

# Appendices

## State General Election Dates – Legislative Assembly

Parliament	Date of Election	Total Seats	Party Elected
1st Parliament	* 27 November to 12 December 1890	30	Forrest Party
2nd Parliament	* 14 June to 3 July 1894	33	Forrest Party
3rd Parliament	* 27 April to 28 May 1897	44	Forrest Party
4th Parliament	24 April 1901	50	Leake Party
5th Parliament	28 June 1904	50	Labor
6th Parliament	27 October 1905	50	Liberal
7th Parliament	11 September 1908	50	Liberal
8th Parliament	3 October 1911	50	Labor
9th Parliament	21 October 1914	50	Labor
10th Parliament	29 September 1917	50	Nationalist & Country Party Coalition
11th Parliament	12 March 1921	50	Nationalist & Country Party Coalition
12th Parliament	22 March 1924	50	Australian Labor Party
13th Parliament	26 March 1927	50	Australian Labor Party
14th Parliament	12 April 1930	50	Nationalist & Country Party Coalition
15th Parliament	8 April 1933	50	Australian Labor Party
16th Parliament	15 February 1936	50	Australian Labor Party
17th Parliament	18 March 1939	50	Australian Labor Party
18th Parliament	20 November 1943	50	Australian Labor Party
19th Parliament	15 March 1947	50	Liberal & Country League and Country Party Coalition
20th Parliament	25 March 1950	50	Liberal & Country League and Country Party Coalition
21st Parliament	14 February 1953	50	Australian Labor Party
22nd Parliament	7 April 1956	50	Australian Labor Party
23rd Parliament	21 March 1959	50	Liberal & Country League and Country Party Coalition
24th Parliament	31 March 1962	50	Liberal & Country League and Country Party Coalition
25th Parliament	20 February 1965	50	Liberal & Country League and Country Party Coalition
26th Parliament	23 March 1968	51	Liberal & Country League and Country Party Coalition
27th Parliament	20 February 1971	51	Australian Labor Party
28th Parliament	30 March 1974	51	Liberal & National Alliance Coalition
29th Parliament	19 February 1977	55	Liberal & National Country Party Coalition
30th Parliament	23 February 1980	55	Liberal & National Country Party Coalition
31st Parliament	19 February 1983	57	Australian Labor Party
32nd Parliament	8 February 1986	57	Australian Labor Party
33rd Parliament	4 February 1989	57	Australian Labor Party
34th Parliament	6 February 1993	57	Liberal / National Party Coalition
35th Parliament	14 December 1996	57	Liberal / National Party Coalition
36th Parliament	10 February 2001	57	Australian Labor Party
37th Parliament	26 February 2005	57	Australian Labor Party
38th Parliament	6 September 2008	59	Liberal / National Government

\* Until 1970, the Governor in Council had the power under the provision of section 41 of the *Constitution Act 1889*, to fix different dates for election in the different districts. According to Section 71(3) of the *Electoral Act 1907* the same date shall be fixed for the polling in each region or district, as the case requires, however elections for northern seats were still held separately until 1930.

## State General Election Dates – Legislative Council

### Year

- 1832 The first sitting of the Legislative Council was held on 7 February 1832. The first constituted Legislative Council consisted of five official members nominated by, and including, the Governor.
- 1870 Under the terms of the *Australian Colonies Government Act 1850*, twelve elected councillors together with six nominated by the Governor, three official and three non-official, formed the Legislative Council.
- 1887 By 1887 the Legislative Council had increased to a total of twenty six members.
- 1894 The first fully elective Legislative Council was elected on 16 July 1894. Twenty-one members were elected, three from each of seven provinces, one to retire every two years. Enrolment to vote was based on a restricted property franchise.
- 1965 Commencing from 1965, conjoint State General Elections were held for the Legislative Assembly and Legislative Council.

The following table shows the State General Election dates for the Legislative Council since 1894:

Date of Election	Total Seats	Date of Election	Total Seats
16 July 1894	21	4 May 1946	30
27 July 1896	21	8 May 1948	30
9 May 1898	24	6 May 1950	30
14 May 1900	24	3 May 1952	30
12 May 1902	30	8 May 1954	30
30 May 1904	30	7 April 1956	30
13 May 1908	30	10 May 1958	30
13 May 1910	30	30 April 1960	30
14 May 1912	30	12 May 1962	30
16 May 1914	30	20 February 1965	30
13 May 1916	30	23 March 1968	30
11 May 1918	30	20 February 1971	30
8 May 1920	30	30 March 1974	30
13 May 1922	30	19 February 1977	32
10 May 1924	30	23 February 1980	32
8 May 1926	30	19 February 1983	34
12 May 1928	30	8 February 1986	34
10 May 1930	30	4 February 1989	34
7 May 1932	30	6 February 1993	34
12 May 1934	30	14 December 1996	34
9 May 1936	30	10 February 2001	34
7 May 1938	30	26 February 2005	34
11 May 1940	30	6 September 2008	36
29 April 1944	30		

## Preferential Voting System – Legislative Assembly

Preferential voting is a system whereby a candidate must poll an absolute majority of the total formal vote (i.e. in excess of 50%) in order to be elected to the vacancy.

Under a full preferential system, a voter is required to indicate a preference for each candidate on the ballot paper by using the numbers 1, 2, 3 and so on up to the number of candidates. If, after all first preference votes have been counted, no candidate has obtained an absolute majority of all formal votes, then the candidate with the fewest number of first preference votes is excluded from the count. The excluded candidate's second preference votes are then distributed to the remaining candidates at this stage.

If, after that exclusion, no candidate has obtained an absolute majority of formal votes, the next remaining candidate with the fewest votes is excluded and all of his or her votes (second preferences and those received from the previously excluded candidate) are distributed to the remaining candidates.

The above process is repeated until one candidate is elected by obtaining an absolute majority of formal votes. The absolute majority is calculated excluding informal and exhausted votes. An example of the above process is shown below for the District of Balcatta in 2008.

### Example Full Distribution of Preferences

Count	ALP Kobelke	CDP Schofield	FFP George	GRN Lachmund	LIB Hatton	Total Valid Votes	Exhausted Votes	Total Votes
First Preference Votes	7,897	692	377	2,110	7,682	18,758		18,758

### Step 1

The absolute majority at this stage of the count is 9,380. As no candidate has achieved this on first preference votes, George, the candidate with the fewest number of first preference votes is excluded. The excluded candidate's second preference votes are then distributed to the remaining candidates. These votes are then added to the remaining candidates progressive totals. Exhausted votes are formal; however, these are not added to any candidate's total as no consecutive preference has been indicated for the remaining candidates on the ballot paper (e.g. 1,2,2,2 or 1,2,3,3).

Count	ALP Kobelke	CDP Schofield	FFP George	GRN Lachmund	LIB Hatton	Total Valid Votes	Exhausted Votes	Total Votes
			<b>Excluded</b>					
First Distribution	65	108	-377	131	69	373	4	377
<b>Progressive Total</b>	<b>7,962</b>	<b>800</b>		<b>2,241</b>	<b>7,751</b>	<b>18,754</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>18,758</b>

## Step 2

At this stage of the count, the absolute majority is now 9,378. As no candidate has yet achieved this, Schofield, the candidate with the fewest number of votes following the first distribution (800) is next to be excluded. The excluded candidate's second preference votes from the first preferences (692) are then distributed to the remaining candidates, and the third preference votes from the first distribution (108) are also distributed to the remaining candidates. These votes are then added to their progressive total.

Count	ALP Kobelke	CDP Schofield	FFP George	GRN Lachmund	LIB Hatton	Total Valid Votes	Exhausted Votes	Total Votes
		<b>Excluded</b>						
Second Distribution	169	-800		184	446	799	1	800
<b>Progressive Total</b>	<b>8,131</b>			<b>2,425</b>	<b>8,197</b>	<b>18,753</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>18,758</b>

## Step 3

After the second distribution, the absolute majority is now 9,377. The process in step 2 is repeated at this stage for the next candidate to be excluded, Lachmund. His votes (2,425), which include all those transferred to him during the first and second distributions, are distributed to the remaining two candidates, Kobelke and Hatton.

Count	ALP Kobelke	CDP Schofield	FFP George	GRN Lachmund	LIB Hatton	Total Valid Votes	Exhausted Votes	Total Votes
				<b>Excluded</b>				
Third Distribution	1,673			-2,425	744	2,417	8	2,425
<b>Progressive Total</b>	<b>9,804</b>				<b>8,941</b>	<b>18,745</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>18,758</b>

As there are only two candidates remaining, the candidate with the absolute majority is elected. The absolute majority at this stage of the count is now 9,373, with the 13 exhausted votes having the effect of reducing the absolute majority.

## Result

John Kobelke (ALP) is elected as the member for Balcatta with a majority of 863 votes.

## Proportional Representation Voting System – Legislative Council

### Proportional Representation

This is a voting system used in multi-member electorates which is designed to ensure that the number of successful candidates from each party and independents reflects as closely as possible the total vote received as a proportion of all the valid votes cast in an election. To be successful, a candidate is required to receive enough votes to reach a quota (not an absolute majority) which is based on the number of formal votes and the number of candidates to be elected. The Legislative Council of the parliament of Western Australia is elected using a proportional representation system.

In very general terms, under the notion of proportional representation, if a party or candidate received approximately 15% of the formal vote, that party or candidate will gain 15% of the seats in the parliament. Thus if a political party received 15% of the vote in the Mining and Pastoral Region, it could expect to gain one of the 6 seats allocated to this region.

The quota required is calculated using the following formula:

$$\frac{\text{Number of formal votes per region}}{(\text{Number of MLCs to be elected per region} + 1)} + 1 = \text{quota required}$$

For example:

$$\begin{array}{l} \text{Mining and Pastoral Region} \\ \\ \frac{54,409}{(6 + 1)} + 1 = 7,773 \end{array}$$

In this example for the Mining and Pastoral region, a candidate would need at least 7,773 votes to be elected.

**Note:** The fraction is obtained by dividing the number of formal votes (54,409) by the number of MLCs plus 1 (7) and is rounded down before the 1 is added to obtain the quota required (i.e. 7,773).

### Surplus Votes

Candidates who receive a number of votes equal to or greater than the quota are elected immediately. Any votes of these elected candidates which are surplus to the quota are transferred to the remaining candidates at a reduced value known as a transfer value. The transfer value is calculated as follows:

$$\frac{\text{Candidate's number of surplus votes}}{\text{Total number of ballot papers the candidate received}} = \text{transfer value}$$

### Excluding Candidates

If at any stage there are no candidates with a surplus of votes and not all Council seats have been filled, the candidate with the fewest votes is excluded from the count.

The excluded candidate's ballot papers are distributed to the remaining candidates at the same vote value as they were received. In some counts this will mean ballot papers are transferred at the value of 1 while others will have various transfer values.

This process of distributing surplus votes from elected candidates and excluding the candidate with the fewest votes is continued until all vacancies are filled.

## Western Australian, Interstate and Overseas Polling Locations for Early Votes in Person

The following section contains a list of polling places in Western Australia, Interstate and Overseas where electors could cast an early vote.

<b>Western Australia</b>				
<b>Office Name</b>	<b>City</b>	<b>State</b>	<b>Post Code</b>	<b>Votes Issued</b>
Central Law Courts	PERTH	WA	6000	364
Court House	ALBANY	WA	6330	702
Court House	ARMADALE	WA	6112	205
Court House	BROOME	WA	6725	1,377
Court House	BUNBURY	WA	6230	260
Court House	BUSSELTON	WA	6280	899
Court House	CARNARVON	WA	6701	493
Court House	COLLIE	WA	6225	412
Court House	DERBY	WA	6728	73
Court House	ESPERANCE	WA	6450	393
Court House	FREMANTLE	WA	6160	746
Court House	GERALDTON	WA	6530	1,214
Court House	JOONDALUP	WA	6027	170
Court House	KALGOORLIE	WA	6430	69
Court House	KARRATHA	WA	6714	185
Court House	KATANNING	WA	6317	58
Court House	KUNUNURRA	WA	6743	303
Court House	MANDURAH	WA	6210	2,930
Court House	MANJIMUP	WA	6258	200
Court House	MERREDIN	WA	6415	83
Court House	MIDLAND	WA	6056	274
Court House	MOORA	WA	6510	66
Court House	NARROGIN	WA	6312	117
Court House	NORTHAM	WA	6401	43
Court House	ROCKINGHAM	WA	6168	387
Court House	ROEBOURNE	WA	6718	87
Christmas Island Post Office	INDIAN OCEAN	WA	6798	22
Division of Brand	ROCKINGHAM	WA	6168	4,396
Division of Canning	ARMADALE	WA	6112	1,401
Division of Cowan	KINGSLEY	WA	6026	2,754
Division of Curtin	CLAREMONT	WA	6010	2,848
Division of Forrest	BUNBURY	WA	6230	2,351
Division of Fremantle	FREMANTLE	WA	6160	1,476
Division of Kalgoorlie	KALGOORLIE	WA	6430	1,456

<b>Western Australia</b>				
<b>Office Name</b>	<b>City</b>	<b>State</b>	<b>Post Code</b>	<b>Votes Issued</b>
Division of Karratha	KARRATHA	WA	6714	806
Division of Moore	JOONDALUP	WA	6027	3,634
Division of O'Connor	NORTHAM	WA	6401	666
Division of Pearce	MIDLAND	WA	6056	4,296
Division of Stirling	KARRINYUP	WA	6018	4,222
Division of Swan	CANNINGTON	WA	6107	4,516
Division of Tangney	BOORAGOON	WA	6154	3,911
Perth Airports (3 locations)	PERTH	WA	6105	5,497
South Hedland Justice Complex	SOUTH HEDLAND	WA	6722	391
Western Australian Electoral Commission	PERTH	WA	6000	3,832

<b>Interstate</b>				
<b>Office Name</b>	<b>City</b>	<b>State</b>	<b>Post Code</b>	<b>Votes Issued</b>
Elections ACT	CANBERRA	ACT	2600	113
NSW State Electoral Office	SYDNEY	NSW	2000	245
Northern Territory Electoral Office	DARWIN	NT	0800	450
Electoral Commission Queensland	BRISBANE	QLD	4000	178
State Electoral Office South Australia	ROSE PARK	SA	5067	130
Tasmanian Electoral Office	HOBART	TAS	7000	71
Victorian Electoral Commission	MELBOURNE	VIC	3000	378

<b>Overseas</b>				
<b>Office Name</b>	<b>Country</b>	<b>Post Code</b>	<b>Votes Issued</b>	
WA Trade Office - Tokyo	JAPAN	100-0011	7	
WA Trade Office - Dubai	UNITED ARAB EMIRATES	58007	15	
WA Trade Office - Kuala Lumpur	MALAYSIA	50250	10	
Chief Electoral Office - Wellington	NEW ZEALAND	6140	9	
WA Trade Office - London	UNITED KINGDOM	WC2B 4LG	250	

## Legislative Council Re-counts Since 2005 State General Election

### 2007 Agricultural Region Re-count – Resignation of the Hon. Margaret-Anne Rowe MLC

On 3 July 2007, His Excellency the Governor informed the Electoral Commissioner that the Hon. Margaret-Anne Rowe MLC, Member for the Agricultural Region, had resigned from Parliament and thus the seat had become vacant. On Friday 6 July 2007 public notice of the vacancy was published in *The West Australian* and the *Geraldton Guardian* news papers in accordance with section 156C(1)(a) of the *Electoral Act 1907*.

The nomination process is prescribed in sub-sections 156C(4) and (5) of the Act (and regulation 25 of the Electoral Regulations 1996). In relation to such nominations, section 156A(1) of the Act defines 'qualified person' as a person who:

- (a) was a candidate at original election;
- (b) did not withdraw from, and was not elected at, that election;
- (c) has not become a member of the Council since that election; and
- (d) is qualified to be elected and is not disqualified from being elected as a member of the Council.

After the 2005 State general election, amendments occurred to the eligibility requirements for membership of the Legislative Council and Legislative Assembly. For election, persons must now be Australian citizens and on the electoral roll.

Nominations from qualified persons for the vacancy closed at 12 noon on Monday 16 July 2007. The Electoral Commissioner received seven nominations from consenting candidates before the close of nominations. These were the only candidates who could be declared elected at the re-count.

Immediately after the close of nominations, a full re-count commenced of all ballot papers cast in the most recent Legislative Council election, held on 26 February 2005. The count was conducted under the provisions of section 156D and Schedule 1 of the Act.

The consenting candidates, in the order that their names appeared on the 2005 ballot paper, were:

Candidates	Party
ELLIS, Brian Charles	Liberal
HOUGH, Francis Carson	New Country Party
NICHOLL, Colin Jeffrey	New Country Party
MARGETTS, Dee	Greens (WA)
DUNJEY, Lachlan Peter Charles	Christian Democratic Party WA
DUNCAN, Wendy Maxine	THE NATIONALS
DUNCANSON, Roy	Independent

Votes at the 2005 State general election were counted electronically using a software program. The re-count was conducted in the same manner, as required by section 156D(4) of the Act, having regard for the exclusion of the Hon. Margaret-Anne Rowe, and the incumbency of other elected members. A drawing of ballots resolved an exclusion between two tied non-participating candidates, as required by clause 17 of Schedule 1 (which applies Schedule 2 of the Act).

On completion of the count, the Electoral Commissioner declared Brian Charles Ellis to be elected as a member of the Legislative Council for the Agricultural Region. A summary of the count appears on the following page.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL – COUNT SUMMARY  
AGRICULTURAL REGION  
Re-count – 16 July 2007  
1 Candidates to be Elected

		ALP			LIB			CEC		NCO			FFP		L4F		PHS		DEM		ONP			GRN		CDP			NAT			IND			
		CHANCE, Kim	DALY, Tim	WEST, Darren	DONALDSON, Bruce	FELS, Anthony	ROWE, Margaret	ELLIS, Brian	ROBINSON, Jean	SMITH, Stuart	HOUGH, Frank	NICHOLL, Colin	MARLEY, Frank	IRVINE, Nigel	FARHI, Heidi	THEOBALD, Peter	RICHARDSON, Joy	DARBY, John	SHANN, Paul	BENNELL, Anthony	THACKRAH, David	McLEAN, Ron	STRAHAN, Barry	FALLIS, Michael D	MARGETTS, Dee	SCHUR, Basil	DUNJAY, Lachlan	McNABB, Alistair	CRIDDLE, Murray	DUNCAN, Wendy	NELSON, Chris	CLYDESDALE-GEBERT, Denise	DUNCANSON, Roy	Lost Fractions	TOTALS
Quota = 14056		22383	68	55	32941	110	0	138	243	3	1859	55	32	1247	24	269	10	21	6	303	6	2500	17	12	3691	18	1564	26	16120	72	31	30	477	0	84331
First Preferences		22383	68	55	32941	110	0	138	243	3	1859	55	32	1247	24	269	10	21	6	303	6	2500	17	12	3691	18	1564	26	16120	72	31	30	477	0	84331
DONALDSON, Bruce	Elected 1st	22383	73	56	14056	18946	0	169	243	3	1860	55	32	1249	24	269	10	21	6	303	6	2500	17	12	3692	18	1564	26	16120	74	31	30	477	6	84331
CHANCE, Kim	Elected 2nd	14056	8352	79	14056	18946	0	169	247	3	1861	56	33	1250	24	269	10	21	6	303	6	2501	17	12	3696	18	1564	26	16120	74	31	30	478	17	84331
CRIDDLE, Murray	Elected 3rd	14056	8352	79	14056	18946	0	170	247	3	1861	56	33	1250	24	269	10	21	6	303	6	2501	17	12	3697	18	1564	26	14056	2128	33	30	478	23	84331
FELS, Anthony	Elected 4th	14056	8352	79	14056	14056	0	5052	247	3	1861	56	33	1250	24	269	10	21	6	303	6	2501	17	12	3697	18	1564	26	14056	2129	33	30	478	30	84331
SMITH, Stuart	Excluded	14056	8352	79	14056	14056	0	5052	248	0	1861	57	33	1250	25	269	10	21	6	303	6	2501	17	12	3697	18	1564	26	14056	2129	33	30	478	30	84331
SHANN, Paul	Excluded	14056	8352	79	14056	14056	0	5052	248	0	1861	57	34	1250	25	269	10	25	0	304	6	2501	17	12	3697	18	1564	26	14056	2129	33	30	478	30	84331
THACKRAH, David	Excluded	14056	8352	79	14056	14056	0	5052	248	0	1861	57	34	1250	25	269	10	25	0	309	6	2501	17	12	3698	18	1564	26	14056	2129	33	30	478	30	84331
RICHARDSON, Joy	Excluded	14056	8352	79	14056	14056	0	5053	248	0	1861	58	35	1250	26	274	0	25	0	309	6	2502	17	12	3698	18	1564	26	14056	2129	33	30	478	30	84331
FALLIS, Michael D	Excluded	14056	8353	79	14056	14056	0	5053	248	0	1861	58	35	1250	26	274	0	25	0	309	6	2505	24	0	3698	19	1564	26	14056	2129	33	30	478	30	84331
SCHUR, Basil	Excluded	14056	8354	79	14056	14056	0	5053	248	0	1861	58	35	1250	26	274	0	25	0	309	6	2505	24	0	3715	0	1564	26	14056	2130	33	30	478	30	84331
STRAHAN, Barry	Excluded	14056	8354	79	14056	14056	0	5053	248	0	1861	58	35	1251	26	274	0	25	0	310	6	2527	0	0	3715	0	1564	26	14056	2130	33	30	478	30	84331
DARBY, John	Excluded	14056	8354	79	14056	14056	0	5055	249	0	1862	58	36	1257	26	277	0	0	2	312	6	2529	0	0	3720	0	1564	26	14056	2130	33	30	480	30	84331
FARHI, Heidi	Excluded	14056	8354	79	14056	14056	0	5055	251	0	1862	59	38	1270	0	278	0	0	313	6	2529	0	0	3721	0	1565	28	14056	2131	33	30	481	30	84331	
McNABB, Alistair	Excluded	14056	8355	79	14056	14056	0	5056	251	0	1862	59	38	1272	0	279	0	0	314	6	2529	0	0	3721	0	1587	0	14056	2131	33	30	481	30	84331	
CLYDESDALE-GEBERT, Denise	Excluded	14056	8355	79	14056	14056	0	5056	251	0	1862	59	38	1272	0	279	0	0	314	6	2530	0	0	3721	0	1587	0	14056	2142	51	0	481	30	84331	
MARLEY, Frank	Excluded	14056	8357	80	14056	14056	0	5057	252	0	1869	80	0	1273	0	279	0	0	316	6	2530	0	0	3721	0	1587	0	14056	2142	51	0	482	31	84331	
NELSON, Chris	Excluded	14056	8357	80	14056	14056	0	5058	252	0	1869	80	0	1273	0	279	0	0	317	6	2530	0	0	3721	0	1587	0	14056	2188	0	0	485	31	84331	
NICHOLL, Colin	Excluded	14056	8358	80	14056	14056	0	5063	253	0	1931	0	0	1277	0	279	0	0	317	6	2531	0	0	3721	0	1587	0	14056	2193	0	0	485	32	84331	
WEST, Darren	Excluded	14056	8427	0	14056	14056	0	5066	254	0	1932	0	0	1278	0	279	0	0	318	6	2531	0	0	3721	0	1587	0	14056	2194	0	0	486	34	84331	
ROBINSON, Jean	Excluded	14056	8428	0	14056	14056	0	5069	0	0	1942	0	0	1280	0	280	0	0	535	6	2538	0	0	3722	0	1588	0	14056	2198	0	0	489	38	84331	
THEOBALD, Peter	Excluded	14056	8431	0	14056	14056	0	5082	0	0	1944	0	0	1283	0	0	0	0	542	6	2541	0	0	3969	0	1588	0	14056	2200	0	0	489	38	84331	
DUNCANSON, Roy	Excluded	14056	8438	0	14056	14056	0	5084	0	0	1949	0	0	1286	0	0	0	0	549	6	2550	0	0	4385	0	1598	0	14056	2229	0	0	489	39	84331	
BENNELL, Anthony	Excluded	14056	8447	0	14056	14056	0	5085	0	0	1956	0	0	1287	0	0	0	0	549	6	2559	0	0	4680	0	1814	0	14056	2240	0	0	489	39	84331	
IRVINE, Nigel	Excluded	14056	8461	0	14056	14056	0	5105	0	0	1974	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	549	6	2577	0	0	4688	0	3003	0	14056	2257	0	0	489	42	84331	
HOUGH, Frank	Excluded	14056	8478	0	14056	14056	0	5159	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	549	6	2646	0	0	4703	0	4750	0	14056	2327	0	0	44	44	84331	
DUNCAN, Wendy	Excluded	14056	8491	0	14056	14056	0	7307	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	549	6	2696	0	0	4751	0	4813	0	14056	0	0	0	49	49	84331	
McLEAN, Ron	Excluded	14056	8524	0	14056	14056	0	7445	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	549	6	2696	0	0	4751	0	4813	0	14056	0	0	0	52	52	84331	
MARGETTS, Dee	Excluded	14056	12540	0	14056	14056	0	7851	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	549	6	2696	0	0	4751	0	4813	0	14056	0	0	0	56	56	84331	
DUNJAY, Lachlan	Excluded	14056	12605	0	14056	14056	0	14969	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	549	6	2696	0	0	4751	0	476	0	14056	0	0	0	57	57	84331	
ELLIS, Brian	Elected 5th							14969																											

## 2007 East Metropolitan Region Re-count – Resignation of the Hon. Louise Clare Pratt MLC

On 6 November 2007, His Excellency the Governor informed the Electoral Commissioner that the Hon. Louise Clare Pratt MLC, Member for the East Metropolitan Region, had resigned from Parliament and thus the seat had become vacant. On Thursday 8 November 2007 public notice of the vacancy was published in *The West Australian* and *The Australian news* papers in accordance with section 156C(1) (a) of the *Electoral Act 1907*.

The nomination process is prescribed in sub-sections 156C(4) and (5) of the Act (and regulation 25 of the Electoral Regulations 1996). In relation to such nominations, section 156A(1) of the Act defines 'qualified person' as a person who:

- (a) was a candidate at original election;
- (b) did not withdraw from, and was not elected at, that election;
- (c) has not become a member of the Council since that election; and
- (d) is qualified to be elected and is not disqualified from being elected as a member of the Council.

After the 2005 State general election, amendments occurred to the eligibility requirements for membership of the Legislative Council and Legislative Assembly. For election, persons must now be Australian citizens and on the electoral roll.

Nominations from qualified persons for the vacancy closed at 12 noon on Monday 19 November 2007. The Electoral Commissioner received eight nominations from consenting candidates before the close of nominations. These were the only candidates who could be declared elected at the re-count.

Immediately after the close of nominations, a full re-count commenced of all ballot papers cast in the most recent Legislative Council election, held on 26 February 2005. The count was conducted under the provisions of section 156D and Schedule 1 of the Act.

The consenting candidates, in the order that their names appeared on the 2005 ballot paper, were:

Candidates	Party
PHAM, Batong Vu	Australian Labor Party
GOGOL, Todd	Australian Labor Party
BELL, Lee	Greens (WA)
XAMON, Alison	Greens (WA)
HOPKINSON, James	ONE NATION
MUNRO, Bill	Liberal
YARANDA MNYIRRINNA, Sylvia Morno	Independent
TUCAK, John D	Independent

Votes at the 2005 State general election were counted electronically using a software program. The re-count was conducted in the same manner, as required by section 156D(4) of the Act, having regard for the exclusion of the Hon. Louise Clare Pratt, and the incumbency of other elected members.

On completion of the count, the Electoral Commissioner declared Batong Vu Pham to be elected as a member of the Legislative Council for the East Metropolitan Region. A summary of the count appears on the following page.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL – COUNT SUMMARY  
EAST METROPOLITAN REGION  
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1 Candidates to be Elected

		ALP							GRN		DEM		FFP		NCO		PHS		ONP		L4F		CDP		LIB			CEC	IND	IND	Lost Fractions	TOTALS					
Quota = 40150		RAVLICH, Lijijanna	GRIFFITHS, Nick	PRATT, Louise	PHAM, Batong Vu	GOGOL, Todd	SAFFIOTI, Rita	TRUMAN, Annolies	CLANCY, Emma	BELL, Lee	XAMON, Alison	DANSKI, Robyn	McCUTCHEON, Paul	McCOURT, Jim	BOLT, David	LOCKETT, Laurissa	MANIA, John	ROSS, Colin	ROSS, Avril	HOPKINSON, James	GORDON, Maureen	BERRY, Sarah	HART, Claire	HILL, Vivian	GOIRAN, Gerard	MORTON, Helen	TAYLOR, Donna	MUNRO, Bill	BUTTON, John	STEVENS, Daniel	YARANDA MNYIRINNA, Sylvia Morno	TUCAK, John D					
First Preferences		120925	497	0	131	113	214	679	22	15330	280	1923	47	5666	59	459	10	1284	22	4783	78	1815	48	7024	83	76741	234	332	134	317	59	1588	0	240897			
RAVLICH, Lijijanna	Elected 1st	-80775	80585	0	36	32	56	9	6	20	7	4	1	2	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	4	9	0	240897		
MORTON, Helen	Elected 2nd	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	1	-36591	36558	17	0	0	0	0	11	0	240897		
GRIFFITHS, Nick	Elected 3rd	0	-40932	0	40777	70	40	4	2	9	0	2	0	2	0	1	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	1	17	0	240897	
PHAM, Batong Vu	Elected 4th	0	0	0	-795	791	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	240897	
MANIA, John	Excluded	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	8	-10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	240897	
ROSS, Avril	Excluded	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	4	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	15	-22	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	240897
CLANCY, Emma	Excluded	0	0	0	0	4	5	11	-30	1	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	4	0	240897	
McCUTCHEON, Paul	Excluded	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	1	40	-48	2	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	240897
HART, Claire	Excluded	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	2	0	33	-48	4	0	0	5	1	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	240897	
YARANDA MNYIRINNA, Sylvia Morno	Excluded	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	5	5	2	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	2	0	0	1	0	1	0	3	2	-59	32	0	0	240897		
BOLT, David	Excluded	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	0	1	0	0	48	-61	1	0	2	0	0	1	2	0	1	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	240897
GORDON, Maureen	Excluded	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	0	3	1	1	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	66	-81	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	240897
GOIRAN, Gerard	Excluded	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	78	-86	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	240897
BUTTON, John	Excluded	0	0	0	0	8	0	8	0	9	0	3	0	2	0	3	0	7	0	7	0	0	0	9	0	0	15	26	-138	10	0	31	0	0	0	240897	
XAMON, Alison	Excluded	0	0	0	0	10	8	1	0	252	-297	6	0	3	0	2	0	3	0	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	2	0	2	3	0	240897	
SAFFIOTI, Rita	Excluded	0	0	0	0	275	-326	10	0	14	0	6	0	3	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	3	2	0	0	0	0	1	8	0	240897	
STEVENS, Daniel	Excluded	0	0	0	0	7	0	3	0	6	0	2	0	5	0	1	0	1	0	9	0	2	0	3	0	0	1	4	0	-332	0	288	0	0	0	240897	
MUNRO, Bill	Excluded	0	0	0	0	5	0	2	0	2	0	1	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	0	4	0	0	348	-385	0	0	0	10	1	0	0	240897	
LOCKETT, Laurissa	Excluded	0	0	0	0	5	0	1	0	5	0	2	0	416	0	-478	0	13	0	9	0	7	0	4	0	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	9	1	0	240897	
TRUMAN, Annolies	Excluded	0	0	0	0	26	0	-730	0	656	0	16	0	2	0	0	0	6	0	3	0	1	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	12	6	0	240897	
ROSS, Colin	Excluded	0	0	0	0	11	0	0	0	31	0	5	0	13	0	0	0	-1335	0	30	0	1216	0	7	0	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	16	1	0	240897	
GOGOL, Todd	Excluded	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	16349	0	2017	0	6173	0	0	0	0	0	4916	0	3088	0	7139	0	40150	37188	0	0	0	0	1998	67	240897			
TUCAK, John D	Excluded	0	0	0	0	-1362	0	0	0	1124	0	57	0	45	0	0	0	0	0	30	0	14	0	12	0	0	32	0	0	0	0	0	27	21	0	240897	
DANSKI, Robyn	Excluded	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	67	0	308	0	1371	0	0	0	0	0	81	0	38	0	45	0	0	108	0	0	0	0	0	-2025	7	0	240897	
BERRY, Sarah	Excluded	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	17540	0	2382	0	7589	0	0	0	0	0	5027	0	3140	0	7196	0	40150	37328	0	0	0	0	0	0	95	240897		
HOPKINSON, James	Excluded	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1921	0	-2382	0	49	0	0	0	0	0	295	0	43	0	23	0	0	37	0	0	0	0	0	0	14	0	240897	
McCOURT, Jim	Excluded	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	19461	0	0	0	7638	0	0	0	0	0	5322	0	3183	0	7219	0	40150	37365	0	0	0	0	0	109	240897			
HILL, Vivian	Excluded	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2949	0	0	0	20	0	0	0	0	0	42	0	-3183	0	45	0	0	124	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	240897	
TAYLOR, Donna	Elected 5th	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	22410	0	0	0	7658	0	0	0	0	0	5364	0	0	0	7264	0	40150	37489	0	0	0	0	0	0	112	240897		
		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	183	0	0	0	197	0	0	0	0	0	-5364	0	0	0	4556	0	0	420	0	0	0	0	0	0	8	0	240897	
		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	22593	0	0	0	7855	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	11820	0	40150	37909	0	0	0	0	0	120	240897			
		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	240	0	0	0	-7855	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	7478	0	0	133	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	240897		
		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	22833	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	19298	0	40150	38042	0	0	0	0	0	124	240897			
		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	102	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-7024	0	0	6922	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	240897	
		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	22935	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	12274	0	40150	44964	0	0	0	0	0	0	124	240897		

## 2008 Agricultural Region Re-count – Resignation of the Hon. Murray John Criddle MLC

On 15 January 2008, His Excellency the Governor informed the Electoral Commissioner that the Hon. Murray John Criddle MLC, Member for the Agricultural Region, had resigned from Parliament and thus the seat had become vacant. On Friday 18 January 2008 public notice of the vacancy was published in *The West Australian* and the *Geraldton Guardian* news papers in accordance with section 156C(1)(a) of the *Electoral Act 1907*.

The nomination process is prescribed in sub-sections 156C(4) and (5) of the Act (and regulation 25 of the Electoral Regulations 1996). In relation to such nominations, section 156A(1) of the Act defines 'qualified person' as a person who:

- (a) was a candidate at original election;
- (b) did not withdraw from, and was not elected at, that election;
- (c) has not become a member of the Council since that election; and
- (d) is qualified to be elected and is not disqualified from being elected as a member of the Council.

After the 2005 State general election, amendments occurred to the eligibility requirements for membership of the Legislative Council and Legislative Assembly. For election, persons must now be Australian citizens and on the electoral roll.

Nominations from qualified persons for the vacancy closed at 12 noon on Tuesday 29 January 2008. The Electoral Commissioner received six nominations from consenting candidates before the close of nominations. These were the only candidates who could be declared elected at the re-count.

Immediately after the close of nominations, a full re-count commenced of all ballot papers cast in the most recent Legislative Council election, held on 26 February 2005. The count was conducted under the provisions of section 156D and Schedule 1 of the Act.

The consenting candidates, in the order that their names appeared on the 2005 ballot paper, were:

Candidates	Party
HOUGH, Francis Carson	New Country Party
NICHOLL, Colin Jeffrey	New Country Party
IRVINE, Nigel Peter	FAMILY FIRST
McLEAN, Ronald James	ONE NATION
DUNJEY, Lachlan Peter Charles	Christian Democratic Party WA
DUNCAN, Wendy Maxine	THE NATIONALS

Votes at the 2005 State general election were counted electronically using a software program. The re-count was conducted in the same manner, as required by section 156D(4) of the Act, having regard for the exclusion of the Hon. Murray John Criddle and the incumbency of other elected members. A drawing of ballots resolved an exclusion between two tied non-participating candidates, as required by clause 17 of Schedule 1 (which applies Schedule 2 of the Act).

On completion of the count, the Electoral Commissioner declared Wendy Maxine Duncan to be elected as a member of the Legislative Council for the Agricultural Region. A summary of the count appears on the following page.



## 2008 North Metropolitan Region Re-count – Resignation of the Hon. Graham Giffard MLC

On 26 August 2008, His Excellency the Governor informed the Electoral Commissioner that the Hon. Graham Giffard MLC, Member for the North Metropolitan Region, had resigned from Parliament and thus the seat had become vacant. On 1 September 2008 public notice of the vacancy was published in *The West Australian* and *Wanneroo Times* news papers in accordance with section 156C(1)(a) of the *Electoral Act 1907*.

The nomination process is prescribed in sub-sections 156C(4) and (5) of the Act (and regulation 25 of the Electoral Regulations 1996). In relation to such nominations, section 156A(1) of the Act defines 'qualified person' as a person who:

- (a) was a candidate at original election;
- (b) did not withdraw from, and was not elected at, that election;
- (c) has not become a member of the Council since that election; and
- (d) is qualified to be elected and is not disqualified from being elected as a member of the Council.

After the 2005 State general election, amendments occurred to the eligibility requirements for membership of the Legislative Council and Legislative Assembly. For election, persons must now be Australian citizens and on the electoral roll.

Nominations from qualified persons for the vacancy closed at 12 noon on Tuesday 12 September 2008. The Electoral Commissioner received eight nominations from consenting candidates before the close of nominations. These were the only candidates who could be declared elected at the re-count.

Immediately after the close of nominations, a full re-count commenced of all ballot papers cast in the most recent Legislative Council election, held on 26 February 2005. The count was conducted under the provisions of section 156D and Schedule 1 of the Act.

The consenting candidates, in the order that their names appeared on the 2005 ballot paper, were:

Candidates	Party
CLYNE, David Rutley	Liberal
WEBB, Rodney Thomas	Liberal
RANDALL, Dwight Allan	Christian Democratic Party WA
MORAN, Raymond James	Christian Democratic Party WA
COWAN, Don Eugene	
BOLT, Michelle Kerri	FAMILY FIRST
OLVER, Patricia Muriel	DEMOCRATS
BURTON, Carolyn Anne	Australian Labor Party

Votes at the 2005 State general election were counted electronically using a software program. The re-count was conducted in the same manner, as required by section 156D(4) of the Act, having regard for the exclusion of the Hon. Graham Giffard MLC, and the incumbency of other elected members.

On completion of the count, the Electoral Commissioner declared Carolyn Anne Burton to be elected as a member of the Legislative Council for the North Metropolitan Region. A summary of the count appears on the following page.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL – COUNT SUMMARY																																		
NORTH METROPOLITAN REGION																																		
Re-count – 12 September 2008																																		
1 Candidates to be Elected																																		
Quota = 42732		LIB				CDP		PHS		ULASOWSKI, Nikki	COWAN, Don	BOLT, Michelle	HOPKINSON, Symia	OLVER, Pat	COLETTI, Giuseppe	DERMER, Ed	TRAYVERS, Ken	ALP			DUNKLEY, Renae	WORMALD, Bill	WATSON, Giz	POUSTIE, Cameron	ROY, Brenda	GAULT, George	PATRICK, Alex	MUMMERY, Malcolm	CLOGHAN, Kevin	Lost Fractions	TOTALS			
		CASH, George	COLLIER, Peter	HALLIGAN, Ray	CLYNE, David	WEBB, Rod	RANDALL, Dwight	MORAN, Raymond	SQUIRES, Kareen									EDMONDS, Patricia	GIFFARD, Graham	SMITH, Daniel												BURTON, Carolyn	MYCYK, Daniel	TRAYVERS, Ken
	First Preferences	136977	308	203	146	264	8044	87	2031	41	206	33	6316	60	3688	42	143662	411	0	0	505	289	1596	23	29620	168	298	3050	75	93	3614	0	341850	
	DERMER, Ed	Elected 1st	0	7	0	1	0	4	0	2	0	0	1	0	3	4	-100930	100813	0	0	37	22	2	0	19	0	3	0	0	0	1	11	0	
	CASH, George	Elected 2nd	-94245	93993	103	36	43	28	2	3	0	0	4	2	4	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	3	0	5	0	0	1	2	0	2	10	0	
	TRAYVERS, Ken	Elected 3rd	0	0	10	0	1	2	0	1	0	0	2	0	7	6	-58492	0	0	58381	31	3	0	27	1	0	0	0	0	1	19	0	0	
	COLLIER, Peter	Elected 4th	0	-51576	51484	44	16	4	1	3	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	2	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	1	13	0	0	
	BURTON, Carolyn	Elected 5th	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	-16193	16171	1	0	3	1	1	0	0	0	0	12	0	0	
	HALLIGAN, Ray	Elected 6th	0	0	-9068	9040	15	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	11	0	0	
	WORMALD, Bill	Excluded	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	18	-23	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	COWAN, Don	Excluded	0	0	0	4	0	5	1	1	18	-36	1	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	0	0
	EDMONDS, Patricia	Excluded	0	0	0	0	1	3	2	25	-43	4	0	1	2	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0
	COLETTI, Giuseppe	Excluded	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	3	0	1	0	3	1	30	-54	0	0	0	0	2	0	3	0	3	0	3	0	0	0	5	0	0
	HOPKINSON, Symia	Excluded	0	0	0	2	1	0	2	0	3	0	47	-65	3	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	0	0
	PATRICK, Alex	Excluded	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	2	3	62	-77	2	2	2	0	0	
	MUMMERY, Malcolm	Excluded	0	0	0	10	0	2	0	1	0	2	1	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	15	1	0	15	3	4	7	0	-95	31	0	0	0	
	MORAN, Raymond	Excluded	0	0	0	5	3	71	-95	4	0	3	0	1	0	2	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0
	POUSTIE, Cameron	Excluded	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	2	0	1	0	0	0	3	4	0	85	-177	69	1	0	0	0	4	2	0	0	
	ULASOWSKI, Nikki	Excluded	0	0	0	4	4	3	0	15	-239	0	12	0	9	0	0	0	0	0	5	2	0	172	0	1	1	0	0	11	0	0	0	
	WEBB, Rod	Excluded	0	0	0	294	-348	15	0	5	0	0	3	0	7	0	0	0	0	0	6	1	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	3	11	0	0	
	ROY, Brenda	Excluded	0	0	0	4	0	1	0	1	0	0	2	0	9	0	0	0	0	7	4	0	339	0	-382	8	0	0	4	3	0	0		
	DUNKLEY, Renae	Excluded	0	0	0	36	0	5	0	1452	0	0	7	0	18	0	0	0	0	6	-1639	0	71	0	0	12	0	0	26	6	0	0	0	
	GAULT, George	Excluded	0	0	0	53	0	2753	0	26	0	0	28	0	18	0	0	0	0	37	0	0	55	0	0	-3146	0	0	176	0	0	0	0	
	SQUIRES, Kareen	Excluded	0	0	0	38	0	27	0	-3574	0	0	61	0	3294	0	0	0	0	42	0	0	67	0	0	0	0	0	39	6	0	0	0	
	CLOGHAN, Kevin	Excluded	0	0	0	120	0	50	0	0	0	0	95	0	136	0	0	0	0	84	0	0	3431	0	0	0	0	0	-3917	1	0	0	0	
	BOLT, Michelle	Excluded	0	0	0	125	0	6181	0	0	0	0	-6587	0	109	0	0	0	0	76	0	0	93	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	
	OLVER, Pat	Excluded	0	0	0	123	0	1927	0	0	0	0	0	0	-7346	0	0	0	0	186	0	0	5101	0	0	0	0	0	0	9	0	0	0	
	CLYNE, David	Excluded	0	0	0	-10092	0	9533	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	251	0	0	289	0	0	0	0	0	0	19	0	0	0	
	MYCYK, Daniel	Excluded	0	0	0	0	175	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-16515	0	0	16335	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	0
	WATSON, Giz	Elected 7th	42732	42732	42732	0	28835	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	42732	42732	0	0	42732	724	0	0	55743	0	0	0	0	0	156	341850	0	0	

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Re-count – 12 September 2008																																		
1 Candidates to be Elected																																		
Quota = 42732		LIB					CDP		PHS		ULASOWSKI, Nikki	COWAN, Don	BOLT, Michelle	HOPKINSON, Symia	OLVER, Pat	COLETTI, Giuseppe	DERMER, Ed	TRAVERS, Ken	ALP			L4F		GRN		ONP		CLOGHAN, Kevin	Lost Fractions	TOTALS				
		CASH, George	COLLIER, Peter	HALLIGAN, Ray	CLYNE, David	WEBB, Rod	RANDALL, Dwight	MORAN, Raymond	SQUIRES, Kareen	EDMONDS, Patricia									GIFFARD, Graham	SMITH, Daniel	BURTON, Carolyn	MYCYK, Daniel	DUNKLEY, Renae	WORMALD, Bill	WATSON, Giz	POUSTIE, Cameron	ROY, Brenda				GAULT, George	PATRICK, Alex	MUMMERY, Malcolm	
First Preferences		136977	308	203	146	264	8044	87	2031	41	206	33	6316	60	3688	42	143662	411	0	0	505	289	1596	23	29620	168	298	3050	75	93	3614	0	341850	
DERMER, Ed	Elected 1st	0	7	0	1	0	4	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	3	4	-100930	100813	0	0	37	22	2	0	19	0	3	0	0	0	1	11	0	
CASH, George	Elected 2nd	-94245	93993	103	36	43	28	2	3	0	0	2	4	2	4	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	3	0	5	0	0	1	2	0	2	10	0	
TRAVERS, Ken	Elected 3rd	0	0	10	0	1	2	0	1	0	0	0	2	0	7	6	-58492	0	0	58381	31	3	0	27	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	19	0	
COLLIER, Peter	Elected 4th	0	-51576	51484	44	16	4	1	3	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	2	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	13	0	
BURTON, Carolyn	Elected 5th	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	-16193	16171	1	0	3	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	12	0	
HALLIGAN, Ray	Elected 6th	0	0	-9068	9040	15	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	11	0	
WORMALD, Bill	Excluded	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	18	-23	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	
COWAN, Don	Excluded	0	0	0	4	0	5	-1	1	1	18	-36	1	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	0
EDMONDS, Patricia	Excluded	0	0	0	0	1	3	2	25	-43	4	0	1	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0
COLETTI, Giuseppe	Excluded	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	3	0	1	0	3	1	30	-54	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	3	0	3	0	0	0	5	0	
HOPKINSON, Symia	Excluded	0	0	0	2	1	0	2	0	0	3	0	47	-65	3	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	0
PATRICK, Alex	Excluded	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	2	3	62	-77	2	2	2	0		
MUMMERY, Malcolm	Excluded	0	0	0	10	0	2	0	1	0	2	0	1	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	15	1	0	15	3	4	7	0	-95	31	0	0		
MORAN, Raymond	Excluded	0	0	0	5	3	71	-95	4	0	3	0	1	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	
POUSTIE, Cameron	Excluded	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	3	4	0	85	-177	69	1	0	0	0	4	2	0		
ULASOWSKI, Nikki	Excluded	0	0	0	4	4	3	0	15	0	-239	0	12	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	2	0	172	0	1	1	0	0	11	0	0		
WEBB, Rod	Excluded	0	0	0	294	-348	15	0	5	0	0	0	3	0	7	0	0	0	0	0	6	1	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	11	0	
ROY, Brenda	Excluded	0	0	0	4	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	2	0	9	0	0	0	0	7	4	0	339	0	-382	8	0	0	4	3	0	0		
DUNKLEY, Renae	Excluded	0	0	0	36	0	5	0	1452	0	0	0	7	0	18	0	0	0	0	0	6	-1639	0	71	0	0	12	0	0	26	6	0	0	
GAULT, George	Excluded	0	0	0	53	0	2753	0	26	0	0	0	28	0	18	0	0	0	0	0	37	0	0	55	0	0	-3146	0	0	176	0	0		
SQUIRES, Kareen	Excluded	0	0	0	38	0	27	0	-3574	0	0	0	61	0	3294	0	0	0	0	42	0	0	67	0	0	0	0	0	0	39	6	0	0	
CLOGHAN, Kevin	Excluded	0	0	0	120	0	50	0	0	0	0	0	95	0	136	0	0	0	0	84	0	0	3431	0	0	0	0	0	0	-3917	1	0	0	
BOLT, Michelle	Excluded	0	0	0	125	0	6181	0	0	0	0	0	-6587	0	109	0	0	0	0	76	0	0	93	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	
OLVER, Pat	Excluded	0	0	0	123	0	1927	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-7346	0	0	0	0	186	0	0	5101	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	9	0	0	
CLYNE, David	Excluded	0	0	0	-10092	0	9533	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	251	0	0	289	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	19	0	0	
MYCYK, Daniel	Excluded	0	0	0	0	0	175	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-16515	0	0	16335	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	
WATSON, Giz	Elected 7th	42732	42732	42732	0	0	28835	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	42732	42732	0	0	42732	724	0	0	55743	0	0	0	0	0	156	341850		

## 2008 Mining and Pastoral Region Re-count – Resignation of the Hon. Vincent Catania MLC

On 26 August 2008, His Excellency the Governor informed the Electoral Commissioner that the Hon. Vincent Catania MLC, Member for the Mining and Pastoral Region, had resigned from Parliament and thus the seat had become vacant. On 1 September 2008 public notice of the vacancy was published in *The West Australian* and the *North West Telegraph* news papers in accordance with section 156C(1) (a) of the *Electoral Act 1907*.

The nomination process is prescribed in sub-sections 156C(4) and (5) of the Act (and regulation 25 of the Electoral Regulations 1996). In relation to such nominations, section 156A(1) of the Act defines 'qualified person' as a person who:

- (a) was a candidate at original election;
- (b) did not withdraw from, and was not elected at, that election;
- (c) has not become a member of the Council since that election; and
- (d) is qualified to be elected and is not disqualified from being elected as a member of the Council.

After the 2005 State general election, amendments occurred to the eligibility requirements for membership of the Legislative Council and Legislative Assembly. For election, persons must now be Australian citizens and on the electoral roll.

Nominations from qualified persons for the vacancy closed at 12 noon on Monday 15 September 2008. The Electoral Commissioner received four nominations from consenting candidates before the close of nominations. These were the only candidates who could be declared elected at the re-count.

Immediately after the close of nominations, a full re-count commenced of all ballot papers cast in the most recent Legislative Council election, held on 26 February 2005. The count was conducted under the provisions of section 156D and Schedule 1 of the Act.

The consenting candidates, in the order that their names appeared on the 2005 ballot paper, were:

Candidates	Party
FAWCETT, John Roger	Liberal
HODDY, Donald Kenneth	DEMOCRATS
EATON, Shelley Elizabeth	Australian Labor Party
FISCHER, John Duncombe	Independent

Votes at the 2005 State general election were counted electronically using a software program. The re-count was conducted in the same manner, as required by section 156D(4) of the Act, having regard for the exclusion of the Hon. Vincent Catania MLC, and the incumbency of other elected members.

On completion of the count, the Electoral Commissioner declared Shelley Elizabeth Eaton to be elected as a member of the Legislative Council for the Agricultural Region. A summary of the count appears on the following page.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL – COUNT SUMMARY  
MINING & PASTORAL REGION  
Re-count – 15 September 2008  
1 Candidates to be Elected

Candidate	Status	PHS		LIB				ONP		GRN		L4F		CDP		DEM		ALP					IND		CEC	Lost Fractions	TOTALS			
		BEAL, Henry	JENNINGS, Jim	MOORE, Norman	BASTON, Ken	NAZZARI, Brett	FAWCETT, John	SMITH, Greg	WYBORN, Irene	SMITH, Neville	CHAPPLE, Robin	MUIR, Kado	JONES, Karen	O'SHAUGHNESSY, Alexandra	LAKAY, Chris	GANS, Derk	HODDY, Don	CRAWFORD, Peter	ARCHER, Shelley	FORD, Jon	CATANIA, Vincent	EATON, Shelley	ANDERTON, Michael	DAWSON, Stephen	FISCHER, John			CAMPBELL, Graeme	McCOOKE, Valerie	LEWIS, Brian
Quota = 8351		891	33	17741	52	46	19	50	994	28	3723	77	222	5	807	8	310	7	21777	83	0	62	34	102	2753	190	12	78	0	50104
ARCHER, Shelley	Elected 1st	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-13426	13397	0	11	6	3	1	0	0	0	6	0
MOORE, Norman	Elected 2nd	891	33	17741	52	46	19	50	994	28	3723	77	222	5	807	8	310	7	8351	13480	0	73	40	105	2754	190	12	78	6	50104
FORD, Jon	Elected 3rd	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
BASTON, Ken	Elected 4th	895	35	8351	9346	13	4	7	1	0	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	2	0	0	5	0
O'SHAUGHNESSY, Alexandra	Excluded	0	0	0	-1047	1042	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
CRAWFORD, Peter	Excluded	895	35	8351	8351	1101	23	57	995	28	3727	77	223	6	807	8	310	7	8351	8351	0	5188	43	110	2756	192	12	78	22	50104
GANS, Derk	Excluded	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
McCOOKE, Valerie	Excluded	895	35	8351	8351	1101	24	57	996	30	3727	78	226	0	811	0	316	0	8351	8351	0	5189	44	110	2756	192	12	78	23	50104
FAWCETT, John	Excluded	1	1	0	0	9	-24	9	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
SMITH, Neville	Excluded	896	36	8351	8351	1110	0	66	997	30	3728	78	226	0	811	0	317	0	8351	8351	0	5189	45	110	2760	199	0	78	24	50104
JENNINGS, Jim	Excluded	1	0	0	0	1	0	2	21	0	2	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
ANDERTON, Michael	Excluded	897	36	8351	8351	1111	0	68	1018	0	3730	78	226	0	812	0	317	0	8351	8351	0	5191	45	110	2760	199	0	78	24	50104
SMITH, Greg	Excluded	21	-36	0	0	3	0	2	1	0	3	2	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
LEWIS, Brian	Excluded	918	0	8351	8351	1114	0	70	1019	0	3733	80	227	0	813	0	317	0	8351	8351	0	5192	45	110	2760	199	0	78	25	50104
MUIR, Kado	Excluded	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	12	-45	25	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
DAWSON, Stephen	Excluded	919	0	8351	8351	1114	0	72	1019	0	3733	81	227	0	814	0	317	0	8351	8351	0	5204	0	135	2762	199	0	78	26	50104
JONES, Karen	Excluded	3	0	0	0	58	-72	1	0	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	0
CAMPBELL, Graeme	Excluded	922	0	8351	8351	1172	0	1020	0	3736	82	227	0	814	0	317	0	8351	8351	0	5205	0	135	2764	200	0	79	27	50104	
HODDY, Don	Excluded	2	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	1	70	0	-79	0	0	
LAKAY, Chris	Excluded	924	0	8351	8351	1173	0	1021	0	3736	82	227	0	814	0	318	0	8351	8351	0	5206	0	137	2765	270	0	0	0	0	0
NAZZARI, Brett	Excluded	4	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	62	-82	0	0	0	2	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	5	0	0	0	
BEAL, Henry	Excluded	928	0	8351	8351	1174	0	1021	0	3798	0	227	0	816	0	323	0	8351	8351	0	5206	0	138	2767	275	0	0	0	0	0
WYBORN, Irene	Excluded	1	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	113	0	-138	7	9	0	0	0	2	0
FISCHER, John	Excluded	209	0	8351	8351	1179	0	1022	0	3806	0	0	0	819	0	324	0	8351	8351	0	5322	0	0	2774	286	0	0	0	30	50104
EATON, Shelley	Elected 5th	12	0	0	0	9	0	9	0	10	0	0	0	9	0	6	0	0	0	0	17	0	0	0	214	-286	0	0	0	
		1150	0	8351	8351	1188	0	1031	0	3816	0	0	0	828	0	330	0	8351	8351	0	5339	0	0	2988	0	0	0	0	30	50104
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		1431	0	8351	8351	1196	0	1032	0	3836	0	0	0	828	0	0	0	8351	8351	0	5345	0	0	3002	0	0	0	0	0	0
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		1446	0	8351	8351	1232	0	1759	0	3844	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	8351	8351	0	5358	0	0	3031	0	0	0	0	0	
		58	0	0	0	-1232	0	0	32	0	25	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	23	0	0	0	1085	0	0	0	0	9	
		1504	0	8351	8351	0	0	1791	0	3869	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	8351	8351	0	5381	0	0	4116	0	0	0	0	39	50104
		-1504	0	0	0	0	0	896	0	528	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	33	0	0	0	42	0	0	0	0	5	
		0	0	8351	8351	0	0	2687	0	4397	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	8351	8351	0	5414	0	0	4158	0	0	0	0	44	50104
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		0	0	8351	8351	0	0	0	0	5419	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	8351	8351	0	9045	0	0	2188	0	0	0	0	48	50104