

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

Independent Education Union of Australia
(E2004/294)

T. NASSIOS
DEPUTY INDUSTRIAL REGISTRAR

MELBOURNE, 19 OCTOBER 2004

Arrangement for conduct of election.

DECISION

[1] On 8 October 2004, the Victorian Independent Education Union Branch of the abovenamed organisation lodged in the Industrial Registry the prescribed information in relation to an election for the following offices:

Catholic Secondary Sub-Branch President (*casual vacancy - for the remainder of the term of office*)
Principals Sub-Branch President (*due to insufficient nominations received at previous election*)

[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 1B of the Workplace Relations Act 1996, I am making arrangements for the conduct of the election by the Australian Electoral Commission.



6 October 2004

ATTENTION: Robert Pfeiffer

Mr Nicholas Wilson
The Registrar
Australian Industrial Relations Commission
Nauru House
Level 35
80 Collins Street
Melbourne 3000

Dear Mr Wilson

In accordance with s189 of Schedule 1B of the *Workplace Relations Act*, I advise that pursuant to the rules of the Victorian Independent Education Union, a branch of the Independent Education Union of Australia, an election is required to fill vacancies which have arisen since the election for all offices conducted earlier this year.

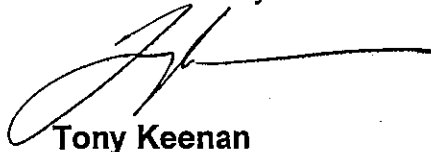
The following documentation is attached:

1. A statement made in accordance with Regulation 138 signed by an officer authorised to make the statement.
2. A schedule setting out the prescribed information in respect of the elections pursuant to Regulation 138 and required by s189 of Schedule 1B.
3. A schedule setting out proposed timetable for the conduct of elections in accordance with the rules of the union. The draft timetable envisages the calling for nominations on 3 November 2004.

I note that the proposed date does not meet provisions in relation to the prescribed day in Regulation 138 but that s189 of Schedule 1B provides that the Registrar may allow a later day. Accordingly, I request that the Registrar approve a later prescribed day in order to meet the timetable attached.

I look forward to your response.

Yours sincerely



Tony Keenan
General Secretary

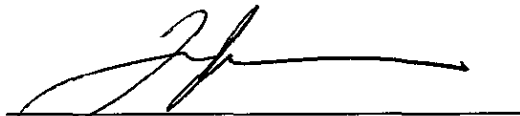
STATEMENT

I, Tony Keenan, of 120 Clarendon Street, South Melbourne, am the General Secretary of the Victorian Independent Education Union, a branch of the Independent Education Union of Australia, and an officer authorised under the rules to make this statement.

The information set out in the attached schedules is lodged in accordance with sub-sections 189 (1) of Schedule 1B to the *Workplace Relations Act* as follows:

1. Schedule 1:
 - The names and number of each office in respect of which an election is required;
 - The reason for the election;
 - Details of the electorate for each of the offices.
2. Schedule 2:
 - The details of the commencement and expiration of the period during which nomination of candidates will be called for or under the rules of the branch of the IEUA.
3. The voting system is a direct voting system.
4. The day on which the roll of voters is to be closed consistent with the timetable in Schedule 2, is Wednesday 20 October 2004.

Signed:



Tony Keenan
General Secretary, Victorian Independent Education Union

Dated: 6 October 2004

SCHEDULE 2

PROPOSED TIMETABLE FOR THE HOLDING OF ELECTIONS FOR VACANT OFFICES

3 November Nominations are called for in respect of all positions through advertisement in VIEUPOINT and one daily newspaper

Nominations must be open for at least 21 days

24 November Nominations close

Ballot must open no later than 28 days after close of nominations

29 November Ballot opens

Ballot must be open no less than 21 days

13 December Ballot closes

SCHEDULE 1**REGULATION 61****PRESCRIBED INFORMATION IN RESPECT OF ELECTION –
SUB-SECTION 189 OF SCHEDULE 1B OF THE ACT**

NAME OF OFFICE	NUMBER OF OFFICES	REASON FOR ELECTION	ELECTORATE
Sub-Branch Presidents			
Catholic Secondary Sub-branch President	1	Vacancy arising from the resignation from office of Marshall Toohey.	Elected by the membership of that Sub-branch from elected Chapter representatives
Principals Sub-branch President	1	Vacancy arising from there being no nominations received in the election conducted by the Australian Electoral Commission in March 2004.	Elected by the membership of that Sub-branch from elected Chapter representatives