Post-election Report

Communications, Electrical, Electronic, Energy, Information, Postal, Plumbing and Allied Services Union of Australia, (CEPU) - Electrical, Energy and Services Division – E2017/109



Australian Electoral Commission

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Election(s) Covered in this Report

Election Decision No/s:

E2017/109

Rules

Rules used for the election: ([128V-ELE: Incorporates alterations certified on 4 April

2018 in matter R2017/201] (replaces 4 April 2017

[R2017/37] version)

Rules difficult to apply/interpret: The office was created by a determination in

accordance with sub-rule 9.5.1 on 11 April 2017, and the term of office, in accordance with sub-rule 9.5.4, would end at the next quadrennial election (2019)

following the filling of the office.

Rules not clear on how to conduct the election. Rule 9.5.2 refers to filling the office of Assistant Divisional Secretary "where the position is to commence prior to the next Quadrennial Election by collegiate election of the Divisional Council conducted in accordance with

rule 15.18."

However rule 15.18 does not list this office, making it difficult for the Returning officer to apply and interpret

rules and conduct the election.

The office is listed under Rule 15.19 which refers to a direct election to fill this office when it is a quadrennial

Scheduled election.

Rules regarding election for this particular office should be amended to reflect whether it is to be either via a direct or a collegiate method and outline the process

clearly.

Model Rule reference (if any)

Please refer to the AEC's Model Rules Guide for further

assistance. The link appears here

Roll of Voters

As there were no contested offices, no Roll of Voters was required.

Irregularities

Details of written allegations of irregularities, and

action taken by AEC:

None

Other irregularities identified, and action taken:

None

Other Matters

None

Attachments

1) Declaration of results for Uncontested Offices – E2017/109

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11 July 2018