

Australian Education Union
Victoria Branch
DECLARATION OF RESULTS - E2020/162
Uncontested Offices

Scheduled 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:

AEU - Victorian Branch

Ordinary Members of Branch Executive - Primary Sector (7)

Candidates

BURTON Tanya

EDWARDS Krystyna

HONDA Hanae

PACE Michael

PONTIKIS Mary-Anne

TENSON Katrina Margaret

Ordinary Members of Branch Executive - Secondary Sector (5)

Candidates

HARRIS Justin

HUMPHRIES Jessie Ann

JOHNSTON Wayne

KOLBER Jemina

Ordinary Members of Branch Executive - Early Childhood Sector (1)

Candidates

No Nominations Accepted

Ordinary Members of Branch Executive - TAFE and Adult Provision Sector (1)

Candidates

JONES Craig

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



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08/12/2020



DECISION

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

Australian Education Union
(E2020/162)

MR ENRIGHT

MELBOURNE, 21 AUGUST 2020

Arrangement for conduct of election.

[1] On 5 August 2020 the Australian Education Union - Victorian Branch lodged with the Registered Organisations Commission prescribed information for an election to fill the following offices:

Ordinary Members of Branch Executive representing the following:

Primary Sector	(7)
Secondary Sector	(5)
Early Childhood Sector	(1)
TAFE and Adult Provision Sector	(1)

[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 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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5 August 2020

Mr Mark Bielecki
Registered Organisations Commissioner
Registered Organisations Commission
GPO Box 2983
Melbourne VIC 3001
via email regorgs@roc.gov.au

Dear Commissioner Bielecki

**PRESCRIBED INFORMATION FOR ELECTIONS in accordance with Section 189 *Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Act 2009* and Regulation 138 *Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Regulations 2009* -
AEU VIC Branch – Election of Ordinary Members of Branch Executive**

I, **Erin Aulich**, being the **Branch Secretary of the Australian Education Union Victorian Branch**, make the following statement:

1. I am authorised to sign this statement containing prescribed information for the Australian Education Union Victorian Branch (AEU Vic 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 to be held is:
Election of Ordinary Members of Branch Executive (AEU Vic Branch Rule 49)
as set out in the table in Annexure A.
4. No rule alterations are pending that will impact these elections.
5. This statement **IS** lodged at least 2 months before nominations open for the elections as set out in the table in Annexure A.
6. **Voting system and number of positions**

The voting system to be employed in the conduct of the election is a collegiate electoral system.

Pursuant to AEU Vic Branch rule 11(3) the financial branch and sector membership numbers as at 30th June 2020 will determine the number of persons elected as Ordinary Members of Branch Executive. The number of positions to be elected is set out at Schedule 1 to Annexure A:

- Part A - Number of financial members as at 30 June 2020 by Sectors;
- Part B - Calculations as per AEU Vic Branch rule 11 determining the number of persons elected as Ordinary Members of Branch Executive.

Dates and Times:

The dates and times for nominations open and close to be determined by the Returning Officer from the Australian Electoral Commission with regards to AEU Vic Branch rule 49(5).

AEU Vic Branch Rules contain respective timetables for the conduct of these elections as set out at *Annexure A - Important dates*.

7. Closure of the Roll of Voters:

AEU Vic Branch Rule 57(2A) states that - *“The roll of voters for any election to be conducted pursuant to these rules is to be closed seven days before the day on which nominations are opened in relation to all elections by a direct voting system for offices in the Branch.”*

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Yours sincerely



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ANNEXURE A

AEU VIC BRANCH ELECTION OF ORDINARY MEMBERS OF BRANCH EXECUTIVE:

In accordance with Australian Education Union Victorian Branch Rule 49 elections are required for Ordinary Members of Branch Executive (Refer AEU Vic Branch Rule 49)

Branch	Name of Office	Term of Office	Number required	Voting System Direct voting system (DVS); Collegiate electoral system	Reason for Election Scheduled; Casual vacancy; New office created; Insufficient nominations	Electorate
VIC	Ordinary Members of Branch Executive from Primary Sector	1 January 2021 to 31 December 2021	7	Collegiate electoral system	Scheduled - current term of office expires on 31 December 2020.	The electorate is all the ordinary members of the Primary Sector Council. [Rule 11(1)(b)]
	Ordinary Members of Branch Executive from Secondary Sector	1 January 2021 to 31 December 2021	5	Collegiate electoral system	Scheduled - current term of office expires on 31 December 2020.	The electorate is all the ordinary members of the Secondary Sector Council. [Rule 11(1)(b)]
	Ordinary Members of Branch Executive from Early Childhood Sector	1 January 2021 to 31 December 2021	1	Collegiate electoral system	Scheduled - current term of office expires on 31 December 2020.	The electorate is persons elected as ordinary members of the Branch Executive by members of the Early Childhood Sector Council from persons who are ordinary members of the Branch Council from the relevant sector council. [Rule 11(1)(b)]
	Ordinary Members of Branch Executive from TAFE and Adult Provision Sector	1 January 2021 to 31 December 2021	1	Collegiate electoral system	Scheduled - current term of office expires on 31 December 2020.	The electorate is persons elected as ordinary members of the Branch Executive by members of TAFE and Adult Provision Sector Council from persons who are ordinary members of the Branch Council from the relevant sector council. [Rule 11(1)(b)]

- Important dates - AEU VIC Branch Election of Ordinary Members of Branch Executive:

	Collegiate Voting System	Notes
Nominations OPEN	To be determined by the Returning Officer from the Australian Electoral Commission <i>It is recommended that nominations open on Wednesday 18 November 2020.</i>	<p><i>The notice calling for nominations ...shall specify a date for the opening of nominations which shall be a date not less than 14 days before the date for holding the meeting provided that, where the election is to be conducted at the meeting of the sector council at which ordinary members of the Branch Council are elected, nominations shall be called by the Branch Returning Officer announcing to the meeting that nominations are open and allowing sufficient time for persons seeking to nominate to submit their nominations [Rule 49(5)]</i></p> <p><i>Pursuant to notification received by the AEC 'Letter to registered organisations – COVID-19 response update June 2020' dated 26 June 2020 regarding in person (attendance) ballots the AEU will work with the AEC on an alternative approach.</i></p>
Nominations CLOSE	To be determined by the Returning Officer from the Australian Electoral Commission <i>It is recommended that nominations close during the respective Sectors' Council Meetings on Friday 4 December 2020.</i>	
Roll of Voters cut- off date	<i>7 days prior to nominations opening [rule 57(2A)]</i>	
Ballot (if required)	<i>If a ballot is required it can be conducted at the respective Sector Council Meetings on Friday 4 December 2020.</i>	

SCHEDULE 1 – PART A

AEU VIC BRANCH FINANCIAL MEMBERSHIP AS AT 30 JUNE 2020 BY SECTOR

SECTOR	FINANCIAL MEMBERS
EARLY CHILDHOOD	2,915
PRIMARY	26,746
SECONDARY	17,093
TAFE & ADULT PROVISION (TAP)	2,662
TOTAL	49,416

SCHEDULE 1 – PART B: ELECTION OF ORDINARY MEMBERS OF BRANCH EXECUTIVE

Pursuant to AEU Vic Branch Rule 11(3) the financial membership numbers of the Branch and each sector as at 30th June 2020 will determine the number of persons elected as ordinary members of Branch Executive.

The financial membership of the Branch at 30 June 2020 was **49,416**.

The financial membership of each Sector at 30 June 2020 was:

Primary	26,746
Secondary	17,093
Early Childhood	2,915
TAFE & Adult Provision	2,662
TOTAL MEMBERSHIP	49,416

The application of Rule 11(2)(a) results in a quota of **3801**. This determination is based on the total financial membership of the Branch divided by 13 and the result rounded off to the nearest whole number (the quota) = $49,416 / 13 = 3801.2$

Therefore:

Primary	$26,746 / 3801 = 7.0$
Secondary	$17,093 / 3801 = 4.5$
Early Childhood	$2,915 / 3801 = 0.8$
TAFE & Adult Provision	$2,662 / 3801 = 0.7$

When Rule 11(2)(b) is applied to each Sector, the entitlement to ordinary members of Branch Executive is:

Primary	7
Secondary	5
Early Childhood	1
TAFE & Adult Provision	1