

DECISION

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

CPSU, the Community and Public Sector Union (E2012/264)

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MELBOURNE, 11 MAY 2012

Arrangement for conduct of election.

[1] On 11 April 2012 the SPSF Group of the Victorian Branch of the abovenamed organisation lodged with Fair Work Australia the prescribed information in relation to an election for the following offices:

Delegates to Federal Council (5)

[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.



<u>DELEGATE OF THE GENERAL MANAGER</u> FAIR WORK AUSTRA<u>LIA</u>

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SPSF Group . Victorian Branch

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Ms B O'Neill
Fair Work Australia
Level 4
11 Exhibition Street

MELBOURNE VIC 3000

Dear Ms O'Neill,

RE: REQUEST TO CONDUCT AN ELECTION OF DELEGATES TO FEDERAL COUNCIL

I write in reference to formally advise you that CPSU/SPSF Group, Victorian Branch elections have now concluded.

In accordance with Rule 54B of Chapter C of the CPSU Rules, I formally request you conduct a ballot for Victorian Delegates to Federal Council.

The first full meeting of the new Council is scheduled for Monday 28th May 2012.

Please contact Julian Kennelly on 0417 541 789 who will act as Liaison Officer for the purposes of the ballot.

Yours sincerely

KAREN BATT

Victorian Branch Secretary

 From:
 Julian Kennelly

 To:
 WILKIN, Sarah

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Subject: collegiate election of victorian delegates (5) to Federal Council

Date: Tuesday, 8 May 2012 1:55:34 PM

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Rules

25 - CONSTITUTION OF THE FEDERAL COUNCIL

A. The Federal Council shall consist of the Federal Officers and the following number of delegates elected from each Branch of the SPSF Group:

New South Wales Branch 11 delegates Victorian Branch 5 delegates South Australian Branch 5 delegates Western Australian Branch 5 delegates Tasmanian Branch 4 delegates Queensland Branch 8 delegates

54B - ELECTION OF DELEGATES TO FEDERAL COUNCIL

A. Each Branch shall elect delegates to Federal Council two-yearly by secret ballot of the members of the Branch Council.

The persons eligible to accept nomination for election as delegate to Federal Council shall be the members of the Branch Council.

- B. Each election under this rule shall be conducted so that the result is declared not earlier than the 1st of June and not later than the 25th of August in each even-numbered year.
- C. Nominations for election of delegates to Federal Council shall be called by notification of all members of the Branch Council at least 14 days prior to the first meeting of the Branch Council after each two-yearly election of delegates to Branch Council.

Nominations shall be called for by the Branch Returning Officer or a person appointed in accordance with Rule 53F of these rules.

D. Nominations shall be in writing and shall be signed by the member of the Branch Council accepting nominations, and by two other members of Branch Council proposing the member and specifying that they are being nominated as a Delegate to Federal Council.

The first scheduled meeting of the new Branch Council is Monday 28 May 2012 from 2pm.

Regards.



Julian Kennelly | Communications Manager

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