



# Fair Work Australia

23 June 2011

Mr Dean Mighell  
Divisional Branch Secretary  
Victorian Divisional Branch  
Electrical, Energy and Services Division  
Communications, Electrical, Electronic, Energy, Information,  
Postal, Plumbing and Allied Services Union of Australia  
PO BOX 432  
NORTH MELBOURNE VIC 3051

Dear Mr Mighell

**Re: Arrangements for the conduct of an Election  
(E2011/2600)**

A copy of the decision in relation to the above matter is enclosed.

Fair Work Australia is making arrangements under subsection 189(3) of the *Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Act 2009* with the Electoral Commissioner, for the conduct of the subject election by a member of staff of the Australian Electoral Commission, who will contact you in the near future about the election.

Yours sincerely

Carolyn Moloney  
Fair Work Australia



FAIR WORK  
AUSTRALIA

## DECISION

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

**Communications, Electrical, Electronic, Energy, Information, Postal, Plumbing and Allied Services Union of Australia**  
(E2011/2600)

T. NASSIOS

MELBOURNE, 23 JUNE 2011

*Arrangement for conduct of election.*

[1] On 20 June 2011 the Victorian Divisional Branch of the Electrical, Energy and Services Division of the Communications, Electrical, Electronic, Energy, Information, Postal, Plumbing and Allied Services Union of Australia lodged with Fair Work Australia the prescribed information in relation to an election for the following offices:

### DIVISIONAL COUNCIL

Divisional Branch Delegates to Divisional Council from:

Victorian Divisional Branch (4)

### VICTORIAN DIVISIONAL BRANCH

Divisional Branch President / National Councillor (1)  
Divisional Branch Secretary / National Councillor (1)  
Divisional Branch Assistant Secretaries (2)

Divisional State Councillors from the following sections:

Manufacturing Industry (1)  
General Trades and Maintenance (7)  
Power Industry (Supply) (4)  
Electrical Contracting Industry (20)

Delegates to Divisional Branch Conference from the following Sub-Branches:

Eastern District Sub-Branch (4)  
Geelong Western District Sub-Branch (5)  
Greater Melbourne District Sub-Branch (8)  
Central Northern District Sub-Branch (3)

[2] On 23 June 2011, the Victorian Divisional Branch of the Electrical, Energy and Services Division of the abovenamed organisation also lodged a request under section 187 of the *Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Act 2009* to conduct an election for the following non-office positions:

### VICTORIAN DIVISIONAL BRANCH

Divisional Branch Organisers (13)

#### Eastern District Sub-Branch

Sub-Branch President (1)  
 Sub-Branch Vice President (1)  
 Sub-Branch Secretary (1)

#### Geelong Western District Sub-Branch

Sub-Branch President (1)  
 Sub-Branch Vice President (1)  
 Sub-Branch Secretary (1)

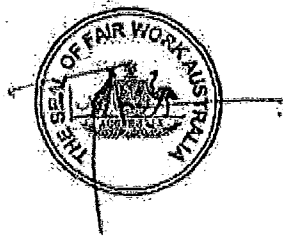
#### Greater Melbourne District Sub-Branch

Sub-Branch President (1)  
 Sub-Branch Vice President (1)  
 Sub-Branch Secretary (1)

#### Central Northern District Sub-Branch

Sub-Branch President (1)  
 Sub-Branch Vice President (1)  
 Sub-Branch Secretary (1)

[3] I am satisfied that an election for the abovenamed offices and non-office positions 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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**VALE, David**

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**From:** VALE, David  
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**To:** 'Industrial Elections'  
**Subject:** E2011/2600  
**Attachments:** E2011\_2600 ELE VIC Quadrennial\_Signed Decision\_23062011.doc; E2011\_2600\_CEPU ELE\_VIC letter to AEC\_23062011.doc

**Dear AEC**

**Please find a copy of the Decision for the upcoming election of the Victorian Branch of the Electrical, Energy and Services Division of the Communications, Electrical, Electronic, Energy, Information, Postal, Plumbing and Allied Services Union of Australia (E2011/2600).**

**Yours sincerely**

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FAIR WORK  
AUSTRALIA

23 June 2011

Electoral Commissioner Through  
Australian Electoral Officer (industrial.elections@aec.gov.au)

Under subsections 189 of the Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Act 2009, please arrange for the conduct of the following election by the Australian Electoral Commission:

**E No 2011/2600**

**RE: COMMUNICATIONS, ELECTRICAL, ELECTRONIC, ENERGY, INFORMATION,  
POSTAL, PLUMBING AND ALLIED SERVICES UNION OF AUSTRALIA**

Positions:

See Decision

Relevant Information: Scheduled quadrennial election.

Contact: Dean Mighell, Victorian Divisional Branch Secretary, Electrical Energy & Services Division, Communications, Electrical, Electronic, Energy, Information, Postal, Plumbing and Allied Services Union of Australia.

Phone: (03) 8329 0000.

A copy of the decision is enclosed.

I further request that you arrange for this office to be notified that arrangements for the conduct of this election have been made, by email transmission at [industrial.elections@fwa.gov.au](mailto:industrial.elections@fwa.gov.au)

David Vale  
Fair Work Australia

## **MOLONEY, Carolyn**

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**From:** MOLONEY, Carolyn  
**Sent:** Thursday, 23 June 2011 11:22 AM  
**To:** 'industrial.elections@aec.gov.au'  
**Subject:** E2011/2600  
**Attachments:** CEPU E2011\_2600\_s.187 PI lodged\_23062011.pdf; 128V CEPU Electrical\_R2011\_43\_13042011.pdf

Dear AEC

Please find attached further prescribed information under s187 of the *Fair Work Act 2009*, and a copy of the current rulebook for the Victorian Branch of the Electrical, Energy and Services Division of the Communications, Electrical, Electronic, Energy, Information, Postal, Plumbing and Allied Services Union of Australia (E2011/2600) for an upcoming scheduled election.

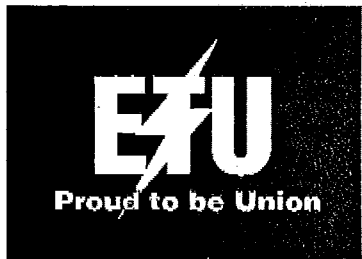
Kind regards,

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By facsimile: (02) 9380 6990

23 June 2011

Dear Mr Vale,

**SECTION 187 REQUEST: NOTICE FOR ELECTION OF NON-OFFICE POSITIONS**

I write in response to your letter to me dated 22 June 2011. I request that an election of non-office positions be conducted, pursuant to section 187 of the Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Act 2009, of the Victorian Branch of the CEPU, Electrical, Energy and Services Division.

Yours faithfully,

**DEAN MIGHELL  
STATE SECRETARY**

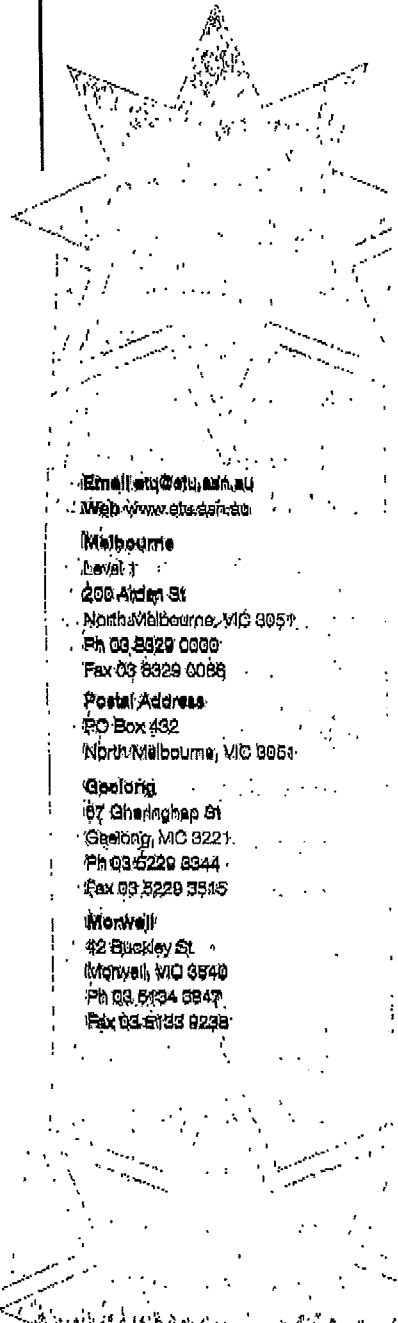
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22 June 2011

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Postal, Plumbing and Allied Services Union of Australia  
PO BOX 432  
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Also by facsimile: (03) 8329 0066

Dear Mr Mighell

**Re: Arrangements for the conduct of an Election  
(E2011/2600)**

I acknowledge receipt of prescribed information lodged with Fair Work Australia on 20 June 2011 for the conduct of an election for the Victorian Branch of the Electrical, Energy and Services Division of the above named organisation.

Before a decision concerning an election can be made, Fair Work Australia requires the following information. Examining the previous quadrennial election, it appears that that the election for Branch Organisers and the Divisional Sub-Branch Presidents, Divisional Sub-Branch Vice Presidents and Divisional Sub-Branch Secretaries for each of the 4 Sub-Branches is for positions rather than offices.

Consequently, could you please provide a written request for an election to be held for those positions in accordance with section 187 of the *Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Act 2009* (the Act). Once it is received, I will forward a copy to the Australian Electoral Commission.

As the scheduled election is due next month and the prescribed information was only lodged this week, I ask you to lodge the amended prescribed information as soon as possible to avoid delaying the conduct of the election in accordance with the rulebook.

If you have any questions relating to this matter please do not hesitate to contact me on (02) 8374 6509.

Yours sincerely

David Vale  
Manager, Organisations - NSW  
Fair Work Australia



**VALE, David**

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**From:** VALE, David  
**Sent:** Monday, 20 June 2011 9:28 AM  
**To:** 'Industrial Elections'  
**Subject:** E2011/2600  
**Attachments:** CEPU E2011\_2600 PI lodged\_20062011.pdf; CEPU Electrical 128V-ELE\_R2011\_43\_13042011.doc

**Dear AEC**

**Please find the prescribed information and a copy of the current rulebook of the Victorian Branch of the Electrical, Energy and Services Division of the Communications, Electrical, Electronic, Energy, Information, Postal, Plumbing and Allied Services Union of Australia (E2011/2600) for an upcoming scheduled election.**

**Yours sincerely**

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E2011/2600

17<sup>th</sup> June 2011



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**Re: Request for an election pursuant to Section 182, 187 & 189 of the Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Act 2009**

Dear Sir,

In July this year the Victorian Branch of the Communications, Electrical, Electronic, Energy, Information, Postal, Plumbing and Allied Services Union of Australia (CEPU), Electrical, Energy & Services Division in accordance with Divisional Rule 15 of the CEPU Electrical, Energy and Services Division Rules is required to conduct our quadrennial elections.

Accordingly, pursuant to the above sections of the Act the Victorian Branch of the CEPU, Electrical, Energy & Services Division requests formally that Fair Work Australia arrange for the Australian Electoral Commission to conduct an election.

I have attached to this correspondence (Attachment A) the prescribed information required by section 189 (1) and regulation 138. I would appreciate your attention to this matter.

Yours faithfully,

**DEAN MIGHELL  
STATE SECRETARY**

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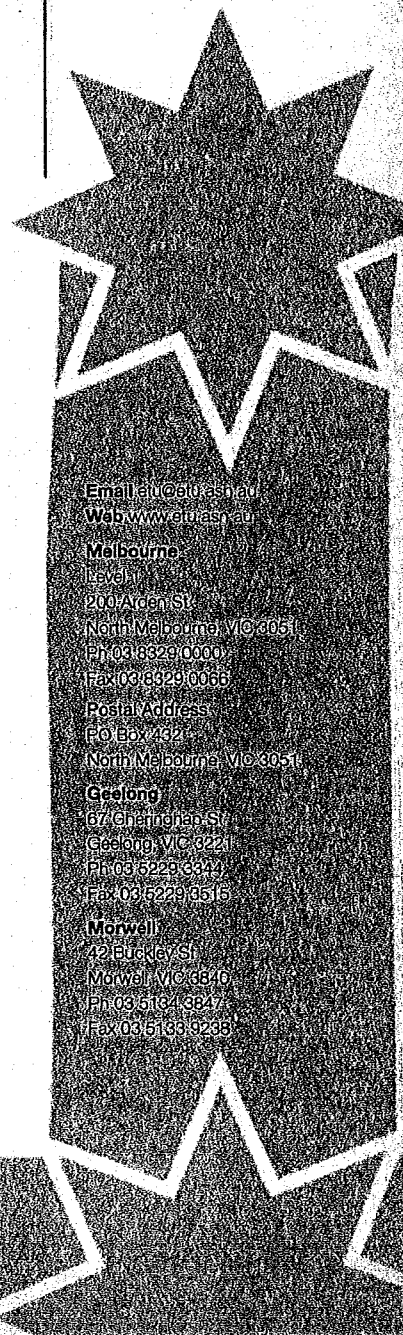
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**The Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Act 2009**  
**prescribed information pursuant to Section 189(1)**

I, Dean Mighell, state that I am the officer authorised to make a statement pursuant to s 189 (1) of *The Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Act 2009* with respect to the election of the Victorian Branch of the Communications, Electrical, Electronic, Energy, Information, Postal, Plumbing and Allied Services Union of Australia (CEPU), Electrical, Energy & Services Division for the 2011 Quadrennial Elections.

The information required by reg. 138 is appended as Attachment A.

Signed:

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read 'Dean Mighell', written over a horizontal line.

Dean Mighell

**The Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Act 2009**  
**prescribed information pursuant to Section 189(1)**

**a. Name of each office or position for which an election is required**

1. Branch Secretary / National Councillor
2. Branch President / National Councillor
3. Assistant Branch Secretary
4. Branch Organiser
5. Delegate to Branch Conference
6. Sub Branch President
7. Sub Branch Vice President
8. Sub Branch Secretary
9. Divisional State Councillor
10. Delegate to Divisional Council

**b. Reason for the election**

Term of office has expired

**c. Offices with the same name and the number of such offices**

1. Branch Secretary / National Councillor (1)
2. Branch President / National Councillor (1)
3. Assistant Branch Secretary (2) - Minute of State Council / Branch Conference attached
4. Branch Organiser (13) – Minute of State Council / Branch Conference attached
5. Delegate to Branch Conference – number to be determined in accordance with rule 11.6.3 (20 in total):

Eastern District	1148 (4)
Geelong Western District	1525 (5)
Greater Melbourne District	11,250 (8)
Central Northern District	943 (3)
6. Sub Branch President (4)
7. Sub Branch Vice President (4)
8. Sub Branch Secretary (4)
9. Divisional State Councillor – number to be determined in accordance with rule 11.7.2 (32 in total)  
Divisional State Councillor:

Employed in Manufacturing	136 (1)
Employed in General Trades and Maintenance	3430 (7)
Employed in Power (Supply)	1883 (4)
Employed in Electrical Contracting	9617 (20)

10. Delegate to Divisional Council in accordance with rule 7.3.2: 12,611 (4 in total)

**d. Electorate**

The positions are to be elected by the following electorates:

**Position**                      **Electorate: All financial members of the Branch**

- |   |                             |
|---|-----------------------------|
| 1. Branch Secretary / National Councillor | Victorian Divisional Branch |
| 2. Branch President / National Councillor | Victorian Divisional Branch |
| 3. Assistant Branch Secretaries           | Victorian Divisional Branch |
| 4. Branch Organiser                       | Victorian Divisional Branch |
| 5. Divisional Councillor                  | Victorian Divisional Branch |

**Position**                      **Electorate: All financial members of the Sub-Branch concerned**

6. Delegate to Branch Conference
7. Sub Branch President
8. Sub Branch Vice President
9. Sub Branch Secretary  
Representing:
  - Eastern District
  - Geelong Western District
  - Greater Melbourne District
  - Central Northern District

**Position**                      **Electorate: All financial members of the Section concerned**

10. Divisional State Councillor
  - Employed in Manufacturing
  - Employed in General Trades and Maintenance)
  - Employed in Power (Supply)
  - Employed in Electrical Contracting

**e. Date of the commencement and expiration of the nomination period**

Nominations open on the 4<sup>th</sup> July 2011 and close on the 11<sup>th</sup> of July 2011

**f. Day provided that roll of voters is to be closed**

Monday 27<sup>th</sup> June 2011

**g. The kind of voting system to be used to conduct the election**

Direct election

**ETU VICTORIAN BRANCH**

**MINUTES OF THE STATE COUNCIL / BRANCH CONFERENCE 2010**

**16 NOVEMBER, 2010 at 8.15am**

**DATE:** 16 November, 2010  
**VENUE:** Electrical Trades Union  
Ground Floor Meeting Rooms  
200 Arden Street  
North Melbourne Vic 3051

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**ATTENDANCE:** P. Swann, D. Mighell, T. Gray, H. Worthing, G. Skerys, S. Bennett, P. Mooney, N. Rich, M. Farrell, S. Riches, D. Butcher, L. Petersen, D. Hayes, A. McCallum, J. Warren, P. Wassell, O. Merhi, M. Montebello, W. Hayes, S. O'Brien, A. Harris, N. Stott, I. Balta, P. McKinnon, G. Arnett, G. Watson

**APOLOGIES:** G. Carruthers, J. Doran, A. Penna, J. Singleton, P. Allan, B. McMahon

**OBSERVER:** P. Tutton

**1.1 Rule Changes**

H. Worthing spoke regarding the progress of the rule change which originated at Divisional Council to expand State Council and Executive. This rule change will be sent to the Industrial Registrar via the National Office.

**1.2 Positions for 2011 Election**

**Resolved:**

That this State Council / Branch Conference determines that the positions / officers for the 2011 elections be as follows:

- 1 President
- 1 State Secretary
- 2 Assistant Secretaries
- 13 Organisers
- Sub-Branches - Eastern District, Geelong Western District, Greater Melbourne District, Central Northern District

- Sub-Branch President, Vice President and Secretary as per the Rules
- Delegates to Branch Conference as per the Rules
- State Council will consist of 4 sections those being – Electrical Contracting, General Trades and Maintenance, Power Industry (Supply), Manufacturing Industry
- Numbers of State Councillors in the sections referred to above as per the Rules
- Delegates to Divisional Council as per the Rules

**Moved: H. Worthing**  
**Seconded: G. Arnett**  
**CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY**