Post-election report

Australian Trainers' Association Scheduled election E2019/52



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Election(s) Covered in this Report

Organisation: Australian Trainers' Association

Election: Scheduled

Election Decision No/s: E2019/52

Rules

Rules used for the election: [245V: Incorporates alterations of 22/10/2014] [R2013/77]

(replaces 27/5/2005 version)

Rules difficult to apply/interpret: None

Model Rule reference (if any): N/A

For more details see the Model Rules on the AEC website:

(https://www.aec.gov.au/About AEC/AEC Services/Industrial Elections)

Roll of Voters

As there were no contested offices, no Roll of Voters was required.

Irregularities

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

Other irregularities identified, and action taken: N/A

Other Matters

Returning Officer actions required (Section 193): No

Details: N/A

Signed

Allison Valentine Returning Officer

Australian Electoral Commission

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13 November 2019

B. Declaration of Results for Uncontested Offices - Stage 2

Australian Trainers' Association

DECLARATION OF RESULTS - E2019/52 - Stage 2 Uncontested Offices

Scheduled Election

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 are:

South Australia

President (1)

Candidates

JOLLY Richard

Vice-President (1)

Candidates

RICHARDS Gordon

Secretary (1)

Candidates

BIEG Chris

Victoria

President (1)

Candidates

GRIFFITHS Robbie

Vice-President (1)

Candidates

CORSTENS Troy

Secretary (1)

Candidates

CAREY Patrick

Western Australia

President (1)

Candidates

WEBSTER Colin

Vice-President (1)

Candidates

PARNHAM Neville

Secretary (1)

Candidates

PIKE Jeff

Tasmania

President (1)

Candidates

SCHUURING Nigel Edward

Vice-President (1)

Candidates

DALCO Marion

Secretary (1)

Candidates

HANSON Tanya Grace

Queensland

President (1)

Candidates

DUFF Pat

Vice-President (1)

Candidates

SCHWEIDA Kelly

Secretary (1)

Candidates

ROSS Les

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

Allison Valentine Returning Officer

09/10/2019





6 November 2019

Pat Duff
President
Australian Trainers' Association-Queensland Branch
Sent via email: ata@austrainers.com.au

Dear Pat Duff,

Reminder of actions required when persons elected to office

The Australian Electoral Commission has provided the Registered Organisations Commission (the ROC) a declaration of results for the election of uncontested offices in matter E2019/52. This letter is a reminder of certain obligations imposed on organisations and on persons elected to office.

A notice must be published on the organisation's website

The organisation or branch must, as soon as practicable after receiving the post-election report, publish on its website a notice that a copy of the report is available from the organisation, branch or the AEC on request. The notice must be kept on the website for a period of at least 3 months (see regulation 141 of the Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Regulations 2009).

Holders of office required to undertake approved training

Section 293K of the Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Act 2009 (the RO Act) requires each officer with financial management duties to undertake approved training that covers those duties within 6 months after the person begins to hold office. Please ensure that relevant officers undertake approved training within the required timeframe. Please also ensure that all new holders of office are advised of their obligations to make disclosures regarding remuneration, non-cash benefits and material personal interests, the details of which are provided for in the RO Act.

Organisation must notify the Commission of changes

Also, section 233(2) of the RO Act requires that an organisation must notify the Commission within 35 days of any changes to the holders of office in the organisation. If there are no changes a notification is not required. If the election has resulted in any changes to the holders of office, the Australian Trainers' Association-Queensland Branch must notify the Commission of these changes. In particular, please advise:

- 1. Person(s) who have ceased to hold office:
 - the name of the office vacated:
 - the date of the change of office holder; and
 - the name of the person vacating the office.
- 2. Person(s) who have commenced to hold office:
 - the name of the office now held;
 - the date of the change of office holder;
 - the name of the person now holding the office:
 - the postal address of the person (generally the postal address of the organisation); and

the occupation of the person now holding the office.

The notification must include a declaration by the Secretary (or other prescribed officer) that the information is a correct statement of the changes made. A template notification of changes, which may assist you, is attached. If any change does not apply until a date in the future, you do not need to notify until then (e.g. AGM, 1 January, 2nd Monday in March). If you have already lodged this information, please disregard this reminder.

Yours faithfully,

Christine Hibberd Registered Organisations Commission

Australian Trainers' Association DECLARATION OF RESULTS - E2019/52 - Stage 3 Uncontested Offices

Scheduled Election

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 are:

Federal

President (1)

<u>Candidates</u> GRIFFITHS Robbie

Vice-President (2)

<u>Candidates</u> JOLLY Richard

No further nominations accepted

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

Allison Valentine Returning Officer

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01/11/2019





18 July 2019

Christopher Munce
President
Australian Trainers' Association-Queensland Branch
Sent via email: ata@austrainers.com.au

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Australian Trainers' Association DECLARATION OF RESULTS - E2019/52 - Stage 1 Uncontested Offices

Scheduled Election

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 are:

South Australia

Committee Members (5)

Candidates

BIEG Chris

RICHARDS Gordon

THEODORE Stephen

Executive Officers (1)

Candidates

SEARLE Gary

Victoria

Committee Members (5)

Candidates

CORSTENS Troy

FLIEDNER Shane

KELLY Wendy

O'SULLIVAN Dan

WILDE Bill

Executive Officers (1)

Candidates

CAREY Pat

Western Australia

Committee Members (5)

Candidates

HARVEY Todd

PARNHAM Neville

PIKE Jeff

Executive Officers (1)

Candidates

WEBSTER Colin Harvey

Tasmania

Committee Members (5)

Candidates

DALCO Marion

HANSON Tanya

THOMPSON Cameron

Executive Officers (1)

Candidates

MCCULLOCH Graeme

Queensland

Committee Members (5)

Candidates

BALDWIN Barry

KEMP Kevin

MURDOCH Jim

ROSS Leslie Gordon

SCHWEIDA Kelly

Executive Officers (1)

Candidates

MUNCE Christopher

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

Allison Valentine Returning Officer

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17/07/2019





DECISION

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

Australian Trainers' Association

(E2019/52)

MR ENRIGHT

Federal

MELBOURNE, 20 MAY 2019

Arrangement for conduct of election.

[1] On 21 March 2019 the Australian Trainers' Association lodged with the Registered Organisations Commission prescribed information for an election to fill the following offices:

Executive Officers (5) President (1) Vice-President (2) **State Branches** South Australia Committee Members (5) President (1) Vice-President (1) Secretary (1) <u>Victoria</u> Committee Members (5) President (1) Vice-President (1) Secretary (1) Western Australia Committee Members (5) President (1) Vice-President (1) Secretary (1)

<u>Tasmania</u>

Committee Members	(5)
President	(1)
Vice-President	(1)
Secretary	(1)

Queensland

Committee Members	(5)
President	(1)
Vice-President	(1)
Secretary	(1)

[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 COMMISSIONER

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21 March 2019

Registered Organisations Commission GPO Box 2983 MELBOURNE VIC 3001

Via Email: regorgs@roc.gov.au

RE: Australian Trainers' Association Notification of Elections

I, Robbie Griffiths, President of the Australian Trainers' Association (ATA), make the following statement.

I am authorised to lodge the following prescribed information concerning forthcoming elections in the branches of the ATA.

I confirm the following information is being lodged as required under the Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Act 2009 (s.189).

Yours faithfully,

ROBBIÉ GRIFFITHS

President





Elections required under the rules of the organisation

Elections are required in respect of the following office(s).

<u>Federal</u>		Date Commence	Date Close		
i) ii) iii)	President Vice Presidents (2) 5 Executive Officers *	01/11/2019 01/11/2019 01/07/2019	01/11/2019 01/11/2019 12/07/2019		
* One (1) from each State except NSW					
State Br	<u>anches</u>				
South Australia					
i) ii) iii) iv)	President Vice President Secretary 5 members of Committee	24/09/2019 24/09/2019 24/09/2019 01/07/2019	24/09/2019 24/09/2019 24/09/2019 12/07/2019		
Victoria					
i) ii) iii) v)	President Vice President Secretary 5 Members of Committee	01/10/2019 01/10/2019 01/10/2019 01/07/2019	01/10/2019 01/10/2019 01/10/2019 12/07/2019		
Western Australia					
i) ii) iii) vi)	President Vice President Secretary 5 Members of Committee	20/09/2019 20/09/2019 20/09/2019 01/07/2019	20/09/2019 20/09/2019 20/09/2019 12/07/2019		
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i) ii) iii) vii)	President Vice President Secretary 5 Members of Committee	18/09/2019 18/09/2019 18/09/2019 01/07/2019	18/09/2019 18/09/2019 18/09/2019 12/07/2019		

New South Wales

No elections required





Queensland

i)	President	21/10/2019	21/10/2019
ii)	Vice President	21/10/2019	21/10/2019
iii)	Secretary	21/10/2019	21/10/2019
viii)	5 Members of Committee	01/07/2019	12/07/2019

- a) The reason for all the elections being held are due to the expiration of the term of office.
- b) The electorate for these elections consists of the financial members of this Association (ATA) in the relevant state in which they reside.
- c) The voting system to be used in these elections is

<u>Federal</u>

President and Vice Presidents (2): collegiate

Executive - Direct Voting System

State Branches

Branch Committee members – Direct Voting System President, Vice President and Secretary – Collegiate

d) The day provided for in the rules of the organisation as the day on which the roll of voters is to be closed, is as follows:

<u>Federal</u>

President and Vice Presidents (2): 7 days before the day on which nominations open per rule 12(d)

Executive - to be determined by the Returning officer

State Branches

Branch Committee members – 7 days before the day on which nominations open per rule 34(d)

President, Vice President and Secretary – to be determined by the Returning officer



