

# **Australian Nursing Federation Branch Office Vacancy**

## **DECLARATION OF RESULT FOR UNCONTESTED OFFICE**

Result of the election for the following office conducted in accordance with the provisions of the Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Act 2009 and the rules of the organisation.

E2009/10042

**Victorian Branch**

**Ordinary Branch Councillor**

Candidate

BOASE, Leanne

As only one nomination was accepted, I declare Leanne Boase elected.

Shane T Lanning  
Returning Officer

11 November 2009



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## DECISION

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

**Australian Nursing Federation**  
(E2009/10042)

T. NASSIOS

MELBOURNE, 15 SEPTEMBER 2009

*Arrangement for conduct of election.*

[1] On 10 September 2009 the Victorian Branch of the abovenamed organisation lodged with Fair Work Australia the prescribed information in relation to an election to fill a casual vacancy for the following office:

Ordinary Branch Councillor

[2] 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 General Manager  
Fair Work Australia

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9 September 2009

The General Manager  
Fair Work Australia  
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MELBOURNE VIC 3001  
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Dear Sir

In accordance with the Rule 51 of the Registered Rules of the Australian Nursing Federation and Section 189 of the Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Act 2009, I am writing to request that you make arrangements with the Australian Electoral Commission to conduct an election for the following office of the Victorian Branch of the Australian Nursing Federation :

One (1) Ordinary Branch Councillor

The request for the election is due to the resignation of Katie Smith, a copy of her letter of resignation enclosed herewith. Katie Smith was to commence her term of office on 30 November 2009 and Rule 51.3 of the ANF Rules states: "**Where the expired part of the term of the office in which the casual vacancy has arisen is less than that specified in sub-clause 51.1 of this Rule, that is less than 25% of the term of the office, that vacancy shall be filled by an election conducted as soon as possible and as far as practicable in accordance with the provisions of these Rules relating to election for the office in question.**"

The election will be by and from the financial members of ANF (Vic Branch).

Thank you for your co-operation in this matter. If there are any matters you wish to discuss, could you please, in the first instance, telephone Lindy Williams on 9275 9321.

Yours sincerely

Lisa Fitzpatrick  
SECRETARY - ANF (VIC. BRANCH)

800-100-006/3

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**Post Election Report For: Australian Nursing Federation  
Election E No 2009/10042**

I refer to the above election for your organisation.

Section 197(1) of the Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Act 2009 requires the AEC to provide a written report on the conduct of the election to Fair Work Australia and to the organisation or branch for whom the election was conducted. A copy of the report in relation to this election is attached.

Section 198 requires that if an organisation or branch is given a post election report under section 197 that identifies a rule that was difficult to interpret or apply, the organisation or branch must, within 30 days, give a written response to the AEC on that aspect of the report. The response must specify whether the organisation or branch intends to take any action in relation to the rule, and if so, what action it intends to take.

If the attached Report identifies a rule that was difficult to interpret or apply, you should forward your response to the AEC by email to 'industrial.elections@aec.gov.au' within thirty days of the date of the report.

Section 198 and the regulations also require an organisation to make the post election report and the organisation's response to the report (if applicable) available to members.

Further, Regulation 141(4) of the Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Act 2009 requires an organisation or branch to publish a notice on its web site advising members that a copy of the post election report is available upon request. If a website is not available, publishing a notice in a journal or newsletter would be considered appropriate.

Please contact me if you wish to clarify any aspect of this report.

Shane T Lanning  
Returning Officer

Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Act 2009

**POST ELECTION REPORT**

**Australian Nursing Federation**

**ELECTION COVERED IN THIS REPORT**

Election Decision No.: E2009/10042

**RULES**

Rules used for the election: 145V: Incorporates alterations of 26/5/2009  
(R2009/289)

Rules difficult to apply/interpret: None  
Model Rule reference (if any): N/A

**ROLL OF VOTERS**

Total number of voters on the Roll: No ballot required

Number of apparent workplace addresses:

Number of non-current addresses:

Other matters pertaining to the roll of voters:

**IRREGULARITIES**

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

Other irregularities identified, and action taken: Nil

**ATTACHMENTS**

Declaration of Results

Shane T Lanning  
Returning Officer

11 November 2009