

# Independent Education Union of Australia Queensland and Northern Territory Branch Executive Election

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<u>Candidates</u>	<u>Votes</u>
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I declare Cheryl Salter elected.

### Senior Vice-President (Northern Territory Division)

<u>Candidate</u>
WALLIS, Lon

I declare Lon Wallis elected.

Brendan Carroll  
Returning Officer  
Australian Electoral Commission  
7 January 2008

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I now advise the following results.

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#### **Branch Executive Member from the NT Division (5)**

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### **Darwin Urban Sub-Division**

#### **NT Division Advisory Committee Member (2)**

Candidates: BOTT, Elsabe  
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6 November 2007

# **Australian Electoral Commission / AEC**

Workplace Relations Act 1996 – Schedule 1

## **POST ELECTION REPORT**

### **Independent Education Union of Australia Queensland and Northern Territory Branch Election**

#### **ELECTION/S COVERED IN THIS REPORT**

Election Decision No/s: *E2007/ 242*

#### **RULES**

Rules used for the election: *130N: Incorporates alterations of 27/8/2007 - R2007/285 & R2007/290.*

Rules difficult to apply/interpret: *None*

Model Rule reference (if any): *N/A*

#### **ROLL OF VOTERS**

Total number of voters on the Roll: There were no contested offices in the 1<sup>st</sup> Tier. Contest of 2<sup>nd</sup> Tier Branch Executive only: 34

Number of apparent workplace addresses: 3 (9%)

Number of non-current addresses: Nil

Other matters pertaining to the roll of voters: Nil.

#### **IRREGULARITIES**

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

Other irregularities identified, and action taken: *Nil.*

#### **ATTACHMENTS**

- 1) Declaration of Results for Uncontested Offices 1<sup>st</sup> Tier – of 6 November 2007.
- 2) Declaration of Results for Uncontested & Contested Offices 2<sup>nd</sup> Tier – of 7 January 2008.

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Returning Officer  
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*Workplace Relations Act 1996*  
s.189 of Schedule 1 - arrangement for conduct of an election

**Independent Education Union of Australia**  
(E2007/242)

T. NASSIOS  
DEPUTY INDUSTRIAL REGISTRAR

MELBOURNE, 20 SEPTEMBER 2007

*Arrangement for conduct of election.*

**DECISION**

[1] On 13 September 2007 the Queensland and Northern Territory Branch of the abovementioned organisation lodged in the Industrial Registry prescribed information in relation to an election for the following offices:

Queensland and Northern Territory Branch

Federal Council Delegate from the NT Division (1)

Branch Executive Members from the NT Division (5)

Branch Committee of Management Members as follows:

Senior Vice President (NT Division) (1)

Committee Member (NT Division) (1)

NT Division Advisory Committee Members from the following Sub-Divisions:

Darwin Urban (2)

Top End Rural (1)

Southern Region – Alice Springs (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 Schedule 1 of the Workplace Relations Act 1996, I am making arrangements for the conduct of the election by the Australian Electoral Commission.



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## INDEPENDENT EDUCATION UNION OF AUSTRALIA QUEENSLAND & NORTHERN TERRITORY BRANCH

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Thursday, 13 September 2007

Industrial Registrar  
Australian Industrial Relations Commission  
GPO Box 1994S  
MELBOURNE VIC 3001

***Attention: Statutory Services Branch***

Dear Sir

**Re: IEUA - Queensland and Northern Territory (QNT) Branch Elections**

In accordance with Chapter 7 Part 1 Section 189 of the RAO Schedule of the Workplace Relations Act 1996 and Regulation 138, I provide the following information.

**Reg 138(1)(a) and (c)**

That in accordance with Rule 8 of the Federal Rules of the Independent Education Union of Australia (IEUA) and Rule 20.8 of the IEUA- Queensland and Northern Territory (QNT) Branch an election is required for:

Federal Council Delegate - (1) One from the Northern Territory Division of the IEUA-QNT Branch

That in accordance with Rule 20.7 of the IEUA-QNT Branch Rules an election is required for:

Branch Executive - (5) Five members from the Northern Territory Division of the IEUA-QNT Branch.

That in accordance with Rule 20.9 of the IEUA-QNT Branch Rules an election is required to fill positions on the Northern Territory Division Advisory Committee as follows:

Darwin Urban - (2) Two persons  
Top End Rural - (1) person  
Southern Region - Alice Springs - (1) person



Members of the Northern Territory Division have been allocated to a relevant electorate for the purposes of this election.

**Reg 138(1)(b)**

These elections are made necessary in that the positions are vacant following the creation of the Queensland and Northern Territory Branch on 27 August 2007 and Rule 20.7, 20.8 and 20.9 of the Branch Rules requires an election process to be held to fill the positions.

**Reg 138(1)(d)**

The electorate for both elections comprises the whole of the financial members of the Northern Territory Division of the IEUA-QNT Branch as determined by Queensland and Northern Territory Branch Rule 10.1 and as relevant under Rule 17(q) of the Federal Rules. The financial membership of the Northern Territory Division as at 13 September is 358 members.

**Reg 138(1)(e)**

It is a requirement under the IEUA-QNT Branch Rule 20 that the elections conclude no later than three (3) months from the date of certification of the Branch Rules which occurred on 27 August 2007.

The nomination period of candidates for is specified in Federal Rule 17(h) and QNT Branch Rule 10.8 as 4pm on a date no less than 21 days after the publication of the advertisement calling for nominations.

In setting dates for the election process I would advise that the Northern Territory Division newsletter (The Northern Voice) will be published on 8 October 2007. (Closing date for copy 2 October 2007)

I would propose the following dates:

Nominations Open	9 October 2007
Nominations Close	31 October 2007(4:00 pm)
Poll Opens	14 November 2007
Poll Closes	26 November 2007(Noon)

**Reg 138(1)(f)**

In accordance with IEUA-NT Branch Rule 10.17 and Federal Rule 17(q) for the purpose of this election the books of the Branch shall be deemed to have closed as at seven (7) clear days before the opening date of nominations.

**Reg 138(1)(g)**

The voting system to be used is the direct voting system and is first past the post. The Rules allow for an order of preference to be indicated by the voter (Branch Rule 10.27).

I would further advise that in accordance with the Queensland Branch Rule 20.7, subsequent to the election of the five members from the Northern Territory Division to the Branch Executive an election is required for the following positions to the Branch Committee of Management:

Senior Vice President (Northern Territory Division)

One (1) Committee Member (Northern Territory Division)

These persons are elected by and from the Branch Executive members (N=34) using a collegiate electoral system.

I would recommend that a timetable for this second tier not be established immediately as it may be appropriate to consider a timetable in light of whether a ballot becomes necessary for the Branch Executive.

Yours faithfully



**TERENCE P BURKE**  
**SECRETARY**

*Encl.*

## STATEMENT OF FACT

1. I, Terence Patrick Burke of 2 Cheshire Street Kippa-Ring in the State of Queensland, and an officer of the Independent Education Union of Australia - Queensland and Northern Territory Branch, make the following statement of fact.
2. I am an officer of the organisation authorised to make this statement.
3. The information lodged with this statement is in accordance with Chapter 7 Part 1 Section 189 of the RAO Schedule of Workplace Relations Act 1996.



TERENCE P BURKE  
SECRETARY  
INDEPENDENT EDUCATION UNION OF AUSTRALIA - QUEENSLAND AND  
NORTHERN TERRITORY BRANCH

13 September