

Health Services Union
ELECTION NOTICE - E2018/46

Scheduled Election

South Australia/ Northern Territory Branch

Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Act 2009

Nominations are called for the following offices:

Secretary (1)

Assistant Secretary (1)

President

Senior Vice President

Ordinary member of Branch Committee of Management (5)

Delegate to National Council (2)

NOMINATIONS

Nominations, which must be in writing and comply with the registered rules of the Union, may be made at any time from Friday 15 June 2018 and must reach the Returning Officer at their office or postal address **not later than 12pm ACST on Friday, 29 June 2018.**

Nominations cannot be withdrawn after this time.

Nomination forms are available from the Returning Officer from the website of the AEC (www.aec.gov.au) or the Union's website. (www.hsu.net.au).

CANDIDATE STATEMENTS

Candidates for Branch Officers, Committee of Management Members and Delegates to National Council may lodge with their nomination a written statement, limited to a maximum of 300 words, and may also have a photo sent as a .jpeg file in support of their candidature. Statements and photos which comply with the organisation's Rules will be distributed with the ballot papers. Statements must be submitted to the Returning Officer as a word document (.doc) either by email to saelections@aec.gov.au or on a USB. The statement and photo **must be lodged with the nomination form** and reach my office or postal address no later than 12pm ACST on Friday 29 June 2018.

Note: that emails greater than 6 MB size may not be accepted by the AEC's firewall.

Note: A Candidate Statement template and Word Count Guide is able to be downloaded from the AEC website at www.aec.gov.au under elections/industrial elections tabs.

HOW TO LODGE NOMINATIONS

Nominations must be lodged via the following method(s):

By Post: Paul Langtry, Returning Officer GPO Box 9867 ADELAIDE SA 5001

By Hand: Returning Officer, Australian Electoral Commission, Level 9, 1 King William St, ADELAIDE SA 5000

By Fax: 02 6293 7638

By Email: A properly completed nomination form including all necessary signatures and attachments may be scanned and submitted as a pdf file to saelections@aec.gov.au

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 08 8237 6522 to check.

Voting Period

The ballot, if required, will open on Friday 31 August 2018 and close at 10am ACST on Thursday 27 September 2018.

Scrutineers

The appointment of scrutineers opens on Friday 15 June 2018 and closes 12pm ACST on Friday 29 June 2018. A form is available from the Returning Officer for the purpose of appointing Scrutineers.

In accordance with Rule 23(d) (ixx). If a ballot is required I will conduct clearances of the AEC mailbox at the GPO Mail Centre in Franklin Street on the following dates and times:

7 September 2018 at 10am ACST
21 September 2018 at 10am ACST
27 September 2018 at 10am ACST

Candidates are requested to contact the Returning Officer if they intend for a scrutineer to observe this process.

Other Information

Members should notify the Union of any change of address.

A copy of the AEC's election report can be obtained from the Union or from the Returning Officer after the completion of the election.

Paul Langtry
Returning Officer

15 June 2018