



REGISTER OF POLITICAL PARTIES

The Australian Electoral Commission (AEC) has received the following application for registration as a political party under the provisions of the *Commonwealth Electoral Act 1918* (the Electoral Act).

Name of Party:	Republican Party of Australia
Abbreviation of party name:	The Australian Republicans
Proposed registered officer:	Peter Warren Consandine
Registered officer's address:	412/33 Lexington Drive BELLA VISTA NSW 2153

The application for registration is made by the secretary and another 9 members of the party and the party wishes to receive election funding.

If you believe that the party should not be registered because, under the Electoral Act:

- the party does not meet the eligibility criteria for registration; or
- the party's application has not been correctly made; or
- the party's name is prohibited,

you may lodge an objection. Objections must be received by the AEC by **5 July 2013**, must be in writing and include your name, street address, signature and the grounds for your objection. Objections can be sent to:

<u>Post</u>	<u>Email</u>	<u>Fax</u>
Funding and Disclosure Section Australian Electoral Commission PO Box 6172 Kingston, ACT 2604	fad@aec.gov.au	(02) 6293 7655

For more detailed information on objecting to an application to change the *Register of Political Parties*, please consult the AEC website at the following link, or contact the AEC by fax or email as above, or by phone on (02) 6271 4607. <http://www.aec.gov.au/applications>

Any objections to this application are public documents and will be published on the AEC website whilst the application is being further processed.

(signed)

Donella Greer

A/g Director, Funding and Disclosure
Delegate of the Australian Electoral Commission