

Screen Producers Association of Australia

ELECTION NOTICE - E2024/71 - Stage 1

Scheduled Election

Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Act 2009

Nominations are called for:

Producer Member Division

- Producer Councillor (Group A) (3)

Services and Facilities Member Division

- Services and Facilities Councillor (Insufficient Nominations) (1)

Nominations, which must be in writing and comply with the registered rules of the Organisation, may be made at any time from 23/08/2024.

A nomination form must be lodged in accordance with the Organisation's rules (see below).

Rule 15(c) provides that each nomination may be made and seconded only by members of the class for which the candidate is standing. No nomination shall enable a person to be a candidate for election unless:-

- (i) The nomination is signed by the person nominating the candidate and by the person seconding the nomination (neither of whom shall be the candidate himself), and also bears the candidate's signature to a statement that they accept the nomination.
- (ii) The nomination is lodged with the returning officer on or before the date specified as the closing date for the lodging of nominations.

Additional forms are available from the Returning Officer.

Prospective candidates and nominators 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 stipulated below **not later than** 5:00pm Australian Eastern Standard Time (AEST) **on** 06/09/2024.

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

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 **"E2024/71 – Stage 1 – SPAA - 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.

Voting Period

The ballot, if required, will open on 20/09/2024 and close at 10:00am Australian Eastern Daylight Time (AEDT) on 18/10/2024. A postal vote pack will be mailed to eligible voters on 20/09/2024.

Replacement Voter Pack

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

Scrutineers

The appointment of scrutineers opens on 23/08/2024 and closes at 5:00pm Australian Eastern Standard Time (AEST) on 13/09/2024.

A form is available from the Returning Officer for the purposes of appointing Scrutineers.

Other Information

Changed Address? Advise the Organisation now.

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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