# **Tasmanian Branch**

# ELECTION NOTICE - E2018/135

#### **Scheduled Election**

Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Act 2009

Nominations are called for:

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- Branch President (1)
- Branch Vice President (1)
- Branch Executive Member (4)
- Branch Councillor (14)

**Nominations**, which must be in writing and comply with the registered rules of the Organisation, may be made at any time from 9:00am Australian Eastern Standard Time (AEST) 10/09/2018.

Nomination forms are available on request.

Prospective candidates and nominators should verify their financial status and any other qualifications required by the Federation's rules prior to lodging nominations.

Nominations must reach the Returning Officer via the lodgement method(s) stipulated below **not later than** 12:00pm Australian Eastern Standard Time (AEST) **on** 24/09/2018.

#### How to lodge nominations, nominations must be lodged via the following method(s):

- By Post: Ben Murray, Returning Officer, AEC, GPO BOX 4382 MELBOURNE VIC 3001
- **By Hand:** Returning Officer, AEC, Level 8, Casselden Place 2 Lonsdale Street MELBOURNE VIC 3000 Please contact the Returning Officer to make an appointment if lodging nomination/s by hand
- By Fax: 02 6293 7603
- **By Email:** A properly completed nomination form including all necessary signatures and attachments may be scanned and submitted as a pdf file to <u>vicelections@aec.gov.au</u>

#### PLEASE NOTE:

- 1. Emails to the AEC inbox that appear to be spam may be blocked. It is the responsibility of senders to ensure that their email reaches the AEC before the deadline for nominations.
- 2. In order to be able to be received by the AEC, emails (including attachments) should be no greater than 6 MB in size.
- 3. You may call 03 9285 7129 to enquire about the status of your nomination.

## Withdrawing Nominations

Nominations cannot be withdrawn after 12:00pm Australian Eastern Standard Time (AEST) on 24/09/2018.

## **Candidate Statements**

Candidates may submit a statement (**together** with a photograph of the candidate if desired) to be included with ballot material. Such statement shall not exceed two hundred words. Only statements which comply with the Rules and are received by the Returning Officer by 12:00pm (Australian Eastern Standard Time (AEST)) on 01/10/2018 can be accepted.

## **Voting Period**

The ballot, if required, will open on 22/10/2018 and close at 5:00pm Australian Eastern Standard Time (AEST) on 12/11/2018.

## Scrutineers

The appointment of scrutineers opens 10/09/2018 and closes 5:00pm Australian Eastern Standard Time (AEST) on 13/11/2018.

A form is available from the Returning Officer for the purposes of appointing Scrutineers.

# **Other Information**

Changed Address? Advise the Federation now.

Please Note: A copy of the AEC's election report can be obtained from the Federation or from the Returning Officer after the completion of the election.

Benjamin Murray Returning Officer Telephone: 03 9285 7129 Email: <u>vicelections@aec.gov.au</u> 20/08/2018

