



Annual Delegates Conference



HOBART • 29-30 JUNE 2023

APPLICATION FORM

Please detail a resolution for debate at the Annual Delegates Conference. Complete the below form and return it by **5pm Thursday 1 June 2023**. It is mandatory that the Mover and Secunder attend the conference to speak to their resolution. [See instructions overleaf](#).

RESOLUTION:

BACKGROUND:

MOVER:

SECONDER:

Please note both the Mover and the Secunder must be present at the 2023 Annual Delegates Conference on 29 June to speak to their resolutions. Please return your resolutions to us no later than 5pm Thursday 1 June 2023 via email to enquiries@anmftas.org.au, in person to ANMF Hobart office at 182 Macquarie Street, Hobart or post to Reply Paid 70389, Hobart, Tasmania 7000



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GUIDELINES FOR WRITING A RESOLUTION

Resolutions are to be Moved and Seconded by ANMF (Tasmanian Branch) Workplace Representatives who will be attending the Annual Delegates Conference on Thursday 29 June 2023. Resolutions give the ANMF authority to act on behalf of members and are a great way to put change in motion.

WHAT MAKES A RESOLUTION?

1. Must commence with “That”, i.e. That the ANMF (Tasmanian Branch) includes... or That the 2023 ANMF (Tasmanian Branch) Delegates Conference condemns...
2. Must be specific
3. Must not be ambiguous
4. Can not be worded in the first person
5. Must have background preamble that further explains the reason for the resolution and any context
6. May be in parts
7. May be in the negative
8. It could be related to an issue outside of working conditions, like a social justice issue directing ANMF to support a particular campaign or movement
9. The wording of a Resolution might be debated at the conference and subsequently changed. This will be done with the permission of the Primary mover and seconder
10. Should/must include a timeframe or actionable timeline

EXAMPLE: 2021 RESOLUTION

RESOLUTION: That the 2021 ANMF (Tasmanian Branch) Annual Delegates Conference directs the ANMF (Tasmanian Branch) Secretary to press Government to reduce waiting lists for surgical cases within Tasmania. Systems and numbers of available beds and staff should be reviewed and modified to allow more surgery time.

BACKGROUND: With waiting lists over 12,000 and the longest waiting lists in Australia it is time to address this issue. Through the pre-election the most significant problem expressed in media was the public outrage over this issue.

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