

Workplace Relations Act 1996
s.189 RAO Schedule - arrangement for conduct of an election

Australian Salaried Medical Officers Federation
(E2009/177)

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DEPUTY INDUSTRIAL REGISTRAR

MELBOURNE
24 JUNE 2009

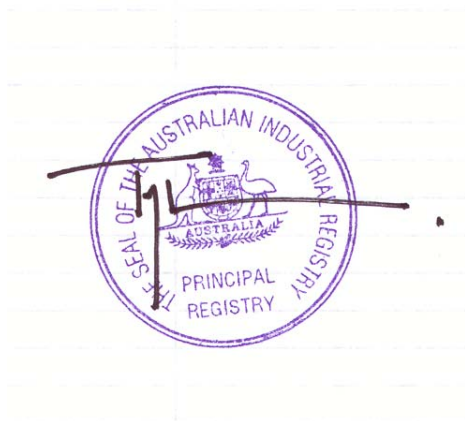
Arrangement for conduct of election.

DECISION

[1] On 23 June 2009, the Commonwealth Branch of the Australian Salaried Medical Officers Federation lodged in the Industrial Registry the prescribed information in relation to an election to fill casual vacancies, for the remainder of the term of office, in the following offices:

Branch President
Branch Vice-President
Branch Secretary
Branch Assistant Secretary/Treasurer

[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 Schedule 1 of the *Workplace Relations Act 1996*, I am making arrangements for the conduct of the election by the Australian Electoral Commission.



Australian Salaried Medical Officers Federation

Casual Vacancy Election Commonwealth Branch

DECLARATION OF RESULTS FOR UNCONTESTED AND CONTESTED OFFICES

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.

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Commonwealth Branch

Total number of persons on the roll of voters	234
Ballot papers issued	234
Duplicate ballot papers issued	0
TOTAL BALLOT PAPERS ISSUED	234
Ballot papers / envelopes returned for scrutiny	42
Less ballot papers / envelopes rejected at preliminary	0
Adjusting Balance	0
TOTAL BALLOT PAPERS ADMITTED TO SCRUTINY	42
Percentage of ballot papers returned to number issued	17%
Ballot papers returned as unclaimed mail	26
Ballot papers not returned	166

Branch Secretary

<u>Candidates</u>	<u>Votes</u>
BARTON, David	14
CHAPMAN, David	28
Exhausted Votes	0
Loss/Gain by Fraction	0
Total votes	42
Formal ballot papers	42
Informal ballot papers	0

I declare David Chapman elected.

Branch President

Candidate
HIBBINS, Guy

I declare Guy Hibbins elected.

Branch Vice-President

Candidate
No nomination was received
No candidates elected.

Branch Assistant Secretary/Treasurer

Candidate
No nomination was received
No candidates elected.

Noopur Madan
Returning Officer
Australian Electoral Commission
24 August 2009



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23 June 2009

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By e-mail: Iain.Stewart@airc.gov.au

Dear Industrial Registrar

ELECTION FOR OFFICERS IN THE COMMONWEALTH BRANCH OF THE AUSTRALIAN SALARIED MEDICAL OFFICERS' FEDERATION

I apply for an election to be conducted by the Australian Electoral Commission for the positions of Branch President, Branch Vice-President, Branch Secretary and Branch Assistant Secretary/Treasurer of the Commonwealth Branch Council of the Australian Salaried Medical Officers' Federation ('ASMOF') to fill the positions left vacant at the last election held on 14 April 2009. In accordance with subsection 189(1) of Schedule 1 – Registration and Accountability of Organisations of the *Workplace Relations Act 1996* and Regulation 138 of the *Workplace Relations (Registration and Accountability of Organisations) Regulations 2003*, the following prescribed information is provided:

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

- Branch President
- Branch Vice-President
- Branch Secretary
- Branch Assistant Secretary/Treasurer

b) The reason for the election being:

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The office or position was not filled at the previous election.

Lodged herewith and marked 'Annexure A' to this application is a copy of the Declaration of Results for the Commonwealth Branch Council dated 14 April 2009 and issued by the Australian Electoral Commission.

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 offices or positions:

- Branch President (1 position)
- Branch Vice-President (1 position)
- Branch Secretary (1 position)
- Branch Assistant Secretary/Treasurer (1 position)

d) Where the electorate comprises only members of a branch, section or other division of an organization – the name of that branch, section, division, as the case may be:

The Commonwealth Branch of ASMOF.

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 organisation or branch in relation to the election:

Sub rule 64(7) of ASMOF's rules provides that a ballot held to fill a vacancy due to insufficient nominations being received at the last election must be held within six (6) months of the vacancy arising. The vacancies occurred on 14 April 2009. The rules do not specify precise dates or timelines regarding such an election. Sub rule 64(7) of ASMOF's rules also provides that such an election shall be in accordance with Rule 64 of ASMOF's rules.

Our preferred dates are that the **nominations should open on 29 June 2009 and close at 5.00 PM on 19 July 2009**, a period of 21 days. This is consistent with the time period provided by sub rule 64(1) of ASMOF's rules which

provides that elections, other than for vacancies, shall be held on 1 March and close on 22 March, a period of 21 days.

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

The roll of voters is to be closed on the seventh day before the day on which nominations for the election open (rule 63A of ASMOF's rules).

- g) The voting system to be employed in the conduct of the election:**

A direct, preferential voting system where a branch's members elect its branch council (rule 64 of ASMOF's rules).

The information contained in this application and Annexure A to this application is lodged in accordance with subsection 189(1) of Schedule 1 - Registration and Accountability of Organisations of the *Workplace Relations Act 1996*. I am authorised by the ASMOF rules to make this statement.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Tony Sara', with a horizontal line underneath.

Dr Tony Sara
Federal Vice-President (ASMOF)

Annexure 'A'

**Australian Salaried Medical Officers Federation
Commonwealth Branch Elections 2009**

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.

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Commonwealth Branch

Branch President

No nomination was received

Branch Vice-President

No nomination was received

Branch Secretary

No nomination was received

Branch Assistant Secretary/Treasurer

No nomination was received

Branch Councillors (2)

Candidates

CHAPMAN, David
HIBBINS, Guy

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

NOOPUR MADAN
Returning Officer

14 April 2009