

The Queensland Police Commissioned Officers' Union of Employees

Certificate of Election

The Queensland Industrial Registrar issued a Decision, pursuant to the *Industrial Relations Act 2016*, on 8 April 2025 that the Electoral Commission of Queensland (ECQ) conduct an election for The Queensland Police Commissioned Officers' Union of Employees for the following position:

Office	No. of Positions
Member of Executive	1

Table 1 – Positions of office

A Notice of Election and Nomination Form detailing the election arrangements was distributed to members on Friday, 9 May 2025. The timetable for the election was advertised as follows:

- Nominations open at midday on Friday, 9 May 2025;
- Nominations close at midday on Tuesday, 10 June 2025;
- Secret Postal Ballot, if required, will open Friday, 20 June 2025;
- Ballot to close at midday on Tuesday, 15 July 2025.

Nominations

Nomination forms were received by the following:

Office	No. of Positions	Nominees
Executive Member	1	ARMITT, Thomas Andrew AUSTIN, Paul Steven CRYER, Marcus Hubert WHEELER, Mark Patrick

Table 2 – Summary of Nominations

The ECQ accepted the nominations of the candidates as inquiries with the union confirmed that all candidates were eligible for election to the position of office contested.

Ballot

The ECQ proceeded to conduct the following election.

Office

Method of Election

Member of ExecutivePostal

The ballot opened on Friday, 20 June 2025 and closed at midday on Tuesday, 15 July 2025.

Ballots Issued

325 members were eligible to vote.

325 ballot papers with declaration envelopes were issued to eligible members.

Ballots Returned

165 declaration envelopes were returned to the ECQ.

One declaration envelope was returned unsigned.

164 declaration envelopes passed scrutiny and proceeded to the roll mark-off.

The results of the vote count are as follows:

Member of Executive

One (1) to be elected

Formal Papers in count	=	164
Informal papers	=	0
TOTAL PAPERS	=	164

Results in Ballot Paper Order

	Votes	Status
CRYER, Marcus Hubert	11	
WHEELER, Mark Patrick	116	<i>Elected</i>
ARMITT, Thomas Andrew	17	
AUSTIN, Paul Steven	20	
Total Votes	164	

Table 3 – Votes counted for position of Member of Executive.



**Electoral
Commission**
QUEENSLAND

Declaration

I, Lenore Paties, an officer of the Electoral Commission of Queensland assigned to conduct an election by the Industrial Registrar in Decision RIO 2025/69 issued pursuant to the *Industrial Relations Act 2016*, declare that: -

MARK PATRICK WHEELER is elected to the office of Member of Executive.

within The Queensland Police Commissioned Officer's Union of Employees in accordance with the rules of the Industrial Organisation.

Lenore Paties
Returning Officer
15 July 2025