

Approved Procedure

Required by the *Electoral Act 2004*, section 121(1)

Approved by the Tasmanian Electoral Commission on 12 April 2005

For the purposes of section 121(1) of the *Electoral Act 2004*, the Tasmanian Electoral Commission approve the following procedure:

Procedure for exhibiting and securing ballot box

At the commencement of the poll at a polling place, and before any vote is taken, the election official-in-charge is to exhibit each open and empty ballot-box for inspection by any person present, and then securely fasten its cover with security seals.

The election official-in-charge is to certify the security seal numbers in the "General return for election official-in-charge". Scrutineers are invited to witness the certification.