



Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Act 2009

POST ELECTION REPORT

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ELECTIONS COVERED IN THIS REPORT

Election Decision No/s: E2014/284

RULES

Rules used for elections Rule ID: [283V: Incorporates alterations of 31 December 2014 (R2013/128 & R2014/261)]
replaces 10 January 2014 (R2013/128)]

Rules difficult to apply/interpret: None

Model Rule reference (if any): N/A

ROLL OF VOTERS N/A

ALLEGATIONS OF IRREGULARITIES RECEIVED

Details of written allegations of irregularities, and action taken by AEC: N/A

Other irregularities identified, and action taken: N/A

ATTACHMENTS

Declaration of results for contested offices - Divisional Secretary.

Ishtiaq Ahmed
Returning Officer
27/5/2015

National Tertiary Education Industry Union Vacancy Election - ACT Division

Declaration of Results for Contested Offices

E2015/284

Below are 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.

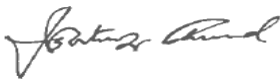
ACT Division

Total number of names on the roll of voters	1169
Ballot papers issued	1169
Replacement ballot papers issued	1
Total Ballot Papers Issued	1170
Ballot papers / envelopes returned for scrutiny	261
Less ballot papers / envelopes rejected at preliminary scrutiny	1
Adjusting balance	0
Total Ballot Papers Admitted to Scrutiny	260
Percentage of ballot papers returned to number issued	22.33

Division Secretary

<u>Candidates</u>	<u>Votes</u>
BAHL, Rachael	177
APPLEGATE, Craig	83
Total votes	260
Formal ballot papers	260
Informal ballot papers	0

I declare Rachael Bahl as elected.



Ishtiaq Ahmed
Returning Officer
Australian Electoral Commission

15 April 2015



DECISION

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

National Tertiary Education Industry Union
(E2014/284)

MS O'NEILL

MELBOURNE, 7 JANUARY 2015

Arrangement for conduct of election.

[1] On 20 December 2014 the National Tertiary Education Industry Union lodged with the Fair Work Commission the prescribed information in relation to an election to fill a casual vacancy for the remainder of the term of office in the following office:

ACT Division

Division Secretary

[2] I am satisfied that an election for the abovenamed office 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.



GENERAL MANAGER

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Attachment A

NATIONAL TERTIARY EDUCATION INDUSTRY UNION - REQUEST FOR ELECTIONS TO BE HELD.

I, **GRAHAME McCULLOCH**, General Secretary of the National Tertiary Education Industry Union, hereby request, pursuant to Section 189 of the Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Act 2009, that the General Manager arrange for the conduct of a further election for this organisation in 2014 or 2015, and state as follows:

1. Elections are required for those offices specified in the attached table, Attachment B. It is mandatory that the Division Secretary position be filled by election within 3 months under Rule 80. Attached is a copy of th Stephen Darwin’s resignation as the ACT Division Secretary.
2.
 - (a) **The name of the office** (Regulation 138(1)(a)) is specified in the first and second columns of Attachment B.
 - (b) **The reason for the election** (138(1)(b)) is as specified in the fifth column of Attachment B, according to the Key to Election Request which is at the Annexure to Attachment B.
 - (c) **Where more than one of the offices in respect of which an election is required have the same name** (138(1)(c)) the number of such offices is as specified in the third column of Attachment B, headed “No. Required”.
 - (d) **The electorate from which the office is to be elected** (138(1)(d)) is as indicated in the fourth column of Attachment B, headed “Elected By”, read in conjunction with the Annexure to Attachment B.
 - (e) **The voting system to be employed** (138(1)(g)) in the conduct of the election is as indicated in the sixth column of Attachment B read in conjunction with the Annexure to Attachment B.
 - (f) **The period during which nominations may be called** (138(1)(e)) is not specified in this case.
3. The terms of office for each office in the attached table is four years.

4. **The date provided for in the rules as the day on which the roll of voters is to be closed** (138(1)(f)) is the seventh day before the date determined for the opening of nominations (72.1).

I have forwarded to the Australian Electoral Commission a copy of this request. It is our hope to advertise nominations according to the following timetable:

Close of role/despatch of nomination form: 15 January 2015

Open of Nominations: 22 January 2015

Close of Nominations: 6 February 2015

It would therefore be appreciated, if possible, if this request could be approved as soon as possible.

Please contact Tracey Coster on (0400 565 938) or Ken McAlpine on (0418 357 499) in the first instance should you have any questions regarding this request.



GRAHAME McCULLOCH
General Secretary

20 December 2014

Attachment B

<u>DIVISION OFFICES</u>					
Branch	Position	Number Required	Elected by	Reason for Election	Voting System
<u>ACT Division</u>					
	Division Secretary	1	AM	4	D

KEY TO ELECTION REQUEST

Column: "Elected By"

- AM** Elected by and from all members of the Branch/Sub-Branch/Division/National Membership.
- AS** Elected by and from members of the Academic Staff Section of the Branch/Sub-Branch/ Division/National Membership.
- GS** Elected by and from members of the General Staff Section of the Branch/Sub-Branch/Division/National Membership.
- DC** Elected by and from the Division Council in the relevant Division.
- NC** Elected by and from the National Council.
- BC** Elected by and from the Branch Committee
- IM** Elected by and from the Indigenous Members of the Branch/Sub-Branch/Division/National Electoral Roll
- IC** Elected by and from the Indigenous Policy Committee

Column: "Reason for Election"

1. That the term of office has expired.
2. That there is a casual vacancy in the office.
3. That a new office has been created.
4. The person elected to this position has resigned
5. This position was not filled at the last election

Column: "Voting System"

- D** A direct voting system is to be used.
- C** A collegiate voting system is to be used.