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NORFOLK ISLAND GOVERNMENT GAZETTE NO. 49

Thursday 25 October 2001

NORFOLK ISLAND ACT 1979
DETERMINATION OF DATE FOR GENERAL ELECTION

I, Anthony John Messner, Administrator of Norfolk Island, acting under section 35(1) of the *Norfolk Island Act 1979* (Cth), determine that a general election of members of the Legislative Assembly is to be held on 29 November 2001.

Dated 25 October 2001.

A.J. MESSNER
ADMINISTRATOR

NORFOLK ISLAND ACT 1979
QUALIFICATIONS FOR ELECTION

In accordance with sections 38 and 39 of the Norfolk Island Act 1979, a person is qualified to be a candidate for election as a member of the Legislative Assembly if, at the date of nomination, the person -

- (a) has attained the age of 18 years;
- (b) is entitled, or qualified to become entitled, to vote at elections of members of the Legislative Assembly; and
- (c) has been ordinarily resident within Norfolk Island for a period of 5 years immediately preceding the date of nomination.

A person is not qualified to be a candidate for election as a member of the Legislative Assembly if, at the date of nomination, the person -

- (a) is an undischarged bankrupt;
- (b) has been convicted and is under sentence of imprisonment for one year or longer for an offence against the law of the Commonwealth or of a State or Territory; or
- (c) is a member of the Police Force of Norfolk Island or of the Commonwealth.

Dated 25 October 2001.

M.C.E. (MITCHELL) EVANS
RETURNING OFFICER

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY ACT 1979
NOMINATION OF CANDIDATES FOR ELECTION

The Administrator has determined 29 November 2001 to be the date for an election of members of the Legislative Assembly.

Under section 12 of the Legislative Assembly Act 1979, nomination day is -

Thursday 8 November 2001

The nomination of a candidate for election to the Legislative Assembly is to be effected by delivering to the Returning Officer, **not later than noon on nomination day**, a form in accordance with Form 1 in the Second Schedule to the Legislative Assembly Regulations, signed by the candidate and by at least 2 electors.

Nomination forms may be obtained from the Returning Officer at the Administration Offices, Kingston.

Dated 25 October 2001.

M.C.E. (MITCHELL) EVANS
RETURNING OFFICER

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY ACT 1979
ELECTORAL ROLL

ARE YOU ENROLLED ON THE ELECTORAL ROLL? If you are not enrolled, you will not be eligible to vote at the election of members of the Legislative Assembly to be held on Thursday 29 November 2001.

The roll will close at 5.00 pm on Thursday 1 November 2001. Enrolment is compulsory.

Qualifications for enrolment, in summary, are as follows:

- (a) you must have attained the age of 18 years; and
- (b) you must have been present in Norfolk Island for a total of 900 days during the period of 4 years immediately preceding the date of application.

If you are a student under the age of 25 years, and you have been absent from Norfolk Island for the sole or principal purpose of undergoing full-time vocational training or full-time education, you may qualify for enrolment.

Application forms for enrolment may be obtained at the Post Office and the Immigration Office at Kingston.

Dated 25 October 2001.

M.C.E. (MITCHELL) EVANS
RETURNING OFFICER

REFERENDUM ACT 1964
DECLARATION OF POLL

The results of voting on the question:

“Should a new election be held for the full membership of the Legislative Assembly at the earliest convenient date?”

Votes cast in favour of the question	555
Votes cast against the question	379
Votes rejected as informal	11
Total votes cast including informal	945

As the number of votes cast in favour of the question exceed the number of votes cast against the question by more than 10 per centum of the total number of votes (including informal votes) cast, **I DECLARE**, in accordance with section 24 of the Referendum Act 1964, that the electors are deemed to have expressed their opinion in favour of the question submitted to them.

Dated this 25th day of October 2001.

M.C.E. (MITCHELL) EVANS
RETURNING OFFICER
