



DECISION

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

Police Federation of Australia
(E2020/16)

MR ENRIGHT

MELBOURNE, 6 MARCH 2020

Arrangement for conduct of election.

[1] On 21 January 2020 the Queensland Police Branch of the Police Federation of Australia lodged with the Registered Organisations Commission prescribed information for an election to fill a casual vacancy for the remainder of the term, and to fill insufficient nominations received in a previous election (**E2019/144**) for the following offices:

Branch Conference Delegates from Far Northern Region, Cluster 2	(1)
Branch Conference Delegates from Central Region, Cluster 9	(1)
Branch Conference Delegates from South East Region, Cluster 25	(1)
Branch Conference Delegates from South East Region, Cluster 28	(1)
Branch Conference Delegates from Metropolitan South Region, Cluster 42	(1)
Branch Conference Delegates from Headquarters and Support Region, Cluster 48	(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.



DELEGATE OF THE COMMISSIONER

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21 January 2020

Mark Bielecki
Commissioner
Registered Organisations Commission

By email: regorgs@roc.gov.au

ATTN: Chris Enright

Dear Commissioner,

Please find **enclosed** by way of lodgement:

- Prescribed Information for an Election of the Police Federation of Australia, Queensland Police Branch – Branch Conference Delegates not filled in election E2019/144;
- Prescribed Information for an Election of the Police Federation of Australia, Queensland Police Branch – Branch Conference Delegates arising from a casual vacancy; and
- Prescribed Information for an Election of the Police Federation of Australia, Queensland Police Branch – Branch Secretary.
- Notification of Change of Records required to be kept.

The elections are to be conducted in accordance with the Police Federation of Australia, Part CF2 Rules and I confirm that there are no rule changes pending that will the Part CF2 Rules.

I confirm that the Prescribed Information for the election of the Branch Secretary is lodged in accordance with section 187 of the *Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Act 2009* (Cth) as it is a position and not an office.

I **enclose** a copy of the request I will cause to be sent to the Australian Electoral Commission in accordance with section 187.

Yours faithfully

IAN LEAVERS
BRANCH PRESIDENT

PRESCRIBED INFORMATION FOR ELECTION

Section 189 of the Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Act 2009 (Cth)

Section 138 of the Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Regulations 2009 (Cth)

I am an officer of the Queensland Police Branch of the Police Federation of Australia and am authorised to sign this statement which is lodged in accordance with subsection 189(1) of the *Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Act 2009 (Cth)*.

Each office or position for which an election is required – Recall Election

Queensland Police Branch Conference Delegate – Far Northern Region, Cluster 2
Queensland Police Branch Conference Delegate – Central Region, Cluster 9
Queensland Police Branch Conference Delegate – South East Region, Cluster 25
Queensland Police Branch Conference Delegate – South East Region, Cluster 28
Queensland Police Branch Conference Delegate – Metropolitan South Region, Cluster 42

Each office or position for which an election is required – Casual Vacancy Election

Queensland Police Branch Conference Delegate – Headquarters and Support Region, Cluster 48

The reason for the elections

The offices for which an election is required is Cluster 3, 9, 25, 28 and 42 which offices were not filled in election E2019/144, as nominations were not received for the respective office (**Recall Election**).

The office for which an election is required is Cluster 48 which office is vacant as a result of a casual vacancy occurring (**Casual Vacancy Election**).

Electorates

One Conference Delegate will be elected by, and from, the Members of each of the respective Clusters.

Dates and time of nominations opening and closing

The Manager must fix the opening day and closing day for nominations for an office – see Part CF2, sub-rule 45(a).

The closing day must be at least 28 days after notice is given under rule 47 – see Part CF2, sub-rule 45(b).

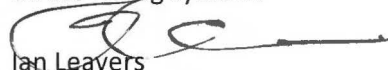
Nominations open at midday on the opening day and close at midday on the closing day – see Part CF2, sub-rule 45(c).

Day provided for in the rules as the day on which the roll of voters is to be closed

30 days before the starting time for nominations – see Part CF2, sub-rule 43(a)(iii) and rule 52.

Voting system

Direct voting system.



Ian Leavers
Branch President
Queensland Police Branch
Police Federation of Australia

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Each office or position for which an election is required

Queensland Police Branch – Branch Secretary

The reason for the elections

The term of the position has expired or is due to expire in the normal course of events.

Rules

The election is to be conducted in accordance with the Police Federation of Australia, Part CF2 Rules. There are no rule changes pending that will affect this election.

Electorates

The Branch Secretary will be elected by, and from, the members (of the Branch who are financial in accordance with the Part CF2 rules), the Branch Secretary and the Branch Assistant Secretary.

Dates and time of nominations opening and closing

The Manager (the Manager of an election being the person appointed in accordance with the Act to manage and conduct an election) must fix the opening day and closing day for nominations – see Part CF2, sub-rule 45(a).

The closing day must be at least 28 days after notice is given under Part CF2 rule 47 (calling for nomination) – see Part CF2, sub-rule 45(b).

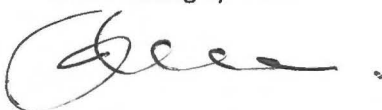
Nominations open at midday on the opening day and close at midday on the closing day – see Part CF2, sub-rule 45(c).

Day provided for in the rules as the day on which the roll of voters is to be closed

30 days before the starting time for nominations - see Part CF2, rules 43(a)(iii), 47(b)(vii) and 52(b)(i)(1).

Voting system

Direct voting system.



Ian Leavers
Branch President
Queensland Police Branch
Police Federation of Australia
Date: 21 January 2020

Notification of change to the records required to be kept in accordance with section 230 of the *Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Act 2009 (Cth)* and regulation 147 *Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Regulations 2009 (Cth)*

I, Ian Leavers, c/o 217 North Quay, Brisbane in the State of Queensland declare:

1. I am the Branch President of the Police Federation of Australia, Queensland Police Branch.
2. I am authorised to make this notification under the Part CF2 of the Police Federation of Australia rules.
3. The names, postal addresses and occupations of the persons holding office as Branch Conference Delegates have changed.
4. I attached as **Schedule 1** and lodge the current list of names, postal addresses and occupations of the persons holding the office of Branch Conference Delegate.
5. This declaration is a correct statement of changes made to the list of the names, postal addresses and occupations of the persons holding office in the Police Federation of Australia, Queensland Police Branch.

Declared at North Quay, Brisbane on *2/* January 2020.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Ian Leavers', written over a horizontal line.

Ian Leavers

Branch President

Schedule 1

List of Names, Postal Addresses and Occupations of persons holding Office

Queensland Police Branch

Date of Change	Name of Office	Name of New Office Holder	Name of Outgoing Office Holder	Postal Address	Occupation
3 January 2020	Branch Conference Delegate – Headquarters and Support Region, Cluster 48	VACANT	Marshall Bostock	c/o 217 North Quay Brisbane Qld 4000	Police officer





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21 January 2020

Commissioner
Australian Electoral Commission

By email: ATTN: Chris McCormack Chris.McCormack@aec.gov.au

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Dear Commissioner,

The Part CF2 Rules of the Police Federation of Australia, Queensland Police Branch require an election to be held for the position of Branch Secretary.

The Police Federation of Australia, Queensland Police Branch requests that the AEC conduct the election in 2020.

The Prescribed Information for the Election for the position of Branch Secretary has been lodged with the Registered Organisations Commission and we **enclose** a copy for your reference.

Yours faithfully

IAN LEAVERS
BRANCH PRESIDENT