

# Nomination of a Member of the House of Representatives

## Single nomination – endorsed candidate

This form should be used where an individual candidate for the House of Representatives is endorsed by a registered political party and nominated by the Registered Officer of the political party.

A registered officer of a registered political party may not nominate more than one candidate as an endorsed candidate for a single Division in any State or Territory.

Additional information is available in the *Candidates Handbook* and the *Nomination Guide*.

To the Divisional Returning Officer for the division of

I am the:  Registered Officer **or**  Deputy Registered Officer

Name of Registered Officer/Deputy Registered Officer

Name of Registered political party

Candidate Family name

Candidate Given name(s)

I request that printed on the ballot paper adjacent to the name of the candidate appears:

The registered party name **or**  The registered abbreviation of the party name

I request the logo of the party entered in the Register to appear on the ballot papers

I nominate/endorse the candidate listed above as a Member for the House of Representatives for the Division indicated.

Signature of Registered Officer/Deputy Registered Officer

Registered Officer

Date

**CHECK**

Nomination of a Member of the House of Representatives form **(form 60)** correctly filled in with all relevant questions answered.

All nomination forms **signed and dated**.

Candidate's **deposit** (\$1000 in cash or a cheque drawn by a bank or other financial institution on itself) is **enclosed**.

**Appointment of Candidate Agent form included** (if applicable).

**Qualification checklist relating to section 44 of the Constitution and additional documentation included** (optional).

**AEC Use Only**

Receipt No.

DRO received name

DRO Signature

Date

Time received (24 hour)

Information on this form is collected under the provisions of the *Commonwealth Electoral Act 1918* (CEA).

The nomination form will be publicly produced at the time of the declaration of nominations, which takes place 24 hours after nominations close, and may be inspected at any time following the declaration of nominations by members of the public in accordance with the *Commonwealth Electoral Act 1918*.

No responsibility will be taken for faxed nominations and no acknowledgement of receipt of faxes will be advised. The form may be sent by fax to the relevant Divisional Returning Officer (DRO). No other kind of electronic communication will be accepted. The time of receipt for faxed forms is the time when the message enters the relevant Australian Electoral Commission (AEC) fax machine memory and it is agreed that the AEC is not responsible for any deadlines missed or losses incurred. The deposit cannot be lodged electronically, and it is the responsibility of the candidate to ensure that both the fax and the required deposit are received by the DRO before the close of nominations.

If a Registered Officer or a Deputy Registered Officer nominates a party's endorsed candidates for the House of Representatives to the Australian Electoral Officer (AEO), no nomination of any other candidates endorsed by that party should be made to a DRO within that State or Territory. If a nomination for another candidate endorsed by the same party is lodged with a DRO all the party's nominations made to the AEO under section 167(3) of the *Commonwealth Electoral Act 1918* will be rejected (section 172 CEA).

If your party has a logo entered in the Register of Political Parties at the time of nomination, you may request to have that logo printed adjacent to the candidate's name on the ballot paper.

For further information, please refer to the AEC website at [www.aec.gov.au](http://www.aec.gov.au) or call 13 23 26.

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