

# Australian Principals Federation Federal Officers

## Declaration of Results for Uncontested Offices

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.

### Federal

#### Federal President

Candidates

BAMFORD, Ron

#### Federal Senior Vice-President

Candidates

COTCHING, Christopher John

#### Federal Junior Vice-President

Candidates

FINNERTY, David

#### Federal Treasurer

Candidates

RIPP, Bevan

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

Laura Leavy  
Returning Officer  
19 November 2013

# Australian Principals Federation Victorian Branch Executive

## Declaration of Results for Uncontested Offices

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.

### Victorian Branch

#### Branch President

Candidates

COTCHING, Christopher John

#### Branch Vice-President

Candidates

PODBURY, Julie Ann

#### Branch Treasurer

Candidates

KEARNEY, Peter Kenneth

#### Branch Executive Member (Primary)

Candidates

DURKIN, Steve

#### Branch Executive Member (Secondary)

Candidates

HANDLEY, John

**Branch Executive Member (Comprehensive Sector) (Vic Branch)**

Candidates

MOONEY, John

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

Laura Leavy  
Returning Officer

[date]

# Australian Principals Federation

## Victorian Branch

### Declaration of Result

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 Councillor from the Statewide Sector in the Statewide Secondary Sector

Ballot papers issued	207
Replacement ballot papers issued	0
<b>Total Ballot Papers Issued</b>	<b>207</b>
Ballot papers / envelopes returned for scrutiny	87
Less ballot papers / envelopes rejected at preliminary scrutiny	0
<b>Total Ballot Papers Admitted to Scrutiny</b>	<b>87</b>
Percentage of ballot papers returned to number issued	42
Ballot papers returned as unclaimed mail	0
Ballot papers not returned	120

<u>Candidates</u>	<u>Votes</u>
FINNERTY, David	36
HANDLEY, John	51
Total votes	87
Formal ballot papers	87
Informal ballot papers	0

I declare John Handley elected.



Michael Pryor  
Returning Officer  
Australian Electoral Commission

29 October 2013

# Australian Principals Federation

## Victorian Branch

### Declaration of Result

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 Councillor from the Statewide Sector in the Statewide Primary Sector

Ballot papers issued	530
Replacement ballot papers issued	0
<b>Total Ballot Papers Issued</b>	<b>530</b>
Ballot papers / envelopes returned for scrutiny	280
Less ballot papers / envelopes rejected at preliminary scrutiny	4
<b>Total Ballot Papers Admitted to Scrutiny</b>	<b>276</b>
Percentage of ballot papers returned to number issued	52
Ballot papers returned as unclaimed mail	0
Ballot papers not returned	250

<u>Candidates</u>	<u>Votes</u>
DURKIN, Steve	22
COTCHING, Christopher	254
Total votes	276
Formal ballot papers	276
Informal ballot papers	0

I declare Christopher Cotching elected.



Michael Pryor  
Returning Officer  
Australian Electoral Commission

29 October 2013

# Australian Principals Federation

## Victorian Branch

### Declaration of Result

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 Councillors from the Primary Sector in the South Eastern Victoria Region (2)

Ballot papers issued	159
Replacement ballot papers issued	0
<b>Total Ballot Papers Issued</b>	<b>159</b>
Ballot papers / envelopes returned for scrutiny	83
Less ballot papers / envelopes rejected at preliminary scrutiny	2
<b>Total Ballot Papers Admitted to Scrutiny</b>	<b>81</b>
Percentage of ballot papers returned to number issued	52
Ballot papers returned as unclaimed mail	0
Ballot papers not returned	76

<u>Candidates</u>	<u>Votes</u>
INMAN, Wendy	37
ARNOLD, Kathie	56
MACKAY, Kevin John	69
Total votes	162
Formal ballot papers	81
Informal ballot papers	0

I declare Kevin John MacKay and Kathie Arnold elected.



Michael Pryor  
Returning Officer  
Australian Electoral Commission

29 October 2013

# Australian Principals Federation

## Victorian Branch

### Declaration of Result

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.

#### Federal Councillors from the Primary Sector Representatives (2)

Ballot papers issued	530
Replacement ballot papers issued	0
<b>Total Ballot Papers Issued</b>	<b>530</b>
Ballot papers / envelopes returned for scrutiny	279
Less ballot papers / envelopes rejected at preliminary scrutiny	4
<b>Total Ballot Papers Admitted to Scrutiny</b>	<b>275</b>
Percentage of ballot papers returned to number issued	52
Ballot papers returned as unclaimed mail	0
Ballot papers not returned	251

<u>Candidates</u>	<u>Votes</u>
DURKIN, Steve	140
COTCHING, Christopher John	267
KEARNEY, Peter Kenerth	141
Exhausted Votes	2
Total votes	550
Formal ballot papers	275
Informal ballot papers	0

I declare Christopher John Cotching and Peter Kenerth Kearney elected.



Michael Pryor  
Returning Officer  
Australian Electoral Commission

29 October 2013

# Australian Principals Federation

## Victorian Branch

### Declaration of Results for Uncontested Offices

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.

#### Federal

##### Federal Councillors from the Secondary Sector Representatives (2)

###### Candidates

FINNERTY, David  
KENDALL, Rod

#### Victorian Branch

##### Branch Councillors from the Primary Sector in the North Eastern Victoria Region (2)

###### Candidates

SLOANE, Ian  
No further nomination was accepted

##### Branch Councillors from the Primary Sector in the North Western Victoria Region (2)

###### Candidates

PIAZZA, Loretta  
SCOBIE, John

##### Branch Councillors from the Secondary Sector in the North Eastern Victoria Region (2)

###### Candidates

HANDLEY, John  
ROGERS, Phil



**Branch Councillors from the Secondary Sector in the South Eastern Victoria Region (2)**

Candidates

MOIR, Mark  
PODBURY, Julie

**Branch Councillors from the Secondary Sector in the North Western Victoria Region (2)**

Candidates

EELES, Chris  
No further nomination was accepted

**Branch Councillor from the Comprehensive Sector in the North Eastern Victoria Region**

Candidates

No nomination was received

**Branch Councillor from the Comprehensive Sector in the South Eastern Victoria Region**

Candidates

MOONEY, John Nimon

**Branch Councillor from the Comprehensive Sector in the North Western Victoria Region**

Candidates

HOMMELHOFF, Julie

**Branch Councillor from the Comprehensive Sector in the South Western Victoria Region**

Candidates

KEARNEY, Peter Kenneth

**Branch Councillor from the Statewide Sector in the Statewide Comprehensive Sector**

Candidates

No nomination was received

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



Michael Pryor  
Returning Officer

29 October 2013

Mr Christopher Cotching  
President, Victorian Branch  
Australian Principals Federation  
Unit 2/13-21 Vale Street  
NORTH MELBOURNE VIC 3051

**Post Election Report For: Australian Principals Federation  
Election E2013/211**

I refer to the above election for your organisation.

Section 197(1) of Schedule 1 of the Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Act 2009 requires the AEC to provide a written report on the conduct of the election to the Fair Work Commission 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 of Schedule 1 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.

Laura Leavy  
Returning Officer

27 November 2013

Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Act 2009

**POST ELECTION REPORT**

**Australian Principals Federation**

**ELECTION/S COVERED IN THIS REPORT**

Election Decision No/s: E2013/211

**RULES**

Rules used for the election: [300V: Incorporates alterations of 03/09/2007]  
[R2007/307]

Rules difficult to apply/interpret: None  
(replaces rule book dated 30 January 2006)

Model Rule reference (if any): N/A

**ROLL OF VOTERS**

Total number of voters on the Roll: Stage 1 - 737  
Stages 2 & 3 - Ballot not required

Number of apparent workplace addresses: Various, however appropriate given the nature  
of the organization.

Number of non-current addresses: Nil

Other matters pertaining to the roll of voters: Nil

**IRREGULARITIES**

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

Other irregularities identified, and action taken: Nil

**ATTACHMENTS**

Declaration stage 1 br council vic  
Declaration stage 1 br council statewide primary  
Declaration stage 1 br council statewide secondary  
Declaration stage 1 br council sw vic primary  
Declaration stage 1 br council sw vic secondary  
Declaration stage 1 fed council primary  
Declaration stage 1 uncontested  
Stage 2 – Declaration  
Stage 3 - Declaration

Laura Leavy  
Returning Officer  
27 November 2013

# Australian Principals Federation WA Branch Part 1

## Declaration of Results for Uncontested Offices

**E2013/211**

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.

### Western Australian Branch

#### Federal Councillors - Primary Sector Representative (2)

Candidates

RIPP, Bevan  
STRICKLAND, Noel James

#### Federal Councillors - Secondary Sector Representative

Candidates

BAMFORD, Ronald

### Branch Councillors

#### Branch Councillor from the Primary Sector (4)

Candidates

RIPP, Bevan  
STRICKLAND, Noel James  
No further nominations were accepted

#### Branch Councillor from the Secondary Sector (4)

Candidates

BAMFORD, Ronald  
No further nominations were accepted

#### Branch Councillor from the District High School Sector (4)

Candidates

DE RUITER, Edward  
GEILES, Trevlyn  
LISTER, Adrian

No further nomination was accepted

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

Margret Mitchell  
Returning Officer

1 October 2013

# Australian Principals Federation Branch Executive Part 2

## Declaration of Results for Uncontested Offices

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

#### Branch President

##### Candidates

BAMFORD, Ronald

#### Branch Vice President

##### Candidates

LISTER, Adrian Bernard

#### Branch Treasurer

##### Candidates

RIPP, Bevan

#### Branch Executive Member (Primary Sector)

##### Candidates

STRICKLAND, Noel James

#### Branch Executive Member (Secondary Sector)

##### Candidates

No nomination was received

#### Branch Executive Member (District High)

Candidates

DE RUITER, Edward

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

Margret Mitchell  
Returning Officer

31 October 2013



Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Act 2009

**POST ELECTION REPORT**

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**ELECTION/S COVERED IN THIS REPORT**

Election Decision No/s: E2013/211

**RULES**

[300V: Incorporates alterations of 03/09/2007] [R2007/307]  
(replaces rule book dated 30 January 2006)

Model Rule reference (if any): N/A

**ROLL OF VOTERS**

The roll was supplied by the Australian Principals Federation. There were no contested offices, the Roll of Voters was required to send nomination forms and election notices to all members.

**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 Uncontested Offices

Margret Mitchell  
Returning Officer  
31 October 2013



## DECISION

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

### **Australian Principals Federation** (E2013/211)

CHRIS ENRIGHT

MELBOURNE, 15 JULY 2013

*Arrangement for conduct of election.*

[1] On 26 June 2013 the Australian Principals Federation lodged with the Fair Work Commission the prescribed information in relation to an election for the following offices:

- Federal President
- Federal Senior Vice President
- Federal Junior Vice President
- Federal Treasurer

#### **Victorian Branch**

Federal Councillors comprising:

- Primary Sector Representative (2)
- Secondary Sector Representative (2)

Branch Executive comprising:

- Branch President
- Branch Vice President
- Branch Treasurer
- Branch Executive Member (Primary Sector)
- Branch Executive Member (Secondary Sector)
- Branch Executive Member (Comprehensive Sector)

Branch Councillors comprising:

- Primary Sector Representatives from the following regions:
  - North Eastern Victoria Region (2)
  - South Eastern Victoria Region (2)
  - North Western Victoria Region (2)
  - South Western Victoria Region (2)
- Secondary Sector Representatives from the following regions:
  - North Eastern Victoria Region (2)
  - South Eastern Victoria Region (2)
  - North Western Victoria Region (2)
  - South Western Victoria Region (2)

Comprehensive Sector Representatives from the following regions:

- North Eastern Victoria Region
- South Eastern Victoria Region
- North Western Victoria Region
- South Western Victoria Region

Statewide Sector Representatives from the following Sectors:

- Statewide Primary Sector
- Statewide Secondary Sector
- Statewide Comprehensive Sector

### **WA Branch**

Federal Councillors comprising:

- Primary Sector Representative (2)
- Secondary Sector Representative

Branch Executive comprising:

- Branch President
- Branch Vice President
- Branch Treasurer
- Branch Executive Member (Primary Sector)
- Branch Executive Member (Secondary Sector)
- Branch Executive Member (Comprehensive Sector)

Branch Councillors comprising:

- Primary Sector Representatives (4)
- Secondary Sector Representatives (4)
- District High School Sector Representatives (4)

[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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26<sup>th</sup> June 2013

Prescribed Information for Election – (Sec 189 (1)) – *Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Act 2009*

I, Christopher Cotching, President of the Australian Principals Federation (APF), make the following statement:

I am the Federal President of the Australian Principals' Federation and President of the Victoria Branch.

I am authorized to lodge the following prescribed information concerning forthcoming elections of the Australian Principals' Federation.

I confirm that the following information is being lodged under subsection 189 (1) of the Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Act 2009 and Regulation 138 of the Regulations.

Christopher Cotching  
Federal President

President  
Victorian Branch

*Pursuant to Regulation 138 Prescribed Information for Election, Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Regulations 2009, the following is provided:*

### **FEDERAL OFFICE ELECTIONS**

(a) The name of each office or position for which an election is required;

#### **1. Federal Offices**

- Federal President 1 position
- Federal Senior Vice President 1 position
- Federal Junior Vice President 1 position
- Federal Treasurer 1 position

#### **2. Federal Council**

Federal Councillor – Victorian Branch 4 positions

Comprising:

- Primary Sector Representative 2 positions
- Secondary Sector Representative 2 positions  
(Incorporating one representative per each 500 members)

Federal Councillor – West Australian Branch	3 positions
Comprising:	
Primary Sector Representative	2 positions
Secondary Sector Representative	1 position

(b) The reason for the election is that:

(i) The term of the office or position has expired or is due to expire in the normal course of events;

(c) If more than one of the offices or positions for which an election is required has the same name, and the number of offices or positions can, under the rules of the relevant organization or branch, be determined before the prescribed day – the number of those offices or positions;

This is addressed and detailed above.

(d) If the electorate comprises only members of a branch, section or other division of an organization – the name of the branch, section or division;

**The Federal Councillors from Victoria** are elected by secret ballot by and from financial members of the Victorian Branch. (Rules 17 and 21 (b)(i))

**The Federal Councillors from Western Australia** shall be elected by secret ballot by and from the financial members of the Western Australian Branch. (Rules 17 and 21 (b)(ii))

**The Federal Offices** of Federal President, Federal Senior Vice President, Federal Junior Vice President and Federal Treasurer are elected by and from the members of the Federal Electoral College constituted under Rule 20A and who are eligible to hold such office by secret ballot within one month of its election. (Rule 15 and 21A(b)).

Rule 15 provides that the Federal President and Federal Junior Vice President shall come from the opposite sector to the Federal Senior Vice President and Federal Treasurer and that at least one member of the Federal Executive, which is comprised of the Federal Officers, shall be from Western Australia.

(e) The date and time of the beginning and end of the period in which nominations of candidates will be called for or may be made under the rules of the organization or branch in relation to the election;

These are to be the following:

26 <sup>th</sup> August 2013	Call for nominations by 5.00pm
16th September 2013	Nominations close by 5.00pm
7 <sup>th</sup> October 2013	Ballot opens
28 <sup>th</sup> October 2013	Ballot closes
22 <sup>nd</sup> November 2013	Election of Federal President, Federal Senior Vice President, Federal Junior Vice President and Federal Treasurer by Federal Electoral College

(f) The day provided for in the rules of the organization as the day on which the roll of voters is to be closed;

20th August 2013	Closure of electoral roll by 5.00pm (Rule 21 (e) (xv))
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- (g) The kind of voting system to be used in the conduct of the election is:
- (i) A direct voting system
  - (ii) A collegial voting system for the Federal Officers by and from the Federal Electoral College
- (2) The prescribed information lodged by an organization or branch under subsection 189 (1) of the Act must contain a statement, signed by an officer of the organization or branch who is authorized to sign the statement, that the information is lodged under subsection 189 (1) of the Act.

This is addressed and provided above.

## VICTORIAN BRANCH ELECTIONS

- (h) The name of each office or position for which an election is required;

### 1. Victorian Branch Offices/Branch Executive Positions

- Branch President 1 position
- Branch Vice President 1 position
- Branch Treasurer 1 position
- Branch Executive Member from the Primary Sector 1 position
- Branch Executive Member from the Secondary Sector 1 position
- Branch Executive Member from the Comprehensive Sector 1 position

### 2. Victorian Branch Council

#### Twenty-three Councilors as follows:

Primary Sector Representatives for the APF Victorian Branch Council from the following regions:

- North Eastern Victoria Region 2 positions
- South Eastern Victoria Region 2 positions
- North Western Victoria Region 2 positions
- South Western Victoria Region 2 positions

Secondary Sector Representatives for the APF Victorian Branch Council from the following regions:

- North Eastern Victoria Region 2 positions
- South Eastern Victoria Region 2 positions
- North Western Victoria Region 2 positions
- South Western Victoria Region 2 positions

Comprehensive Sector Representatives for the APF Victorian Branch Council from the following regions:

- North Eastern Victoria Region 1 position
- South Eastern Victoria Region 1 position
- North Western Victoria Region 1 position
- South Western Victoria Region 1 position

Statewide Sector Representatives for the APF Victorian Branch Council from the following Sectors:

- Statewide Primary Sector Representative 1 position
- Statewide Secondary Sector Representative 1 position
- Statewide Comprehensive Sector Representative 1 position

- (i) The reason for the election is that:
- (ii) The terms of the offices and existing Branch Executive and Branch Councilor positions are due to expire in the normal course of events;

- (ii) The Branch Council has resolved in accordance with Rules 6(e), 47(8)(b) and 47(14)(f) as to the number of Branch Councillors, the Sectors and Geographic Regions to apply and the allocation of members to sectors and for Branch Executive membership from the Comprehensive sector.
- (j) If more than one of the offices or positions for which an election is required has the same name, and the number of offices or positions can, under the rules of the relevant organization or branch, be determined before the prescribed day – the number of those offices or positions;

This is addressed and detailed above.

- (k) If the electorate comprises only members of a branch, section or other division of an organization – the name of the branch, section or division;

#### **Victorian Branch Offices/ Branch Executive Positions**

The offices of Branch President, Branch Vice President and Branch Treasurer and the positions of Branch Executive Members from each of the Primary, Secondary and Comprehensive Sectors are elected by the members of the Branch Electoral College eligible to hold such office or position by secret ballot within one month of its election pursuant to the Rule 47(15). The Branch Executive is to comprise:

Branch President  
Branch Vice President  
Branch Treasurer  
Branch Executive member from the Primary Sector  
Branch Executive member from the Secondary Sector  
Branch Executive member from the Comprehensive Sector

#### **Victorian Branch Councillor Positions - Sector and Regional Representatives**

The Branch Council Primary Sector Representatives from each Region are to be elected by and from the members in that sector from each region.

The Branch Council Secondary Sector Representatives from each Region are to be elected by and from the members in that sector from each region.

The Branch Council Comprehensive Sector Representative from each region is to be elected by and from the members in that sector from each region.

The Victorian Statewide Branch Council Representative from each Sector is to be elected by and from the members in that sector.

- (l) The date and time of the beginning and end of the period in which nominations of candidates will be called for or may be made under the rules of the organization or branch in relation to the election;

In respect of the Victorian Branch Council elections these are to be the following in accordance with Rule 47(10) (h):

26 <sup>th</sup> August 2013	Call for nominations by 5.00pm
16 <sup>th</sup> September 2013	Nominations close by 5.00pm
7 <sup>th</sup> October 2013	Ballot opens
28 <sup>th</sup> October 2013	Ballot closes

In respect of the Victorian Branch Offices and Branch Executive Positions as follows under Rule 47(15)

22<sup>nd</sup> November 2013      Election of President, Vice President, Treasurer and Branch Executive  
by Branch Electoral College

- (m) The day provided for in the rules of the organization as the day on which the roll of voters is to be closed;

20th August 2013                      Closure of electoral roll by 5.00pm (Rule 47 (10) (h) (xv))

- (n) The kind of voting system to be used in the conduct of the election is:

- (j)      A direct voting system
- (ii)     A Collegial Voting system for the Branch Offices and Branch Executive Positions.

- (2)      The prescribed information lodged by an organization or branch under subsection 189 (1) of the Act must contain a statement, signed by an officer of the organization or branch who is authorized to sign the statement, that the information is lodged under subsection 189 (1) of the Act.

This is addressed and provided above.





*Australian Principals Federation*

26th June, 2013

Prescribed Information for Election – (Sec 189 (1)) – *Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Act 2009*.

I, Ronald Bamford, President of the Australian Principals' Federation (Western Australia Branch) make the following statement:

I am authorised to lodge the following prescribed information concerning a forthcoming election of the Australian Principals' Federation Western Australian Branch.

I confirm that the following information is being lodged under subsection 189 (1) of the Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Act 2009 and Regulation 138 of the Regulations.

President  
WA Branch

*Pursuant to Regulation 138 Prescribed Information for Election, Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Regulations 2009, the following is provided:*

### **APF WA BRANCH ELECTIONS**

(a) The name of each office or position for which an election is required;

#### **1. WA Branch Offices/Branch Executive Positions**

- Branch President 1 position
- Branch Vice President 1 position
- Branch Treasurer 1 position
- Branch Executive Member from the Primary Sector 1 position
- Branch Executive Member from the Secondary Sector 1 position
- Branch Executive Member from the District High School Sector 1 position

#### **2. WA Branch Council**

Twelve members as follows:

Primary Sector Representatives for the APF WA Branch Council as follows:

- Statewide 4 positions

Secondary Sector Representatives for the APF WA Branch Council as follows:

- Statewide 4 positions

District High School Sector Representatives for the APF WA Branch Council as follows:

- Statewide 4 positions
- (b) The reason for the election is that:
- (i) The term of the office or position has expired or is due to expire in the normal course of events;
- (c) If more than one of the offices or positions for which an election is required has the same name, and the number of offices or positions can, under the rules of the relevant organization or branch, be determined before the prescribed day – the number of those offices or positions;

This is addressed and detailed above.

- (d) If the electorate comprises only members of a branch, section or other division of an organization – the name of the branch, section or division;

**WA Branch Offices/Branch Executive positions:**

The offices of Branch President, Branch Vice President and Branch Treasurer and the positions of Branch Executive Members from the Primary, Secondary and District High School Sectors are elected by the members of the Branch Electoral College eligible to hold such office or position by secret ballot within one month of its election pursuant to the Rule 47(15). The Branch Executive is to comprise:

Branch President  
Branch Vice President  
Branch Treasurer  
Branch Executive member from the Primary Sector  
Branch Executive member from the Secondary Sector  
Branch Executive member from the District High School Sector

The Branch Vice president shall be drawn from a different sector to that from which the Branch President is drawn.

**WA Branch Councillor Positions - Sector Representatives**

The Branch Council Primary Sector Representatives are to be elected by and from the members in that sector.

The Branch Council Secondary Sector Representatives are to be elected by and from the members in that sector.

The Branch Council District High School Sector Representative is to be elected by and from the members in that sector.

- (e) The date and time of the beginning and end of the period in which nominations of candidates will be called for or may be made under the rules of the organization or branch in relation to the election;

In respect of the WA Branch Council elections these are to be the following in accordance with Rule 47(10) (h):

26<sup>th</sup> August 2013                      Call for nominations by 5.00pm

16<sup>th</sup> September 2013                  Nominations close by 5.00pm

7<sup>th</sup> October 2013                      Ballot opens

28<sup>th</sup> October 2013                    Ballot closes

In respect of the WA Branch Offices and Branch Executive Positions as follows under Rule 47(15)

22<sup>nd</sup> November 2013                  Election of Branch President, Branch Vice President, Branch Treasurer and Branch Executive by Branch Electoral College

- (f) The day provided for in the rules of the organization as the day on which the roll of voters is to be closed;

20<sup>th</sup> August 2013                      Closure of electoral roll by 5.00pm (Rule 47 (10) (h) (xv))

- (g) The kind of voting system to be used in the conduct of the election is:

- (i) A direct voting system
- (ii) A Collegial Voting system for the Branch Offices and Branch Executive Positions.

- (2) The prescribed information lodged by an organization or branch under subsection 189 (1) of the Act must contain a statement, signed by an officer of the organization or branch who is authorized to sign the statement, that the information is lodged under subsection 189 (1) of the Act.

This is addressed and provided above.