

# Australian Electoral Commission / AEC

## Workplace Relations Act 1996 – Schedule 1B

### RETURNING OFFICER - POST ELECTION REPORT

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#### ELECTIONS COVERED IN THIS REPORT

<u>Election Decision No/s:</u>	E2005/24 & E2005/32
<u>Election:</u>	Branch Officers, Councillors & Conference Delegates, Industry Sections and Officers & Committee Members, Industry Section Organising Committees
<u>Returning Officer:</u>	Andy Wilson

#### RULES

<u>Rules used for elections Rule ID</u>	[052VFED: Incorporates alterations of 13 January 2005] [R2004/522]
<u>Rule/s re eligibility to vote</u>	41c(vi)

#### ROLL OF VOTERS

<u>Total number of voters on the roll</u>	3522	
<u>Number of private addresses</u>	3440	97.67%
<u>Number of apparent workplace addresses</u>	79	2.24%
<u>Number of non-current addresses</u>	3	.09%

#### ALLEGATIONS OF IRREGULARITIES RECEIVED

There were no written complaints or allegations of irregularities
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#### OTHER MATTERS

It was disappointing that the AEC spent a significant amount of money on advertising for positions not filled (Recall Election) and no nominations were received. Is it possible for the Union to use new strategies to encourage members to nominate?
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#### ATTACHMENTS

<u>A</u> Declaration of Results for Uncontested and Contested Offices
<u>B</u> Declaration of Results for Uncontested Offices – SA & NT Recall Elections

Andy Wilson  
Returning Officer

14 July 2005

**Australian Municipal, Administrative, Clerical and Services  
Union  
SA & NT Recall Elections 2005**

**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.

E2005/24/32

**Airlines & Federal Awards**

**Deputy Convenor**

No nomination was received

**Co-ordinator/Secretary**

No nomination was received

**Commercial**

**Deputy Convenor**

No nomination was received

**Co-ordinator/Secretary**

No nomination was received

**Energy**

**Branch Councillor (Women)**

No nomination was received

**Committee Member (4)**

No nominations were received

**Committee Member (Women) (4)**

No nominations were received

**Local Government**

**Convenor**

No nomination was received

**Deputy Convenor**

No nomination was received

**Co-ordinator/Secretary**

No nomination was received

**Community Services**

**Branch Conference Delegate**

No nomination was received

**Convenor**

No nomination was received

**Deputy Convenor**

No nomination was received

**Co-ordinator/Secretary**

No nomination was received

**Finance**

**Convenor**

No nomination was received

**Deputy Convenor**

No nomination was received

**Co-ordinator/Secretary**

No nomination was received

**Legal Industry**

**Convenor**

No nomination was received

**Deputy Convenor**

No nomination was received

**Co-ordinator/Secretary**

No nomination was received

**Northern Territory**

**Convenor**

No nomination was received

**Deputy Convenor**

No nomination was received

**Co-ordinator/Secretary**

No nomination was received

As no nominations were received, I declare no successor elected for these positions.



Andy Wilson  
Returning Officer

7 July 2005

**Australian Municipal, Administrative, Clerical and Services Union  
Branch Elections**

**DECLARATION OF RESULTS FOR UNCONTESTED AND 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.

E2005/24/32

**South Australian and Northern Territory Branch**

**Branch President**

Candidate

ANDRITSAKIS, Pam

I declare Pam Andritsakis elected.

**Branch Vice-President (Energy & Local Government)**

Candidate

MCKINNON, Robert

I declare Robert McKinnon elected.

**Branch Vice-President (Women)(Energy & Local Government)**

Candidate

PRICE, Judith

I declare Judith Price elected.

**Branch Vice-President (Airlines & Fed Awards, Commercial, Finance, Legal Ind, Community Serv & NT)**

Total number of persons on the roll of voters	3522
Ballot papers issued	3519
Duplicate ballot papers issued	2
<b>TOTAL BALLOT PAPERS ISSUED</b>	<b>3521</b>
Ballot papers / envelopes returned for scrutiny	875
Less ballot papers / envelopes rejected at preliminary scrutiny	13
<b>TOTAL BALLOT PAPERS ADMITTED TO SCRUTINY</b>	<b>862</b>
Percentage of ballot papers returned to number issued	24%
Ballot papers returned as unclaimed mail	31
Ballot papers not returned	2615

Candidates

MCDONALD, Rory  
MCLAUGHLIN, Anne

Votes

83  
777

Total votes	860
Formal ballot papers	860
Informal ballot papers	2

I declare Anne McLaughlin elected.

**Branch Vice-President (Women)(Airlines&Fed Awards, Commercial, Finance, Legal, Community Serv & NT)**

Candidate

RESCHKE, Rosi

I declare Rosi Reschke elected.

# Airlines & Federal Awards

## Branch Councillor (General)

Total number of persons on the roll of voters	404
Ballot papers issued	404
Duplicate ballot papers issued	0
<b>TOTAL BALLOT PAPERS ISSUED</b>	<b>404</b>
Ballot papers / envelopes returned for scrutiny	78
Less ballot papers / envelopes rejected at preliminary scrutiny	1
<b>TOTAL BALLOT PAPERS ADMITTED TO SCRUTINY</b>	<b>77</b>
Percentage of ballot papers returned to number issued	19%
Ballot papers returned as unclaimed mail	0
Ballot papers not returned	326

## Candidates

	<u>Votes</u>
MAZURCZAK, George R	14
HANCOCK, James	62
Total votes	76
Formal ballot papers	76
Informal ballot papers	1

I declare James Hancock elected.

## Branch Councillor (Women)

### Candidate

MALBY, Helen

I declare Helen Malby elected.

## Branch Conference Delegate

### Candidate

STARCEVIC, Andrew

I declare Andrew Starcevic elected.

## Convenor

### Candidate

MALBY, Helen

I declare Helen Malby elected.

## Deputy Convenor

### Candidate

No nomination was received

No candidates elected.

## Co-ordinator/Secretary

### Candidate

No nomination was received

No candidates elected.

## **Commercial**

### **Branch Councillor (General)**

Candidate

WRIGHT, Charles

I declare Charles Wright elected.

### **Branch Councillor (Women) (2)**

Candidates

ASHWORTH, Letitia  
WINKLEY, Maxine

I declare Letitia Ashworth and Maxine Winkley elected.

### **Branch Conference Delegate**

Candidate

BAILEY, Ray

I declare Ray Bailey elected.

### **Branch Conference Delegate (Women) (2)**

Candidates

CLARKE, Susan  
GAMBLE, Kari

I declare Susan Clarke and Kari Gamble elected.

### **Convenor**

Candidate

ASHWORTH, Letitia

I declare Letitia Ashworth elected.

### **Deputy Convenor**

Candidate

No nomination was received

No candidates elected.

### **Co-ordinator/Secretary**

Candidate

No nomination was received

No candidates elected.

## **Energy**

### **Branch Councillor (General)**

#### Candidate

LAWSON, Phil

I declare Phil Lawson elected.

### **Branch Councillor (Women)**

#### Candidate

No nomination was received

No candidates elected.

### **Branch Conference Delegate**

#### Candidate

O'CALLAGHAN, Mike

I declare Mike O'Callaghan elected.

### **Branch Conference Delegate (Women)**

#### Candidate

CALDICOTT, Paula

I declare Paula Caldicott elected.

### **Convenor**

#### Candidate

MCKINNON, Robert

I declare Robert McKinnon elected.

### **Deputy Convenor**

#### Candidate

CALDICOTT, Paula

I declare Paula Caldicott elected.

### **Co-ordinator/Secretary**

#### Candidate

LAWSON, Phil

I declare Phil Lawson elected.

### **Committee Member (9)**

#### Candidates

MILES, Adrian K  
O'CALLAGHAN, Michael  
RIESSEN, Des  
SPRY, Graham K  
VEAR, Richard

I declare Adrian K Miles, Michael O'Callaghan, Des Riessen, Graham K Spry and Richard Vear elected.  
No other nominations received.

### **Committee Member (Women) (5)**

#### Candidate

LEECH, Wendy

I declare Wendy Leech elected.  
No other nominations received.



## **Local Government**

### **Branch Councillor (General) (2)**

#### Candidates

PICARD, Ross  
TUCKER, Michelle Julie

I declare Ross Picard and Michelle Julie Tucker elected.

### **Branch Councillor (Women) (3)**

#### Candidates

GUMBYS, Rosalind  
PERRY, Marilyn  
POTTER, Katrina A

I declare Rosalind Gumbys, Marilyn Perry and Katrina A Potter elected.

### **Branch Conference Delegate (2)**

#### Candidates

HUSSEY, David  
MITCHELL, Steve

I declare David Hussey and Steve Mitchell elected.

### **Branch Conference Delegate (Women) (3)**

#### Candidates

BRADWELL, Maxine  
HEINRICH, Pam  
SMITH, Tricia

I declare Maxine Bradwell, Pam Heinrich and Tricia Smith elected.

### **Convenor**

#### Candidates

No nomination was received

No candidates elected.

### **Deputy Convenor**

#### Candidates

No nomination was received

No candidates elected.

### **Co-ordinator/Secretary**

#### Candidates

No nomination was received

No candidates elected.

# Community Services

## Branch Councillor (General)

### Candidate

EVANS, Terry John

I declare Terry John Evans elected.

## Branch Councillor (Women)

### Candidate

MANSFIELD, Sue

I declare Sue Mansfield elected.

## Branch Conference Delegate

### Candidate

No nomination was received

No candidates elected.

## Branch Conference Delegate (Women)

### Candidate

NEWTON, Jennifer

I declare Jennifer Newton elected.

## Convenor

### Candidate

No nomination was received

No candidates elected.

## Deputy Convenor

### Candidate

No nomination was received

No candidates elected.

## Co-ordinator/Secretary

### Candidate

No nomination was received

No candidates elected.

## **Finance**

### **Branch Councillor (General)**

Candidate

PILLAY, Prithi

I declare Prithi Pillay elected.

### **Branch Councillor (Women)**

Candidate

MIKSZA, Louise

I declare Louise Miksza elected.

### **Branch Conference Delegate**

Candidate

TILL, Lesley

I declare Lesley Till elected.

### **Branch Conference Delegate (Women)**

Candidate

BEAUMONT, Sue

I declare Sue Beaumont elected.

### **Convenor**

Candidate

No nomination was received

No candidates elected.

### **Deputy Convenor**

Candidate

No nomination was received

No candidates elected.

### **Co-ordinator/Secretary**

Candidate

No nomination was received

No candidates elected.

## **Legal Industry**

### **Branch Councillor (General)**

Candidate

GRAHAM-KING, Margaret

I declare Margaret Graham-King elected.

### **Branch Conference Delegate**

Candidate

BAYLEY, Elizabeth J

I declare Elizabeth J Bayley elected.

### **Convenor**

Candidate

No nomination was received

No candidates elected.

### **Deputy Convenor**

Candidate

No nomination was received

No candidates elected.

### **Co-ordinator/Secretary**

Candidate

No nomination was received

No candidates elected.

## **Northern Territory**

### **Branch Councillor (General)**

Candidate

PATERAKIS, Maria

I declare Maria Paterakis elected.

### **Branch Conference Delegate**

Candidate

HULL, Laurene Joan

I declare Laurene Joan Hull elected.

### **Convenor**

Candidate

No nomination was received

No candidates elected.

### **Deputy Convenor**

Candidate

No nomination was received

No candidates elected.

### **Co-ordinator/Secretary**

Candidate

No nomination was received

No candidates elected.



Andy Wilson  
Returning Officer  
Australian Electoral Commission

18 May 2005

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

**Australian Municipal, Administrative, Clerical and Services Union**  
(E2005/24)

T.NASSIOS  
DEPUTY INDUSTRIAL REGISTRAR

MELBOURNE, 10 FEBRUARY 2005

*Arrangement for conduct of election.*

**DECISION**

[1] On 21 January 2005, the South Australian and Northern Territory Branch of the abovementioned organisation lodged in the Industrial Registry the prescribed information in relation to elections for the following offices:

Branch Vice-President (1) (Energy and Local Government)

Branch Vice-President (1) (Airlines and Federal Awards, Commercial, Finance, Legal Industry, Community Services and Northern Territory)

Branch Vice-President (Women) (1) (Energy and Local Government)

Branch Vice-President (1) (Women) (Airlines and Federal Awards, Commercial, Finance, Legal Industry, Community Services and Northern Territory)

Branch Councillors (General) and Branch Councillors (Women) from the following Industry Sections:

	Members (General)	Members (Women)
Section 1 Airlines and Federal Awards	1	1
Section 2 Commercial	1	2
Section 3 Energy	1	1
Section 4 Local Government	2	3
Section 5 Community Services	1	1
Section 6 Finance	1	1
Section 7 Legal Industry	1	-
Section 8 Northern Territory	1	-

Branch Conference Delegates and Branch Conference Delegates (Women) from the following Industry Sections:

	Delegates	Delegates (Women)
Section 1 Airlines and Federal Awards	1	-
Section 2 Commercial	1	2
Section 3 Energy	1	1
Section 4 Local Government	2	3
Section 5 Community Services	1	1
Section 6 Finance	1	1
Section 7 Legal Industry	1	-
Section 8 Northern Territory	1	-

Convenor, Deputy Convenor and Co-ordinator/Secretary for each of the following Industry Section Organising Committees:

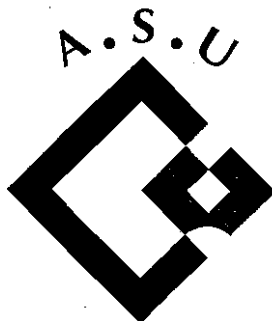
Airlines and Federal Awards  
Commercial  
Energy  
Local Government  
Community Services  
Finance  
Legal Industry  
Northern Territory

Committee Members from the following Industry Section:

	Committee Members	Committee Members (Women)
Energy	9	5

[2] I am satisfied that elections for the abovenamed offices are 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 elections by the Australian Electoral Commission.





Australian Services Union

21 January 2005

Industrial Registrar  
Australian Industrial Registry  
Riverside Centre  
North Terrace  
Adelaide 5000



Dear Registrar

RE UNION ELECTIONS

Pursuant to the Workplace Relations Act 1996, and pursuant to Branch Rule 22 – Branch Elections, I advise that elections for the following offices within the Australian Municipal, Administrative, Clerical and Services Union (ASU) South Australian & Northern Territory Branch are due to be held in 2005.

Please note the Rules of the Branch have altered since elections were last held in 2003. A current version of the SA+NT Branch Rules is appended.

**Branch Vice President (I) and Branch Vice President (Women) (I)** to be elected by financial members allocated to each of the following Industry Sections – Energy and Local Government.

**Branch Vice President (I) and Branch Vice President (Women) (I)** elected by financial members allocated to each of the following Industry Sections – Airlines and Federal Awards, Commercial, Finance, Legal Industry, Community Services and Northern Territory.

**Branch Councillors (General) and Branch Councillors (Women)** in accordance with the following table. The electorate for each of these positions is the financial membership of the relevant Industry Section specified in the following table.

		Members (General)	Members (Women)
Section 1	Airlines and Federal Awards	1	1
Section 2	Commercial	1	2
Section 3	Energy	1	1
Section 4	Local Government	2	3
Section 5	Community Services	1	1
Section 6	Finance	1	1
Section 7	Legal Industry	1	0
Section 8	Northern Territory	1	0

**South Australian & Northern Territory Branch**

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**Branch Conference Delegates and Branch Conference Delegates (Women) elected by Industry Sections.**

		Members (General)	Members (Women)
Section 1	Airlines and Federal Awards	1	0
Section 2	Commercial	1	2
Section 3	Energy	1	1
Section 4	Local Government	2	3
Section 5	Community Services	1	1
Section 6	Finance	1	1
Section 7	Legal Industry	1	0
Section 8	Northern Territory	1	0

**Industry Section Organising Committee Members and Members (Women)**

The following offices to be elected by members of Industry Sections specified.

Convenor, Deputy Convenor and Co-ordinator / Secretary of the following Industry Section Organising Committees:

- Airlines and Federal Awards
- Energy
- Local Government
- Commercial
- Finance
- Legal
- Northern Territory
- Community Services

The electorate for each of these positions is the financial membership of the relevant Industry Section.

Committee members of the following Industry Sections.

Industry Section	Committee Members	Committee Members (Women)
Energy	9	5

The voting system to be applicable in relation to all positions is a direct voting system from the electorate specified herein.

Only women members (who are otherwise eligible) may be nominated for the offices of Branch Vice President (Women), Branch Conference Delegate (Women), Branch Councillor (Women), or Industry Section Organising Committee Member (Women).

Both men and women members (who are otherwise eligible) may be nominated for all other offices of the Branch including (but not exclusively) the offices of Branch Vice President, Branch Conference Delegate, Branch Councillor and Industry Section Organising Committee Member.

Attached are details showing the percentage of women financial members in the Branch and/or Industry Division in which an election is to be conducted.

Pursuant to ASU National Rules 4 and 41 nominations shall open on the first Wednesday in March and shall close 21 days after they are called.

The reason for the elections is that the terms of office have expired.

I certify that the above information has been lodged in accordance with the Workplace Relations Act 1996.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Anne McEwen', written in a cursive style.

Anne McEwen  
BRANCH SECRETARY

**AUSTRALIAN SERVICES UNION**  
**SOUTH AUSTRALIAN AND NORTHERN TERRITORY BRANCH**

figures - financial members as at 30 November 2004

**INDUSTRY SECTIONS**

	male	female	total		female %
Airlines & Federal Awards	262	180	442		40.72
Commercial	319	953	1272		74.92
Energy	569	154	723		21.30
Finance	75	467	542		86.16
Legal	28	55	83		66.27
Local Government	992	1361	2353		57.84
Community Services	178	506	684		73.98
Northern Territory	165	305	470		64.89
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>2588</b>	<b>3981</b>	<b>6569</b>		<b>60.60</b>