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Dear Julia Angrisano,

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 contested offices in matter E2019/45. 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 Finance Sector Union of Australia 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

Post-election report

Finance Sector Union of Australia

South Australia/Northern Territory Branch Casual Vacancy Election E2019/45



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Election(s) Covered in this Report

Organisation: South Australia/Northern Territory Branch

Election: Casual Vacancy

Election Decision No/s: E2019/45

Rules

Rules used for the election: [036N: Incorporates alternations of 3/11/2014,

R2014/19]

[replaces rulebook dated 28/01/2014 [R2013/6,

R2013/42 and R2013/398}

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

Total number of voters on the Roll: 585 Number of apparent workplace addresses: 14

Number of non-current addresses: 20

Other matters pertaining to the roll of voters:

Irregularities

Details of written allegations of N/A

irregularities, and action taken by AEC:

Other irregularities identified, and action taken:

Other Matters

Returning Officer actions required (Section 193): Yes

Details: The Organisation Rules are silent in relation to Withdrawal of Nominations.

P&P 14.1 states to exercise the authority given by s193 of the Act to make Withdrawal the same date and time as Close of Nominations.

Signed

Jenny Southall Returning Officer Australian Electoral Commission

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Attachments

A. Declaration of Results for Contested Offices - SA

Finance Sector Union of Australia

South Australia/Northern Territory Branch

DECLARATION OF RESULTS - E2019/45

Contested Offices

Casual Vacancy 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/Northern Territory

VOTING MATERIAL ISSUED	
Total number of people on the roll of voters (a)	585
Number of voters issued with voting material (two Ballot Papers per envelope)	585
Total number of voters issued with replacement voting material	0
Total number of voting material packs issued	
VOTING MATERIAL RETURNED	
Total number of envelopes returned for scrutiny by closing date of ballot (b)	64
Number of declaration envelopes rejected at preliminary scrutiny (minus)	
Number of ballot papers returned outside declaration envelopes (minus)	
COUNT	
Total ballot papers admitted to the count	
LATE OR UNRETURNED VOTING MATERIAL	
Voting material returned as unclaimed mail by closing date of ballot	20
Voting material packs not returned by voters by closing date of the ballot	501
Percentage of voting material packs returned by voters to number of people on the roll of voters (b/a)	11 %

Local Enterprise Council President Westpac Section (1)

Candidates	Final Votes
BRADY, Frank	30
ELLUL, Lynda	26
BROWN, Darcy	3
Total ballot papers admitted for this office	64
Formal Ballot papers	59
Informal Ballot papers	5

I declare the following elected:

• BRADY, Frank

National Enterprise Council Member Westpac Section (1)

<u>Candidates</u>	<u>Final Votes</u>
ELLUL, Lynda	23
BRADY, Frank	32
BROWN, Darcy	5
Total ballot papers admitted for this office	64
Formal Ballot papers	60
Informal Ballot papers	4

I declare the following elected:

• BRADY, Frank

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07/08/2019





DECISION

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

Finance Sector Union of Australia

(E2019/45)

MR ENRIGHT

MELBOURNE, 1 MAY 2019

Arrangement for conduct of election.

[1] On 26 March 2019 the Finance Sector Union of Australia lodged with the Registered Organisations Commission prescribed information for an election to fill a casual vacancy in the following office for the remainder of the term:

South Australia/Northern Territory

Local Enterprise Council President Westpac Section (1)

National Enterprise Council Member Westpac Section (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.



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26 March 2019

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Dear Sir/Madam,

Re: Finance Sector Union of Australia – Election for Offices due to casual vacancy

I, Julia Angrisano, National Secretary of the Finance Sector Union of Australia (FSU) make the following statement:

I am the National Secretary of the FSU and am authorised to lodge the following prescribed information concerning the forthcoming elections for offices within the FSUA.

The purpose of this letter is to lodge information in accordance with subsection 189 (1) of the Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Act 2009 in respect to FSU elections that are required as a result of a casual vacancy.

The FSU requires elections to be conducted in the following offices:

- 1. WBC LEC President SA/NT Branch in accordance with sub rule 30.12
- 2. WBC NEC Member SA/NT Branch in accordance with sub rule 30.12

Electorate

The electorate in respect to the offices detailed in point 1 and 2 is all financial FSU members resident in SA/NT attached to the WBC LEC Section.

Reason for Election

The reason for the election is that a casual vacancy has occurred as a result of the resignation of incumbent Clinton Duncan (attached) and rule 47.49.2 requires an election to be conducted where the unexpired portion of the term of the vacant office exceeds three-quarters of the term of that Office.

Voting System

The elections for each of the offices detailed are to be conducted by direct voting system

Close of Roll

The Union's Rules (sub rule 47.24) specify that the roll of voters for an election by direct voting system shall close seven (7) days before the day on which nominations open.



Nominations Open/Close

Nominations shall be called from those LEC members elected for the positions of LEC President and NEC Member. A date shall be fixed for the closing of nominations, being a date not less than 2 weeks after the date of calling for such nominations. Rule 47.20.1 refers

Qualification for Office

In respect to the office detailed in point 1, nominees must have been a financial member of the Union for not less than six (6) months immediately preceding nomination, have been employed within the six (6) months immediately preceding the calling for nominations in employment as provided for in Rules 4 and 5.

It would be appreciated if arrangements can be made to have the elections conducted as soon as possible.

Yours sincerely,

Julia Angrisano National Secretary