adam
GILES, Anyupa
LAREDO, Kaye

Alternate General Division Delegate to Branch Council (3)

Candidates

HOCKHAM, Gregory William
JARRAD, Ammanda
MASON, Steve

Noarlunga Area

General Division Delegate to Branch Council (11)

Candidates

CAVANAGH, Pat
GARCIA, Maria
HUNTER, Kym
LOCK, Geoffrey Roland
LORD, Keith
NICHOLSON, Susan Mary
NIEASS, Joy
PIESIEWICZ, Jacek
SAUNDERS, Tim
No further nominations were accepted

Alternate General Division Delegate to Branch Council (11)

No nominations were received

North East Urban Area

Alternate General Division Delegate to Branch Council (5)

No nominations were received

General Division Delegate to Branch Council (5)

Candidates

BONE-GEORGE, Jackie
VAN DER WIJNGAART, Hank
No further nominations were accepted

North West Area

Alternate General Division Delegate to Branch Council (2)

No nominations were received

North West Urban Area

General Division Delegate to Branch Council (4)

Candidates

CATALANO, Fred
GHIOUZEPIS, Stamatiki
LEWIS, J.I.
SMERD, Ian

Alternate General Division Delegate to Branch Council (4)

No nominations were received

Northern Urban Area

General Division Delegate to Branch Council (3)

Candidates

BENNETT, Judith Anne
ESPOSITO, Nadene
RYAN, Peter Christopher

Alternate General Division Delegate to Branch Council (3)

No nominations were received

Pirie Area

Alternate General Division Delegate to Branch Council (2)

Candidate

FAIRBURN, Jonathan
No further nomination was accepted

Riverland Area

General Division Delegate to Branch Council (3)

Candidates

COOPER, Cherie
SANDOW, Rosemary
TROBBIANI, John

Alternate General Division Delegate to Branch Council (3)

Candidate

PARROTTA, Tori
No further nominations were accepted

Southern Urban Area

General Division Delegate to Branch Council (5)

Candidates

BURNS, Thom
DUHRING, Lee
No further nominations were accepted

Alternate General Division Delegate to Branch Council (5)

No nominations were received

Southern Vales Area

General Division Delegate to Branch Council (2)

Candidates

JONES, Trevor
SHEPHERDSON, Gail

Alternate General Division Delegate to Branch Council (2)

Candidate

BREEDT, Johann
No further nomination was accepted

Tea Tree Gully Area

General Division Delegate to Branch Council (7)

Candidates

HOWARD, Pauleen
MATEJCIC, Lyn
MATEJCIC, Peter
MCKENZIE, Celina Ruth
RENTZ, De-arne
No further nominations were accepted

Alternate General Division Delegate to Branch Council (7)

No nominations were received

Torrens Area

General Division Delegate to Branch Council (5)

Candidates

BROOKS, Linda
DOBZYNSKI, Erica
WARE, Dimity
No further nominations were accepted

Alternate General Division Delegate to Branch Council (5)

No nominations were received

Upper South East Area

General Division Delegate to Branch Council (2)

Candidates

MCROSTIE, Helen
PEREIRA, Daniel

Alternate General Division Delegate to Branch Council (2)

Candidates

MATHIESON, Geraldine
MAYWALD, Adrian

Western Urban Area

General Division Delegate to Branch Council (4)

No nominations were received

Alternate General Division Delegate to Branch Council (4)

No nominations were received

Whyalla Area

Alternate General Division Delegate to Branch Council (2)

Candidate

EFRAIMSEN, Heather
No further nomination was accepted

Yorke Area

Alternate General Division Delegate to Branch Council (2)

Candidates

LETCHER, Trevor
VAN GALEN, Judy

General Division Delegate to Branch Council (2)

Candidates

DAWES, Keryn
PRITCHARD, Gregory Lee

Ordinary Branch Executive Officer (CS Branch)

Childrens' Services Sub-Division

Ordinary Branch Executive Member (CS)

Candidate

YOUNG, Bronwen Mary

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

Stephen Gordge
Returning Officer

14 February 2006

AEU South Australian Branch

Australian Education Union

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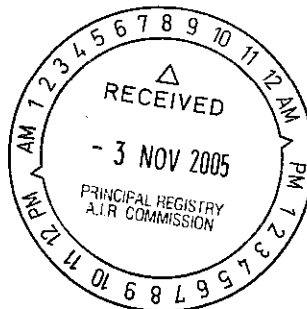
Branch Secretary: Jack Major

Your reference:

Our reference:

31 October 2005

Industrial Registrar
Australian Industrial Registry
GPO Box 1994S
MELBOURNE VIC 3001



Dear Sir

Re: Australian Education Union (SA Branch) Elections

I hereby lodge prescribed information in accordance with Section 189 of Schedule 1B and RAO Schedule S189(1) of the Workplace Relations Act 1996.

1. Name of Office

An election is required for each of the following offices:

- (i) General Division Delegates to Branch Council
- (ii) Alternate General Division Delegates to Branch Council

2. Reason for the Elections

These elections are required because the terms of office will expire on 20 March 2005.

3. Number of Offices and Electorate

The number of offices and electorate for each election is attached as Annexure A.

4. Date and Times

Federal Branch Rule 50 requires the Branch Returning Officer to determine a timeline which will enable these elections to be completed by 20 March 2006.


5. Closure of Roll of Voters

Federal Branch Rule 52(1A) requires the Roll of Voters to be closed seven days before the day on which nominations open.

6. Voting System

The voting system to be employed in the conduct of these elections is a direct voting system. The register of members is held at the Branch Office at 163 Greenhill Road, Parkside.

Yours sincerely



JACK MAJOR
Branch Secretary

Encl. Annexure A



Area Delegate Entitlement – 2006**Annexure A**

Electorate	Number of members	Number of Area Delegates	Number of Alternate Delegates
Barossa	241	2 (1)	2 (1)
Central Urban	713	7 (4)	7 (4)
Eastern Urban	499	4 (2)	4 (2)
Elizabeth Munno Para	466	4 (2)	4 (2)
Eyre	83	2 (1)	2 (1)
Far North	103	2 (1)	2 (1)
Far West	115	2 (1)	2 (1)
Fleurieu	318	3 (2)	3 (2)
Flinders	242	2 (1)	2 (1)
Gawler	235	2 (1)	2 (1)
Hills	380	3 (2)	3 (2)
Junction	191	2 (1)	2 (1)
Kangaroo Island	82	2 (1)	2 (1)
Le Fevre	257	2 (1)	2 (1)
Lincoln	222	2 (1)	2 (1)
Lower North	210	2 (1)	2 (1)
Lower South East	353	3 (2)	3 (2)
Mid North	139	2 (1)	2 (1)
Mitcham	497	4 (2)	4 (2)
Murraylands	325	3 (2)	3 (2)
Noarlunga	1121	11 (6)	11 (6)
North East Urban	528	5 (3)	5 (3)
North West	65	2 (1)	2 (1)
North West Urban	480	4 (2)	4 (2)
Northern Urban	398	3 (2)	3 (2)
Pirie	167	2 (1)	2 (1)

Area Delegate Entitlement – 2006**Annexure A**

Electorate	Number of members	Number of Area Delegates	Number of Alternate Delegates
Riverland	394	3 (2)	3 (2)
Southern Urban	503	5 (3)	5 (3)
Southern Vales	244	2 (1)	2 (1)
Tea Tree Gully	733	7 (4)	7 (4)
Torrens	540	5 (3)	5 (3)
Upper South East	213	2 (1)	2 (1)
Western Urban	466	4 (2)	4 (2)
Whyalla	258	2 (1)	2 (1)
Yorke	254	2 (1)	2 (1)

Numbers in brackets indicate the minimum number of females to be elected.

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Branch Secretary: Jack Major

Your reference:

Our reference: JRM;JD

31 October 2005

Industrial Registrar
Australian Industrial Registry
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MELBOURNE VIC 3001

Dear Sir

Re: Australian Education Union (SA Branch) Election

I hereby lodge prescribed information in accordance with Section 189 of Schedule 1B and RAO Schedule S189(1) of the Workplace Relations Act 1996.

1. Name of Office

An election is required for the office of Ordinary Branch Executive Officer (CS Member.)

2. Reason for the Elections

This election is required because the term of office will expire on 31 December 2005, and no nomination was received when this Office was previously advertised.

3. Electorate

The electorate for this election is by and from financial members of the Childrens Services Sub-division of the General Division.

4. Date and Times

The relevant dates for this election shall be as determined by the Returning Officer.

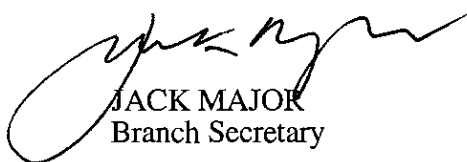
5. Closure of Roll of Voters

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6. Voting System

The voting system to be employed in the conduct of these elections is a direct voting system. The register of members is held at the Branch Office at 163 Greenhill Road, Parkside.

Yours sincerely



JACK MAJOR
Branch Secretary



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

Australian Education Union
(E2005/208)

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DEPUTY INDUSTRIAL REGISTRAR

MELBOURNE, 17 NOVEMBER 2005

Arrangement for conduct of election.

DECISION

[1] On 3 November 2005 the South Australian Branch of the abovenamed organisation lodged in the Industrial Registry information in relation to an election for the following offices:

Ordinary Branch Executive Officer (the CS Member)

General Division Delegates to Branch Council and
Alternate General Division Delegates to Branch Council from the following areas:

	<u>General Division Delegates</u>	<u>Alternate General Division Delegates</u>
Barossa	2	2
Central Urban	7	7
Eastern Urban	4	4
Elizabeth Munno Para	4	4
Eyre	2	2
Far North	2	2
Far West	2	2
Fleurieu	3	3
Flinders	2	2
Gawler	2	2
Hills	3	3
Junction	2	2
Kangaroo Island	2	2
Le Fevre	2	2
Lincoln	2	2
Lower North	2	2
Lower South East	3	3
Mid North	2	2
Mitcham	4	4
Murraylands	3	3
Noarlunga	11	11
North East Urban	5	5
North West	2	2
North West Urban	4	4

	General Division <u>Delegates</u>	Alternate General <u>Division Delegates</u>
Northern Urban	3	3
Pirie	2	2
Riverland	3	3
Southern Urban	5	5
Southern Vales	2	2
Tea Tree Gully	7	7
Torrens	5	5
Upper South East	2	2
Western Urban	4	4
Whyalla	2	2
Yorke	2	2

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

