



Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Act 2009

POST ELECTION REPORT

Consolidated

National Electrical Contractors Association (NECA)

ELECTION/S COVERED IN THIS REPORT

Election Decision No/s: E2009/120

RULES

Rules used for the election: 233V-FED: Incorporates alterations of 30/3/2007
-TAS: of 18/5/94
-SA : of 17/2/98
-WA: of 23/2/05
-QLD: of 7/3/2000
-ACT : of 10/2/05
-VIC: of 30/3/07
-NT: of 8/2/95

Rules difficult to apply/interpret: None

ROLL OF VOTERS

NEW SOUTH WALES

Total number of voters on the roll	1461	
Number of apparent workplace addresses	1461	100%
Number of non-current addresses	3	0.20%

VICTORIA

As there were no contested offices, no Roll of Voters was required

WESTERN AUSTRALIA

As there were no contested offices, no Roll of Voters was required

NORTHERN TERRITORY

As there were no contested offices, no Roll of Voters was required

SOUTH AUSTRALIA

As there were no contested offices, no Roll of Voters was required

TASMANIA

As there were no contested offices, no Roll of Voters was required

AUSTRALIAN CAPITAL TERRITORY

As there were no contested offices, no Roll of Voters was required

QUEENSLAND

As there were no contested offices, no Roll of Voters was required

NATIONAL

As there were no contested offices, no Roll of Voters was required

IRREGULARITIES

Details of written allegations of irregularities, and action taken by AEC: None

Other irregularities identified, and action taken: None

ATTACHMENTS

WA	S1 Declaration of Results Uncontested Offices - Councillors
WA	S2 Declaration of Results Uncontested Offices - Office Bearers
VIC	S1 Declaration of Results Uncontested Offices - Councillors
VIC	S2 Declaration of Results Uncontested Offices - Office Bearers
NSW	S1 Declaration of Results Contested Offices - Executive Committee
NSW	S2 Declaration of Results Uncontested Offices - Office Bearers
SA	S1 Declaration of Results Contested Offices - Management Committee
SA	S2 Declaration of Results Uncontested Offices - Chapter Committee
SA	S3 Declaration of Results Uncontested Offices - National Executive
TAS	S1 Declaration of Results Uncontested Offices - Councillors
TAS	S2 Declaration of Results Uncontested Offices - Office Bearers
ACT	S1 Declaration of Results Uncontested Offices - Councillors
ACT	S2 Declaration of Results Uncontested Offices - Offices Bearers
QLD	S1 Declaration of Results Uncontested Offices - Councillors
QLD	S2 Declaration of Results Uncontested Offices - Office Bearers
NATL	Declaration of Results Uncontested Offices - National Office Bearers

Noopur Madan
Returning Officer
17 August 2009

National Electrical Contractors Association National Office Bearers

DECLARATION OF RESULTS FOR UNCONTESTED OFFICES

Results of the election for the following offices conducted in accordance with the provisions of the Workplace Relations Act 1996 and the rules of the organisation.

E2009/120

National

President

Candidate

ROBINSON, John David

Vice President

Candidate

GRIFFITHS, Stephen Kim

Treasurer

Candidate

MCKENZIE, Craig

As the number of nominations accepted did not exceed the number of positions to be filled, I declare the above candidates elected.

Noopur Madan
Returning Officer

4 August 2009

National Electrical Contractors Association Chapter Executive

DECLARATION OF RESULTS

Results of the election for the following offices conducted in accordance with the provisions of the Workplace Relations Act 1996 and the rules of the organisation.

Victorian Chapter E2009/120

President

Candidate

MCKNIGHT, Wes

Vice-President

Candidate

FORD, Ray

Treasurer

Candidate

GRAHAM, Michael

National Councillor (2)

Candidates

GRAHAM, Michael
MCKNIGHT, Wes

National Executive Member

Candidate

MCKNIGHT, Wes

As the number of nominations accepted did not exceed the number of positions to be filled, I declare the above candidates elected.

Danielle Paterson
Returning Officer
16 June 2009

National Electrical Contractors Association Chapter Council

DECLARATION OF RESULTS FOR UNCONTESTED OFFICES

Results of the election for the following offices conducted in accordance with the provisions of the Workplace Relations Act 1996 and the rules of the organisation.

Victorian Chapter

Chapter Councillor (4)

Candidates

FORD, Ray
GRAHAM, Michael
MCKNIGHT, Wes
PIERCE, David

As the number of nominations accepted did not exceed the number of positions to be filled, I declare the above candidates elected.

Danielle Paterson
Returning Officer
18 May 2009

National Electrical Contractors Association NSW Chapter Executive Committee

DECLARATION OF RESULTS FOR CONTESTED OFFICES

Results of the election for the following offices conducted in accordance with the provisions of the Workplace Relations Act 1996 and the rules of the organisation.

E2009/120

New South Wales Chapter

Total number of persons on the roll of voters	1461
Ballot papers issued	1461
Duplicate ballot papers issued	0
TOTAL BALLOT PAPERS ISSUED	1461
Ballot papers / envelopes returned for scrutiny	267
Less ballot papers / envelopes rejected at preliminary	1
Adjusting Balance	0
TOTAL BALLOT PAPERS ADMITTED TO SCRUTINY	266
Percentage of ballot papers returned to number issued	18%
Ballot papers returned as unclaimed mail	11
Ballot papers not returned	1183

Executive Committee Members (4)

Applying Rule 6 (i) - If there is only one candidate from Categories 7 or 8 nominated, then that candidate shall be automatically elected. Accordingly Russell Houlahan (Category 8 member) was automatically elected and did not participate in the ballot.

<u>Candidates for remaining (3) positions</u>	<u>Votes</u>
KERFOOT, Stephen	173
POLLARD, Tony	204
GRIFFITHS, Stephen K.	206
ROSEN, Glenn	133
Exhausted Votes	0
Loss/Gain by Fraction	0
Total votes	716
Formal ballot papers	252
Informal ballot papers	14

I declare Stephen K. Griffiths, Russell Patrick Houlahan, Stephen Kerfoot and Tony Pollard elected.

Noopur Madan
Returning Officer
Australian Electoral Commission

11 June 2009

National Electrical Contractors Association NSW Chapter Office Bearers

DECLARATION OF RESULTS FOR UNCONTESTED OFFICES

Results of the election for the following offices conducted in accordance with the provisions of the Workplace Relations Act 1996 and the rules of the organisation.

E2009/120

NSW Executive Committee

President

Candidate

GRIFFITHS, Stephen Kim

Vice-President

Candidate

HILL, James

Treasurer

Candidate

SMITH, Kelvin John

National Councillor (2)

Candidates

GRIFFITHS, Stephen Kim
HILL, James

NSW National Council

National Executive Member

Candidate

GRIFFITHS, Stephen Kim

As the number of nominations accepted did not exceed the number of positions to be filled, I declare the above candidates elected.

Noopur Madan
Returning Officer

2 July 2009



Workplace Relations Act 1996 – Schedule 1

POST ELECTION REPORT

NATIONAL ELECTRICAL CONTRACTORS ASSOCIATION South Australian Branch - 2009

ELECTION/S COVERED IN THIS REPORT

Election Decision No/s: *E2009/120*

RULES

Rules used for the election: *[233V-FED: Incorporates alterations of 30/3/2007] [R2005/352] (replaces 23/2/2005 version)*
[233V-SA: Incorporates alterations of 17/2/1998]

Rules difficult to apply/interpret: *None*

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

ROLL OF VOTERS

As there were no contested offices, no Roll of Voters was required.

IRREGULARITIES

Details of written allegations of irregularities,
and action taken by AEC: *None*

Other irregularities identified, and action taken: *None*

ATTACHMENTS

- 1 Declaration of Results for Uncontested Offices: Stage 1
Stage 2
Stage 3

Karen Burnes
Returning Officer
13 July 2008

**National Electrical Contractors Association
SA National Executive Member Stage 3**

DECLARATION OF RESULTS FOR UNCONTESTED OFFICES

Results of the election for the following offices conducted in accordance with the provisions of the Workplace Relations Act 1996 and the rules of the organisation.

National Councillors

National Executive Member

Candidate

ROBINSON, John David

As the number of nominations accepted did not exceed the number of positions to be filled, I declare the above candidates elected.

Karen Burnes
Returning Officer

National Electrical Contractors Association SA Chapter Executive Stage 2

DECLARATION OF RESULTS FOR UNCONTESTED OFFICES

Results of the election for the following offices conducted in accordance with the provisions of the Workplace Relations Act 1996 and the rules of the organisation.

Chapter Committee

President

Candidate

ROBINSON, John David

Vice-President

Candidate

AITCHISON, Allan

Treasurer

Candidate

THORPE, Andrew Philip

National Councillor (2)

Candidates

AITCHISON, Allan
ROBINSON, John David

As the number of nominations accepted did not exceed the number of positions to be filled, I declare the above candidates elected.

Karen Burnes
Returning Officer

15 June 2009

National Electrical Contractors Association SA Chapter Committee Stage 1

DECLARATION OF RESULTS FOR UNCONTESTED OFFICES

Results of the election for the following offices conducted in accordance with the provisions of the Workplace Relations Act 1996 and the rules of the organisation.

South Australia Chapter

Management Committee Member (4)

Candidates

AITCHISON, Allan
HOBBS, Gregory J
LANE, Richard William
POULTON, Jarrod

As the number of nominations accepted did not exceed the number of positions to be filled, I declare the above candidates elected.

Karen Burnes
Returning Officer

Australian Electoral Commission / AEC

Workplace Relations Act 1996 – Schedule 1

POST ELECTION REPORT

The National Electrical Contractors Association - Australian Capital Territory Chapter

ELECTION/S COVERED IN THIS REPORT

Election Decision No/s:	<i>E2009/120 - Scheduled, Stages 1 & 2</i>
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RULES

Rules used for the election:	<i>[233V-Fed: Incorporates alterations of 30/03/2007] [R2005/352] [233V-ACT: Incorporates alterations of 10/02/2005] [R2004/520]</i>
Rules difficult to apply/interpret:	<i>None</i>
Model Rule reference (if any):	<i>None</i>

ROLL OF VOTERS

As there were no contested offices in both stages of the elections, the Roll of Voters was not required.

IRREGULARITIES

Details of written allegations of irregularities, and action taken by AEC:	<i>None</i>
Other irregularities identified, and action taken:	<i>None</i>

ATTACHMENTS

1)	Declaration of Results for Uncontested Offices – ACT Branch Stage 1
2)	Declaration of Results for Uncontested Offices – ACT Branch Stage 2

Sonny Neoh
Returning Officer [for NECA ACT Chapter]

12 June 2009

**THE NATIONAL ELECTRICAL CONTRACTORS ASSOCIATION
AUSTRALIAN CAPITAL TERRITORY CHAPTER**

DECLARATION OF RESULTS

Results of the 2nd stage of the elections for the following offices conducted in accordance with the provisions of the Workplace Relations Act 1996 and the rules of the organisation.

E. No. 2009/120 refers.

PRESIDENT

Candidate

KEMPTON, Gregory

VICE-PRESIDENT

Candidate

PATTRICK, Steve

TREASURER

Candidate

KEMPTON, Gregory

EXECUTIVE MEMBER

Candidate

DONNELLY, Robert

NATIONAL COUNCILLORS (2) FROM ACT CHAPTER

Candidates

KEMPTON, Gregory
LE COMPTE, Lindsay

NATIONAL EXECUTIVE MEMBER (1) FROM ACT CHAPTER

Candidate

KEMPTON, Gregory

As the number of nominations accepted did not exceed the number of offices to be filled, I declare the above candidates elected unopposed.

SONNY NEOH
Returning Officer
Australian Electoral Commission, Canberra

11 June 2009

**The National Electrical Contractors Association
Australian Capital Territory Chapter**

DECLARATION OF RESULTS

Results of the election for the following offices conducted in accordance with the provisions of the Workplace Relations Act 1996 and the rules of the organisation.

E2009/120 refers.

Councillors (6) – Australian Capital Territory Chapter

Candidates

BUCKLEY, Stephen
DONNELLY, Robert
HARDINGE, Paul
HART, Peter
KEMPTON, Gregory
PATRICK, Steven

As the number of nominations accepted did not exceed the number of positions to be filled, I declare the above candidates elected unopposed.

Sonny Neoh
Returning Officer
Australian Electoral Commission, Canberra

19 May 2009

**AEC****Australian Electoral Commission**

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Mr Lindsay Le Compte
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The National Electrical Contractors Association
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→ [Attention: Ms Pamela Renneberg]

Dear Mr Le Compte

**THE NATIONAL ELECTRICAL CONTRACTORS ASSOCIATION
AUSTRALIAN CAPITAL TERRITORY CHAPTER ELECTIONS – E. NO. 2009/120
DECLARATION OF RESULTS [STAGE-1].**

I refer to my letter of 24 March 2009 concerning the arrangements for me to conduct an election for the ACT Chapter offices of Six Councillors in your Organisation. I wish to advise that a ballot will not be necessary for the first stage.

My declaration of the uncontested positions is attached.

The second stage of the elections involves the calling of nominations for specific offices [i.e. President, Vice-President, Treasurer, Executive Member, National Councillors (2) from ACT Chapter, & National Executive Member (1) from ACT Chapter] at a NECA ACT Chapter Meeting.

Please keep me advised of the appointed date/ time/ venue of the meeting, in order for me to incorporate the details into my election notice for the Stage-2 elections.

Yours sincerely,

Sonny Neoh
Returning Officer

19 May 2009

Cc: Deputy Industrial Registrar, VIC
All candidates

National Electrical Contractors Association Tasmanian Chapter Elections - Stage 2

DECLARATION OF RESULTS FOR UNCONTESTED OFFICES

Results of the election for the following offices conducted in accordance with the provisions of the Workplace Relations Act 1996 and the rules of the organisation.

E2009/120

Tasmanian Chapter Council

President

Candidate

BOWRING, Michael William

Vice-President

Candidate

FROMBERG, Willem Arthur

Treasurer

Candidate

BOWRING, Michael William

National Councillor (2)

Candidates

BOWRING, Michael William
FROMBERG, Willem Arthur

As the number of nominations accepted did not exceed the number of positions to be filled, I declare the above candidates elected.

Ron Mann
Returning Officer
18 June 2009

National Electrical Contractors Association Tasmanian Chapter Elections - Stage 1

DECLARATION OF RESULTS FOR UNCONTESTED OFFICES

Results of the election for the following offices conducted in accordance with the provisions of the Workplace Relations Act 1996 and the rules of the organisation.

E2009/120

Tasmanian Chapter

Councillor from the Southern Group

Candidate

HEEREY, James Laurence

Councillor from the Northern Group

Candidate

FROMBERG, Willem Arthur

Councillor from the North Western Group

Candidate

JOYCE, Donald Trevor

Councillor representing the membership of the Chapter as a whole (4)

Candidates

BOWRING, Michael William
DAMEN, Anthony Francis
FARR, Andrew
SHARMAN, Gregg Howard

As the number of nominations accepted did not exceed the number of positions to be filled, I declare the above candidates elected.

Ron Mann
Returning Officer

15 May 2009

**The National Electrical Contractors Association
Election of Office Bearers – E2009/120 - Part Two (2)**

DECLARATION OF RESULTS FOR UNCONTESTED OFFICES

Results of the election for the following offices conducted in accordance with the provisions of the Workplace Relations Act 1996 and the rules of the organisation.

E2009/120

Western Australia Chapter

President

Candidate

SWEETING, John

Vice President

Candidate

SWAIN, Ian

Treasurer

Candidate

MIZZA, Greg

Executive Member (4)

Candidates

CARTER, Wayne
GREEN, Michael
HATHERLEY, Robert
HIGGINS, Simon

National Councillor (2)

Candidates

SWAIN, Ian
SWEETING, John

National Executive Member

Candidate

SWEETING, John

As the number of nominations accepted did not exceed the number of positions to be filled, I declare the above candidates elected.

Simon Bulloch
Returning Officer

16 June 2009

**National Electrical Contractors Association
Member of Chapter Committee (Chapter Councillors)**

DECLARATION OF RESULTS FOR UNCONTESTED OFFICES

Results of the election for the following offices conducted in accordance with the provisions of the Workplace Relations Act 1996 and the rules of the organisation.

E2009/120

Western Australia Chapter

Members of the Chapter Committee (Chapter Councillors) (10)

Candidates

CARTER, Wayne
GREEN, Michael Glen
GREGO, Jack
HATHERLEY, Robert George
HIGGINS, Simon Roger
MANNION, Paul Patrick
MIZZA, Greg
PEARSON, Malcolm Stewart
SWAIN, Ian Stephen
SWEETING, John

As the number of nominations accepted did not exceed the number of positions to be filled, I declare the above candidates elected.

Simon Bulloch
Returning Officer

8 May 2009

Australian Electoral Commission/AEC

Workplace Relations Act 1996 – Schedule 1

POST ELECTION REPORT**The National Electrical Contractors Association
Queensland Chapter****ELECTION/S COVERED IN THIS REPORT**Election Decision No/s: *E2009/ 120***RULES**

Rules used for the election: *233V-FED: incorporates alterations of 30/3/2007 - R2005/352 AND.
233V-QLD: incorporates alterations of 7/3/2000.*

Rules difficult to apply/interpret: *Nil*

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

ROLL OF VOTERS

List of members obtained to post out election notices, but as there were no contested offices, no Roll of Voters was required.

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 1st Tier Uncontested Offices – of 20 May 2009
- 2) Declaration of Results for 2nd Tier Uncontested Offices – of 24 June 2009

Mike O’Kearney
Returning Officer
24 June 2009

National Electrical Contractors Association 2009 Queensland Chapter Election 2nd Tier

DECLARATION OF RESULTS FOR UNCONTESTED OFFICES

Results of the election for the following offices conducted in accordance with the provisions of the Workplace Relations Act 1996 and the rules of the organisation.

E2009/E 120

Queensland Chapter Council - 2nd Tier

President

Candidate

MCKENZIE, Craig

Vice-President

Candidate

MCINNES, David

Treasurer

Candidate

PARTRIDGE, Geoffrey

Executive Member (4)

Candidates

MCINNES, David

THOMPSON, Russel

No further nominations were accepted

National Councillor (2)

Candidates

MCINNES, David

MCKENZIE, Craig

National Executive Member

Candidate

MCKENZIE, Craig

As the number of nominations accepted did not exceed the number of positions to be filled, I declare the above candidates elected.

Mike O'Kearney
Returning Officer

24 June 2009

National Electrical Contractors Association 2009 Queensland Chapter Election 1st Tier

DECLARATION OF RESULTS FOR UNCONTESTED OFFICES

Results of the election for the following offices conducted in accordance with the provisions of the Workplace Relations Act 1996 and the rules of the organisation.

E2009/E 120

Queensland Chapter - 1st Tier

Councillor (10)

Candidates

MCINNES, David Paul

MCKENZIE, Craig

MCKNIGHT, Wes

PARTRIDGE, Geoffrey Robert

THOMPSON, Russel

No further nominations were accepted

As the number of nominations accepted did not exceed the number of positions to be filled, I declare the above candidates elected.

Mike O'Kearney
Returning Officer

20 May 2009

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

The National Electrical Contractors Association
(E2009/120)

T. NASSIOS
DEPUTY INDUSTRIAL REGISTRAR

MELBOURNE
5 MARCH 2009

Arrangement for conduct of election.

DECISION

[1] On 20 February and 4 March 2009, The National Electrical Contractors Association lodged in the Industrial Registry the prescribed information in relation to elections for the following offices:

National Councillors (14) comprising of 2 Councillors elected by and from each of the following Chapter Committees:

Victorian Chapter
New South Wales Chapter
South Australian Chapter
Australian Capital Territory Chapter
Tasmanian Chapter
Western Australia Chapter
Queensland Chapter

National President
National Vice-President
National Treasurer
National Executive Member (1) from each of the above Chapters

Victorian Chapter

Councillors (4)
President
Vice-President
Treasurer

New South Wales Chapter

Executive Committee Members (4)
President
Vice-President
Treasurer

South Australian Chapter

Management Committee Members (4)

President

Vice-President

Treasurer

Australian Capital Territory Chapter

Councillors (6)

President

Vice-President

Treasurer

Executive Member (1)

Tasmanian Chapter

Councillors (7) comprising: Councillor from the Southern Group (1)
Councillor from the Northern Group (1)
Councillor from the North Western Group (1)
Councillors representing the membership of the Chapter as a whole (4)

President

Vice-President

Treasurer

Western Australia Chapter

Councillors (10)

President

Vice-President

Treasurer

Executive Members (4)

Queensland Chapter

Councillors (10)

President

Vice-President

Treasurer

Executive Members (4)

[2] I am satisfied that elections for the abovenamed offices are 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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4 March 2009

Industrial Registrar
Australian Industrial Registry
Level 4, 11 Exhibition Street
MELBOURNE VIC 3000

Dear Sir/Madam,

AMENDED
The National Electrical Contractors Association
RAO Section 189, Schedule 1 of the Workplace Relations Act 1996 - Elections (R 138)

In response to your email dated 27 February 2009. Please see amendments (in bold) in attachment 1 relating to the name of each office for which an election is required.

I, James Clifford Tinslay state that the information is lodged under RAO Section 189, Schedule 1 of the Workplace Relations Act 1996 and that I am the person authorised to make that statement.

Yours faithfully,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads 'J Tinslay'.

James C Tinslay
Secretary

Attach

**AMENDED
ATTACHMENT 1.
THE NATIONAL ELECTRICAL CONTRACTORS ASSOCIATION**

(a) The names of each office in which an election is required:

1. National Council: **Fourteen (14)** comprising two (2) National Councillors elected by and from each Chapter committee;
National Executive: One (1) from each Chapter
Office Bearers: President, Vice President and Treasurer elected from the members of the Executive Committee

2. Victoria Chapter Council: **Four (4)** Councillors
Office Bearers: President, Vice President and Treasurer.
National Officials: Two (2) National Councillors, one of which shall also be the National Executive Member.

3. South Australia Chapter Management Committee: **Four (4)** members
Executive Officers: President, Vice President, Treasurer
National Officials: Two (2) National Councillors, one of which shall also be the National Executive Member.

4. Australian Capital Territory Chapter Council: **Six (6)** members
Executive Office bearers and one member of the Council.
Office Bearers: President, Vice President, Treasurer
National Officials: Two (2) National Councillors, one of which shall also be the National Executive Member.

5. New South Wales Executive: **Four (4)** members
Executive Offices: President, Vice President, Treasurer.
National Officials: Two (2) National Councillors, one of which shall also be the National Executive Member.

6. Tasmania Chapter Council: **Seven (7)** members comprising one (1) councillor from each of the groups respectively as defined and four (4) councillors representing the membership of the Chapter as a whole.
Executive: President, Vice President, Treasurer.
National Officials: Two (2) National Councillors, one of which shall also be the National Executive Member.

7. Western Australia Chapter Council: **Ten (10)** members.
Executive: **Four (4)** members of Council and Office Bearers.
Office Bearers: President, Vice President, Treasurer.
National Officials: Two (2) National Councillors, one of which shall also be the National Executive Member.

8. Queensland Chapter
Council: Ten (10) members
Executive: Office Bearers and four (4) members of the Council.
Office Bearers: President, Vice President and Treasurer.
National Officials: Two (2) National Councillors, one of which shall also be the National Executive Member.

(b) Reason for the Election

Annual elections as provided in the Rules of the Association

(c) Closure of Roll for Votes

The Roll will close 10 days prior to date nominations for office are invited.

(d) Voting System

The voting system is a collegiate system.

LO-BOOTH, Cynthia

From: LO-BOOTH, Cynthia
Sent: Friday, 27 February 2009 1:15 PM
To: Wendy Ramjee
Subject: Upcoming election for NECA - E2009/120 - clarification to lodged Prescribed Information

Attachments: NECA PI 20 Feb 09.pdf

Dear Mr Tinslay and Ms Ramjee,

I refer to my telephone call with Mr Tinslay earlier today in regards to the Prescribed Information (PI) lodged pursuant to s189 for the Registrar to arrange for conduct of elections. The PI was lodged in the Registry on 20 February 2009.

I have attached the PI for your convenience.



NECA PI 20 Feb
09.pdf (779 KB)...

Can you please clarify 3 matters contained in the PI and I ask that you please sign and date the written clarification for our records and send it to me via email or post by 4 March 2009.

1. In Attachment 1, under item (a)(1) – Should the number of offices for election for National Councillors be fourteen (14) and not sixteen (16), comprising of two (2) National Councillors elected by and from each Chapter committee? This is due to the closure of the Northern Territory Chapter by resolution passed on 13 November 2008.
2. In Attachment 1, under item (a)(2) – For the Victorian Chapter, the PI states there are **Five (4)** Councillors up for election. According to rule 5 of the Vic Chapter rules the number of offices for election for Chapter Councillors alternate between 5 and 4 offices each year. There were Five (5) Councillors' offices for election last year according to the election decision in E2008/123 and therefore in 2009 there should be 4 Councillor positions for election.
3. In Attachment 1, under item (a)(3) – For the South Australian Chapter, the PI states there are **Three (4)** Committee members up for election. According to rule 6 of the South Australian Chapter rules the number of offices for election for Committee members' alternate between 3 and 4 offices each year. There were Three (3) Committee members' offices for election last year according to the election decision in E2008/123 and therefore in 2009 there should be 4 Committee member positions for election.

If you have any queries regarding this email I will next be in the office on Wednesday, 4 March 2009.

Regards,

CYNTHIA LO-BOOTH
Statutory Services Branch

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18 February 2009

Industrial Registrar
Australian Industrial Registry
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Dear Sir/Madam,

**The National Electrical Contractors Association
RAO Section 189, Schedule 1 of the Workplace Relations Act 1996 - Elections (R 138)**

We herewith submit the prescribed information for the elections for office to the 2009/10 period.

- (a) The name of each office for which an election is required (Attachment 1)
- (b) The reason for the election (Attachment 1)
- (e) The date and time of the beginning and end of the nominated period (Attachment 2)
- (c) The day on which the roll of voters closed (Attachment 1)
- (d) The kind of voting system (Attachment 1)

Please see Attachment 1 & 2.

I, James Clifford Tinslay state that the information is lodged under RAO Section 189, Schedule 1 of the Workplace Relations Act 1996 and that I am the person authorised to make that statement.

Yours faithfully,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'James C Tinslay', is written over a large, stylized blue circular scribble.

James C Tinslay
Secretary

Attach

ATTACHMENT 1.
THE NATIONAL ELECTRICAL CONTRACTORS ASSOCIATION

(a) The names of each office in which an election is required:

1. National Council: Sixteen (16) comprising two (2) National Councillors elected by and from each Chapter committee;
National Executive: One (1) from each Chapter
Office Bearers: President, Vice President and Treasurer elected from the members of the Executive Committee
2. Victoria Chapter Council: Five (4) Councillors
Office Bearers: President, Vice President and Treasurer.
National Officials: Two (2) National Councillors, one of which shall also be the National Executive Member.
3. South Australia Chapter Management Committee: Three (4) members
Executive Officers: President, Vice President, Treasurer
National Officials: Two (2) National Councillors, one of which shall also be the National Executive Member.
4. Australian Capital Territory Chapter Council: Six (6) members
Executive Office bearers and one member of the Council.
Office Bearers: President, Vice President, Treasurer
National Officials: Two (2) National Councillors, one of which shall also be the National Executive Member.
5. New South Wales Executive: Four (4) members
Executive Offices: President, Vice President, Treasurer.
National Officials: Two (2) National Councillors, one of which shall also be the National Executive Member.
6. Tasmania Chapter Council: Seven (7) members comprising one (1) councillor from each of the groups respectively as defined and four (4) councillors representing the membership of the Chapter as a whole.
Executive: President, Vice President, Treasurer.
National Officials: Two (2) National Councillors, one of which shall also be the National Executive Member.
7. Western Australia Chapter Council: Ten (10) members.
Executive: Four (4) members of Council and Office Bearers.
Office Bearers: President, Vice President, Treasurer.
National Officials: Two (2) National Councillors, one of which shall also be the National Executive Member.

8. Queensland Chapter
Council: Ten (10) members
Executive: Office Bearers and four (4) members of the Council.
Office Bearers: President, Vice President and Treasurer.
National Officials: Two (2) National Councillors, one of which shall also be the National Executive Member.

(b) Reason for the Election

Annual elections as provided in the Rules of the Association

(c) Closure of Roll for Votes

The Roll will close 10 days prior to date nominations for office are invited.

(d) Voting System

The voting system is a collegiate system.

ATTACHMENT 2.

THE NATIONAL ELECTRICAL CONTRACTORS ASSOCIATION

CONDUCT OF ELECTIONS FOR OFFICE 2009 ELECTION TIMETABLE - REGULATION 61(1)(e)

Chapter Committee Elections			Rule
Tuesday	9 June	Nominations invited	23(a)
Tuesday	23 June	Nominations close	
Tuesday	30 June	If ballot - issue ballot papers	23(g)(i)
Tuesday	14 July	Ballot closes	23(g)(iii)(a)
Chapter Office Bearers			
	July/August	1st chapter meeting after committee - Chapter Office Bearers - Chapter Executive - National Councillors	25(a)
National Office Bearers and Executive			
Tuesday	21 July	Nominations invited	18(a)
Tuesday	4 August	Nominations close	18(c)
Thursday	6 August	If ballot - issue ballot papers	18(f)
Thursday	20 August	Ballot closes	18(f)
Election of Secretaries			
National	2011		19
Victoria	2010		26(a)
South Australia	2011		26(a)
New South Wales	2011		26(a)
Australian Capital Territory	2012		26(a)
Tasmania	2011		26(a)
Western Australia	2012		26(a)
Queensland	2011		
