

Shop, Distributive and Allied Employees Association SDAEA 2010 NSW Branch Elections

DECLARATION OF RESULTS FOR UNCONTESTED OFFICES

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.

E2010/E2689

New South Wales Branch

Branch President

Candidate

DONNELLY, Gregory

Branch Vice President

Candidate

CUTCHER, Gabrielle Herta

Branch Secretary-Treasurer

Candidate

DWYER, Gerard

Branch Assistant Secretary-Treasurer

Candidate

SMITH, Bernie

Branch Trustee (2)

Candidates

CASELL, Cheryl

HAGLEY, Moira

Branch Councillor (Branch membership) (7)

Candidates

AVELLINO, Pauline

DUMYCZ, Maria

JACKSON, Romina

LOGUE, Beryl Jean

LONG, Maria

MILLS, Chris

PONTING, Merilyn

Branch Councillor (Retail membership) (3)

Candidates

BARROS, Suzanne
RIZK, Nayfeh
THOMAS, Heather Dianne

Branch Councillor (Drug and Allied membership)

Candidate

HORDER, Ray

Branch Councillor (Other Industries and Vocational Groupings membership)

Candidate

ROBINS, David

Branch Delegate to National Council (9)

Candidates

BOYLE, Corrine
CASSELL, Cheryl
CUTCHER, Gabrielle Herta
DONNELLY, Gregory
DWYER, Gerard
HAGLEY, Moira
JACKSON, Romina
SMITH, Bernie
THOMAS, Heather Dianne

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

HUGH WILLIAMS
Returning Officer
16 December 2010

Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Act 2009

POST ELECTION REPORT

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ELECTIONS COVERED IN THIS REPORT

Election Decision No/s: E2010/2689

RULES

Rules used for elections Rule ID: [006N: Incorporates alterations of 04/11/2010]
[R2010/118]

Rules difficult to apply/interpret: N/A

Model Rule reference (if any):

ROLL OF VOTERS

As there were no contested offices, no roll of voters was required.

ALLEGATIONS OF IRREGULARITIES RECEIVED

Details of written allegations of irregularities, and action taken by AEC: NIL
Other irregularities identified, and action taken: NIL

ATTACHMENTS

A: E2010-2689 SDAEA NSW Uncontested Declaration

Hugh Williams
Returning Officer
16 December 2010



FAIR WORK
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DECISION

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

Shop, Distributive and Allied Employees Association
(E2010/2689)

T. NASSIOS

MELBOURNE, 8 NOVEMBER 2010

Arrangement for conduct of election.

[1] On 4 November 2010 the Shop, Distributive and Allied Employees Association-New South Wales Branch lodged with Fair Work Australia the prescribed information in relation to an election for the following offices:

Branch President

Branch Vice-President

Branch Secretary

Branch Assistant Secretary-Treasurer

Branch Trustees (2)

Branch Councillors (12) elected as follows:

Branch Councillors elected by total membership of the Branch (7)

Branch Councillors elected by retail sector membership of the Branch (3)

Branch Councillor elected by drug & allied industry membership of the Branch (1)

Branch Councillor elected by other industry & vocational groupings of the Branch (1)

Branch Delegates to National Council (number to be determined in accordance with the rules)

[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 GENERAL MANAGER
FAIR WORK AUSTRALIA

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Branch Secretary-Treasurer
Gerard Dwyer

4 November 2010

The General Manager
Fair Work Australia
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MELBOURNE VIC 3001

Attention: Ms Eve Anderson

Dear Sir / Madam,

Re: Shop, Distributive and Allied Employees' Association, New South Wales Branch
Re: Conduct of Elections in Branch
Re: Fair Work Act 2009
Re: Conduct of Branch Election by the Australian Electoral Commission

Please find enclosed documentation containing the prescribed information in respect of an election pursuant to section 189 (1) of the Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Act 2009 in the Shop, Distributive & Allied Employees' Association, New South Wales Branch.

The Branch Council of the New South Wales Branch of the Association wishes the elections to be conducted by the Australian Electoral Commission and accordingly the attached documentation is forwarded to you in order to commence the process leading to this election.

If you need any further information, please do not hesitate to contact me on (02) 9392 9501.

Yours faithfully,

Gerard Dwyer
BRANCH SECRETARY-TREASURER

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Statement and Prescribed Information in Respect of an Election

I, Gerard Dwyer, of Level 3, 8 Quay Street, Sydney in the State of New South Wales, make the following statement:-

1. I am the Branch Secretary-Treasurer of the New South Wales Branch of the Shop, Distributive and Allied Employees' Association, an organisation of employees registered under the Fair Work Act (Registered Organisations) Act 2009.
2. I am authorised to lodge the following prescribed information concerning forthcoming elections in the New South Wales Branch of the Shop, Distributive and Allied Employees' Association.
3. I confirm that the following information is being lodged under Section 189 (1) of the Fair Work Act (Registered Organisations) Act 2009.

Signed:

Date:

Offices / Positions

Name of Each Office	Number of Each Office	Electorate
Branch President	1	Total Membership in the whole of the Branch
Branch Vice-President	1	As above
Branch Secretary-Treasurer	1	As above
Branch Assistant Secretary-Treasurer	1	As above
Branch Trustee	2	As above
Branch Councillor	7	As above
Branch Councillor	3	Retail membership only of the Branch
Branch Councillor	1	Drug & Allied membership only of the Branch
Branch Councillor	1	Members of all other industry and vocational groupings only of the Branch
Branch Delegate to National Council	9	Total membership in the whole of the Branch

The reason for the election for each office named above is that the term of office is due to expire in the normal course of events under the rules of the New South Wales Branch of the Organisation.

Under the Rules of the Branch, the closing date for all nominations for the offices set out above is 2:30pm on Monday, 13 December 2010. The Rules provide that the Returning Officer shall call for nominations by advertisement in the public notices column of the Sydney Morning Herald which advertisement shall appear twice at least three days apart and shall each give not less than fourteen days' notice of the date on which nominations are to close.

Under the Rules of the Branch the second advertisement in the Public Notices column of the Sydney Morning Herald would appear on or about Friday 26 November 2010.

The voting system to be employed in the conduct of the election is a direct voting system by the members in the electorates as stated above.

To be precise, if the above dates were to be followed, nominations would open on Monday 29 November 2010 and nominations close at 2.30pm Monday 13 December 2010. The cut off date for the roll is Monday 22 November 2010, in accordance with Rule 10(h).

From: [Bernie Smith](#)
To: [ANDERSON, Eve](#)
Subject: Re: Prescribed information for elections (E2010/2689)
Date: Friday, 5 November 2010 5:07:31 PM

Dear Eve,

As at 4 November 2010 the membership of the SDA NSW Branch was 58,225. I will forward to you the email I received on 4 November from the Branch membership system confirming this figure.

Please do not hesitate to call me on 0413 679 038 if you require any further information.

Regards
Bernie Smith
Assistant Secretary
SDA NSW Branch

Sent from my iPhone

On 05/11/2010, at 4:42 PM, "ANDERSON, Eve" <Eve.Anderson@fwa.gov.au> wrote:

Dear Bernie

Further to the receipt of the prescribed information for an election received at Fair Work Australia on 4 November 2010, I write to request that an officer of the Branch confirm the number of members of the branch. This information is required in order to ascertain the number of delegates to national council to which the Branch is entitled.

EVE ANDERSON

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From: [Bernie Smith](#)
To: [ANDERSON, Eve](#)
Subject: Fwd: Membership Today Stats
Date: Friday, 5 November 2010 5:10:02 PM

As discussed in my previous email please find below the SDA NSW Branch membership as at 4 November.

Regards
Bernie Smith

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

From: "Membership Today" <today@unitededge.com.au>
Date: 4 November 2010 6:00:02 PM AEDT
To: bruce.daniel@unitededge.com.au, robert.tonkli@sdansw.asn.au,
gerard.dwyer@sdansw.asn.au, bernie.smith@sdansw.asn.au
Subject: Membership Today Stats
Reply-To: today@unitededge.com.au

Total Membership Count today is: 58225

Auto-email from Membership Today

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