

Legislative Council

Candidate election expenditure return

DIVISION	

I,

CANDIDATE DETAILS <small>(PLEASE PRINT)</small>	
<i>Given names</i>	<i>Family name</i>
<i>Residential address</i>	
<i>Postcode</i>	<i>Occupation</i>
<i>Name of Election Agent</i>	

a candidate at the Legislative Council by-election held on Saturday 10 September 2022 for the electoral division mentioned above, make the following return of all election expenditure¹ incurred by me, or my election agent² on my behalf, in connection with the election.

I am aware that the expenditure limit for the year 2022 is \$18,500.

On the Election Expenditure section overleaf or as a printed copy of the TEC Expenditure Template (Microsoft Excel), please provide:

- details of the expenditure item
- details of the service/product provider
- the cost incurred; and
- the date of payment.

Each different type of advertising must be set out separately.

This form is to be accompanied by any original invoice, account or receipt in respect of each item of election expenditure that exceeds \$20.

The declaration on the back page of this form is to be made before either a Justice of the Peace or a Commissioner for Declarations.

Note: This return (and associated invoices, accounts or receipts) must be **lodged** with the Electoral Commissioner **within sixty days** after the day on which the result of the election is declared.

1: "Election expenditure" is defined in section 5 of the *Electoral Act 2004*.

2: Section 158 of the *Electoral Act 2004* provides for candidates to appoint an election agent. An election agent may incur or authorise expenditure on behalf of the candidate. The appointment must be in writing and signed by the candidate. Each candidate may appoint one election agent only.

Other areas of expenditure (e.g. Campaign launch, Campaign activities, Staff, costs to support volunteers, Vehicle signs and associated costs)

Item	Details	Amount	Date	Payment to	Address	Receipt* Y/N

Total _____

Disputed and unpaid claims

In addition to the above, I am aware of the following disputed claims and unpaid claims for election expenditures incurred in connection with the election by me or my election agent on my behalf.

Item	Details	Amount	Date	Payment to	Address	Receipt* Y/N

Total _____

* Note: Evidence of receipt includes invoice, account or receipt for the item/service purchased.

Expenditure summary

Category	Amount
Signs	_____
Brochures, flyers & letters	_____
Advertising	_____
Other areas of expenditure	_____
Disputed and unpaid claims	_____
Total	_____

DECLARATION

I solemnly and sincerely declare that this return is true in every particular and that, except as appears in this return, I have not and no person has with my authority:

- paid any amount by way of relevant electoral expenditure that was incurred on my behalf in connection with the election; or
- incurred any such expenditure or any liability for any such expenditure; or
- given or promised any reward, office, employment, or valuable consideration on account or in respect of any such expenditure.

I make this solemn declaration under the *Oaths Act 2001*

Declared at
(place)

on
(date)

.....
SIGNATURE

Before me,

.....
SIGNATURE
(Justice of the Peace/Commissioner for Declarations)