

**Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Act 2009**  
**POST ELECTION REPORT**

Australian Education Union

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**ELECTION/S COVERED IN THIS REPORT**

Election Decision No/s: E2013/228

**RULES**

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(replaces 16/11/2012 - R2012/99 & R2012/164 version)

Model Rule reference (if any): N/A

**ROLL OF VOTERS**

Total number of voters on the Roll: 14636

Number of apparent workplace addresses: Nil

Number of non-current addresses: 44

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

**ATTACHMENTS**

Declaration of Results for Contested Uncontested Offices

Simon Bulloch  
Returning Officer  
19 October 2013

**Australian Education Union  
Western Australian Branch - Branch Executive**

**Declaration of Results for Contested and Uncontested Offices**

**E2013/228**

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.

**Branch Executive**

Total number of names on the roll of voters	<b>14636</b>
Ballot papers issued	<b>14636</b>
Replacement ballot papers issued	<b>6</b>
<b>Total Ballot Papers Issued</b>	<b>14642</b>
Ballot papers / envelopes returned for scrutiny	<b>2917</b>
Less ballot papers / envelopes rejected at preliminary scrutiny	<b>84</b>
Adjusting balance	<b>0</b>
<b>Total Ballot Papers Admitted to Scrutiny</b>	<b>2833</b>
Percentage of ballot papers returned to number issued	<b>19</b>
Ballot papers returned as unclaimed mail	<b>43</b>
Ballot papers not returned	<b>11682</b>

**Branch President**

<u>Candidates</u>	<u>First Preference Votes</u>	<u>Final Votes</u>
KELLY, Clive	1139	1139
BYRNE, Patricia	1651	1651
Exhausted Votes		<b>0</b>
Loss/Gain by Fraction		<b>0</b>
Total votes	<b>2790</b>	<b>2790</b>
Formal ballot papers	<b>2790</b>	<b>2790</b>
Informal ballot papers	<b>43</b>	<b>43</b>

I declare Patricia Byrne elected.

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Ballot papers not returned 11682

**Branch Senior Vice President**

<u>Candidates</u>	<u>First Preference Votes</u>	<u>Final Votes</u>
BURKE, Patricia	1139	1139
ROSE, Lincoln	1637	1637
Exhausted Votes		0
Loss/Gain by Fraction		0
Total votes	2776	2776
Formal ballot papers	2776	2776
Informal ballot papers	57	57

I declare Lincoln Rose elected.

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**Branch Vice President**

<u>Candidates</u>	<u>First Preference Votes</u>	<u>Final Votes</u>
DI NOTO, Anna	1133	1133
SCHOFIELD, Samantha	1645	1645
Exhausted Votes		0
Loss/Gain by Fraction		0
Total votes	2778	2778
Formal ballot papers	2778	2778
Informal ballot papers	55	55

I declare Samantha Schofield elected.

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**Branch Ordinary Executive Member (14)**

<u>Candidates</u>	<u>First Preference Votes</u>	<u>Final Votes</u>
LAU, Jan Marie	4	4
O'NEILL, Bridget	2	2
REED, Gail	2	3
BURKE, Kylie	1016	1016
PERRIAM, Wendy	2	2
COOKSON, Glen	9	9
HEDGER, Gary Allan	6	6
ZAHWE, Ruth Susan	0	0
KILNER, William John	1	1
ROGERSON, Gloria	1	1
SHARRETT, Peter	2	2
NAIDOO, Lava (Ronnie)	1	1
COOK, Peter	4	4
NEAGLE, Lois	6	1522
MURPHY, Michelle	2	1516
BURNS, Caren	2	1516
KLEIN, Marie	7	1520
BUNNEY, Kate	4	1518
REPPER, Graeme	8	1523
BECK, Natalie	3	1518
WINROW, Pauline L	5	1520
ADAMS, Chantal	1517	1517
BLACK, Edd	21	1535
BUNN, Geoff	3	1517
BANYARD, Bruce	7	1522
KEUNEN, Christopher	3	1517
MANNION, Kathryn	1	1515
MOORMAN, Justine	30	31
WINTON, Sabine	24	24
KULESZA, Jade	38	38
Exhausted Votes		0
Loss/Gain by Fraction		0
Total votes	<b>2731</b>	<b>22420</b>
Formal ballot papers	<b>2731</b>	<b>2731</b>
Informal ballot papers	<b>102</b>	<b>102</b>

I declare Chantal Adams, Bruce Banyard, Natalie Beck, Edd Black, Geoff Bunn, Kate Bunney, Caren Burns, Christopher Keunen, Marie Klein, Kathryn Mannion, Michelle Murphy, Lois Neagle, Graeme Repper and Pauline L Winrow elected.

## **Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Executive Member**

### Candidates

BRIDGE, Paul

I declare Paul Bridge elected.

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Returning Officer  
Australian Electoral Commission

17 October 2013

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# DECISION

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

**Australian Education Union**  
(E2013/228)

MR ENRIGHT

MELBOURNE, 26 JULY 2013

*Arrangement for conduct of election.*

[1] On 16 July 2013 the Australian Education Union - Western Australia Branch lodged with the Fair Work Commission the prescribed information in relation to an election for the following offices:

Branch President  
Branch Senior Vice President  
Branch Vice President  
Ordinary Branch Executive Members (14)  
Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Executive Member

[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 GENERAL MANAGER

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16 July 2013

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General Manager  
Fair Work Commission  
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Dear Ms O'Neill

## **Statement: Prescribed Information: Section 189(1) of the Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Act 2009**

In accordance with Section 189 (1) of the Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Act 2009 and Regulation 138, I wish to lodge the following prescribed information in relation to elections in the Australian Education Union, Western Australian Branch, for the undermentioned offices.

I am an officer of the *Australian Education Union (W.A. Branch)* and am authorised to lodge this prescribed information.

### **Names of Offices:**

Elections will need to be held under Rule 6(1) to elect:

#### ***Branch President (1)***

*1 January 2014 – 31 December 2016*

#### ***Branch Senior Vice President (1)***

*1 January 2014 – 31 December 2016*

#### ***Branch Vice President (1)***

*1 January 2014 – 31 December 2016*

#### ***Fourteen Ordinary Executive Members (14)***

*1 January 2014 – 31 December 2016*

*Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Executive Member (1)*  
*1 January 2014 – 31 December 2016*

**Reason for the Elections:**

The current terms of office for the above positions expire on 31 December 2013.

The electorates for the elections are:

- for the Branch Presidential positions and Branch Executive Members - by and from the financial members of the General and TAFE Divisions of the WA Branch; and
- for the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Executive Member – by and from ATSI members of the AEU WA Branch.

The voting system is by direct election.

The dates and times that nominations close are to be fixed by the Returning Officer pursuant to the Rules. However, it is noted that a separate application /notification of other elections for office within the AEU WA Branch has been made by the AEU Federal Secretary (E2013/222). It would be appreciated if the decision in this matter could facilitate the holding of simultaneous elections.

Yours sincerely



**Tony Mullen**  
AEU (WA) Branch Secretary