

**United Firefighters' Union of Australia
Queensland Branch Vacancy Election 2012**

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.

North Coast

Branch Committee of Management - Firefighter Delegate

No valid nomination was received

South Western

Branch Committee of Management - Firefighter Delegate

Candidate

PRICE, Nathan Thomas

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



Michael Eyles
Returning Officer

27 August 2012

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Dear Mr Oliver

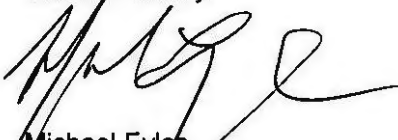
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I refer to my email of Monday 9th August 2012 concerning the arrangements for me to conduct an election for various positions in your Organisation and wish to advise that a ballot will not be necessary.

My declaration of the uncontested offices is attached.

The election is now complete.

Yours sincerely



Michael Eyles
Returning Officer

28 August 2012

cc all uncontested nominees



Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Act 2009 - s197

POST ELECTION REPORT

United Firefighters Union Of Australia (UFUA)

Vacancy Election Queensland E2012/298

Vacancy Election Queensland E2012/356

ELECTION/S COVERED IN THIS REPORT

Election Decision No/s: E2012/298, E2012/356

RULES

Rules used for the election:	<i>259V: Incorporates alterations of 17 January 2012)</i>
Rules difficult to apply/interpret:	<i>None</i>
Model Rule reference (if any):	<i>N/A</i>

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: *Nil.*

Other irregularities identified, and action taken: *Nil.*

ATTACHMENTS

Declaration of Results for Uncontested Offices.

Mick Eyles
Returning Officer
10 January 2013.



FAIR WORK
AUSTRALIA

DECISION

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

United Firefighters' Union of Australia
(E2012/298)

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MELBOURNE, 21 JUNE 2012

Arrangement for conduct of election.

[1] On 28 May 2012 the Queensland Branch of the United Firefighters' Union of Australia lodged with Fair Work Australia the prescribed information in relation to an election for the following offices arising from a lack of nominations in E2011/2707:

Branch Committee of Management Firefighter Delegates (2) from the following regions:

North Coast (1)

South Western (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 GENERAL MANAGER
FAIR WORK AUSTRALIA

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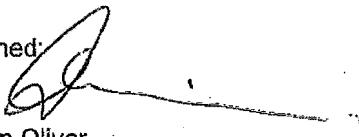
Notice and Statement of Prescribed Information for an Election

I, **John Oliver**, being the **Acting Branch Secretary** of the **United Firefighters Union of Australia Queensland Branch**, make the following statement:

I am the **Acting Branch Secretary** of the **United Firefighters Union of Australia Queensland Branch**,

I am authorised to lodge the following prescribed information concerning forthcoming elections in the **Queensland Branch** of the **United Firefighters Union of Australia Queensland Branch**, and

I confirm that the following information is being lodged under subsection 138(1)(a)-(g) of the Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Act 2009

Signed: 

John Oliver
Branch Secretary
United Firefighters Union of Australia Queensland Branch

Dated: 28 May 2012

Offices/Positions

A	N/A
B	South Western – Branch Committee of Management – Firefighter Delegate (DVS) North Coast – Branch Committee of Management – Firefighter Delegate (DVS)

Reasons for election:

- No nominations were received in last round of elections through the Australian Electoral Commission.

Elected by:

- The electorate for the direct voting system for:
South Western – Branch Committee of Management – Firefighter Delegate is all Firefighters and Officers in South Western Region (excluding Auxiliary Firefighters, Senior Officers and Communications Centres' officers).
North Coast – Branch Committee of Management – Firefighter Delegate is all Firefighters and Officers in South Western Region (excluding Auxiliary Firefighters, Senior Officers and Communications Centres' officers).

Nominations open:

- As determined by the Australian Electoral Commission.

Nominations close:

- As determined by the Australian Electoral Commission.

Cut off date for roll:

- In all cases - 7 days prior to the opening date for nominations - rule 22(g).

Notes:

The above sample Notice and Statement would satisfy each of the particulars required under s189(1) and the relevant regulations.

The Notice and Statement are required to be lodged at least 2 months before the first day of nominations as set out in the rules of the organisation – the General Manager of FWA may allow for a later day - see subsection 138(1(a)-(g)) and regulations.

The requirement to lodge election information under s189(2) is a civil penalty provision – see s305.