

Shop, Distributive and Allied Employees Association

ELECTION NOTICE - E2024/118

Casual Vacancy Election

Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Act 2009

Nominations are called for:

Victorian Branch

- Branch Delegate to National Council (1)

Nominations, which must be in writing and comply with the registered rules of the Organisation, may be made at any time from 25/07/2024.

A nomination form is available for electronic completion on the AEC Portal, www.aec.gov.au/ieb/. However, the nomination form must then be lodged in accordance with the Organisation's rules (see below).

Additional forms are available from the Returning Officer.

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

Nominations must reach the Returning Officer via the lodgement method(s) stipulated below **not later than** 9:00am Australian Eastern Standard Time (AEST) **on** 08/08/2024.

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

By Portal: Australian Electoral Commission Portal, www.aec.gov.au/ieb/

By Email: A properly completed nomination form including all necessary signatures and attachments may be scanned and submitted as a pdf file to IEBnominations@aec.gov.au. The subject line of your email should include the reference: **"AVC6G – E2024/118 SDAEA VIC - Nomination & [your name]"**

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 7111 to enquire about the status of your nomination.

Withdrawing Nominations

Nominations cannot be withdrawn after 9:00am Australian Eastern Standard Time (AEST) on 15/08/2024.

Voting Period

The ballot, if required, will open on 29/08/2024 and close at 10:00am Australian Eastern Standard Time (AEST) on 26/09/2024. A postal vote pack will be mailed to eligible voters on 29/08/2024.

Replacement Voter Pack

If the postal vote pack is not received by 10/09/2024 voters may contact the AEC to request a replacement voter pack by calling 02 9375 6366 or 03 9285 7111 or by sending email to IEBevents@aec.gov.au . If you are on the roll of voters, a replacement ballot pack will be sent by regular mail.

Other Information

Changed Address? Advise your Organisation now. The postal vote pack will be sent to your current postal address as provided to the AEC by your Organisation.

Scrutineers

The appointment of scrutineers opens 25/07/2024 and closes 5:00pm Australian Eastern Standard Time (AEST) on 28/08/2024.

A scrutineer appointment form is available on the AEC's website or from the Returning Officer. <https://www.aec.gov.au/ieb/files/scrutineer-appointment-form.pdf>

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

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22/07/2024

