

# Publisher's Electoral Advertising Return

\*Relevant period – 4 August 2022 to 2pm 25 October 2022

Please attach supporting documentation.

PLEASE PRINT

This return must be completed and lodged with the Electoral Commissioner no later than mid-December, 2022. You will be advised of the exact date, which will be 45 days after the day on which the Returning Officer issues the certificate of election.

A separate return must be completed for each publication published within the relevant period.

Tasmanian Electoral Commission Level 3, 169 Main Road, Moonah Tas 7009 PO Box 307 MOONAH TAS 7009

## Details of person completing return

Full name: \_\_\_\_\_ Position: \_\_\_\_\_

Business phone number: \_\_\_\_\_

## Details of newspaper covered by this return

Name of newspaper: \_\_\_\_\_

Publisher's business name: \_\_\_\_\_

Business address: \_\_\_\_\_

(Acknowledgement of receipt will be sent to this address)

Were electoral advertisements published in the publication or journal during the relevant period? YES / NO

Circle whichever applicable

(If YES complete details overleaf)

## DECLARATION

I declare that the information I have given on this form and all attached supporting documentation is true, complete and accurate.

Signature of person completing form \_\_\_\_\_

Declared before me this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 20 \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Justice of the Peace or Commissioner for Declarations

## NOTE:

This request for information is in accordance with section 279(3) of the *Local Government Act 1993* which states—

Any person who prints, publishes or broadcasts electoral advertising is to lodge a return in an approved form with the Electoral Commissioner within 45 days after the day on which the returning officer give a certificate of election.

## Penalties (*Local Government Act 1993*)

- for failure to lodge a return in an approved form within 45 days of the day on which the returning officer issues a certificate of election - a fine not exceeding 30 penalty units.
- for failure upon receiving written notice from the Electoral Commissioner to provide further information, records or answers - a fine not exceeding 10 penalty units.
- for knowingly furnishing false or misleading information in a return, or in response to a written notice from the Electoral Commissioner requiring the supply of further information - a fine not exceeding 10 penalty units or a term of imprisonment not exceeding 3 months.

**Note: The current value of a single penalty unit is \$181.**

## Publisher's Electoral Advertising Return

Complete the columns below in relation to each electoral advertisement published during the "relevant period", that is 4 August 2022 – 25 October 2022.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Name of firm or person lodging advertisement (e.g. advertising agency) <b>AND</b> Name and address of person authorising the advertisement	Name of candidate(s) promoted in the advertisement	Identification number of advertisement	Size of advertisement— in column cms or fractions of a page	Date of each publication of advertisement	Charge / Production Cost	Was amount charged normal commercial rate? (YES/NO)