

**Police Federation of Australia
Queensland Police Branch
Scheduled Election E2017/42
Election Notice**

Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Act 2009

Nominations are called for **Branch Regional Representatives** from each of the following Regions:

- Far Northern (1)
- Central (1)
- Southern (1)
- Metropolitan North (1)
- Headquarters and Support regional offices (1)

NOTE:

1. Nominations must be
 - a) In writing,
 - b) Signed by the nominee,
 - c) Seconded by 3 members,In accordance with the Election Procedure Rule 42
2. Only Members, financial as at the date of the calling of nominations, may nominate for, second any nomination for or vote in an election for any office in the Branch or a Sub-Branch. Please refer to Election Procedure Rule 42, Calling for Nominations Rule 47 and Nomination Procedure Rule 48.
3. Nominations open at 12:00 noon on Wednesday 12 April 2017 and must reach the Returning Officer at the office or postal address below not later than **12:00 noon** on Wednesday 10 May 2017
4. Candidates may submit a statement (limit of 200 words) to be included with ballot material. Only statements which comply with the Organisation's rules and are received by the Returning Officer by 12:00 noon on Friday 12 May 2017 will be published.
5. Prospective candidates and nominators should verify their financial status and any other qualifications required by the Organisation's rules prior to lodging nominations.
6. Nominations cannot be withdrawn after 12 noon on Wednesday 17 May 2017.
7. As a candidate you will be sent an acknowledgment.
8. It is your responsibility to ensure that your nomination is received by the Returning Officer **before** nominations close.

HOW TO LODGE NOMINATIONS

By post: PO Box 1205, NORTH LAKES QLD 4509

By fax: (07) 3049 2120

By hand: Level 1, 12 Endeavour Blvd, NORTH LAKES QLD 4509

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

The ballot, if required, will open 12:00 noon on Monday 22 May 2017 and close at 12:00 noon on Monday 12 June 2017. Only a person who was a Member 30 days before the opening time for nominations may vote in the election. The ballot will be decided by a first-past-the-post system of voting.

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

Darren Drysdale
Returning Officer
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31 March 2017

