

Our Ref: 2023/00684

8 June 2023

Mr Robert Kennedy
Electoral Commissioner
Western Australian Electoral Commission
Level 2, 111 St Georges Terrace
PERTH WA 6000

Dear Mr Kennedy,

I am writing to inform you that in accordance with section 25 of the *Constitution Acts Amendment Act 1899*, in the absence of the Speaker of the Legislative Assembly from the State, the Governor today received the resignation of the Hon. Mark McGowan MLA, which is effective on 8 June 2023.

In accordance with section 65 of the *Electoral Act 1907*, the Governor has issued a writ to proceed with an election in the Rockingham electoral district to elect a member of the Legislative Assembly for that district.

Yours sincerely



HOWARD GRETTON
OFFICIAL SECRETARY

Encl. Writ dated 8 June 2023 - Election to elect a member of the Legislative Assembly to fill a vacancy - Rockingham electoral district

WRIT

**Writ for an election in an electoral district to elect a member of the
Legislative Assembly to fill a vacancy if there is no Speaker or the Speaker is
absent**

To the Electoral Commissioner:

I direct you to proceed with an election in the Rockingham electoral district to elect a member of the Legislative Assembly for that district.

I fix the following days for the purposes of that election:

Last day for the nomination of candidates:

Friday, 23 June 2023

Polling day:

Saturday, 29 July 2023

Last day for the return of the writ:

Wednesday, 6 September 2023

Dated 8/6/2023 2023


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Governor

Certificate

I certify that the result of the election held under this writ was as follows:

Elected candidate

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Date of declaration

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Dated 2023

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Electoral Commissioner

Western Australia
Electoral Act 1907 (s. 65)

Notice of issue of writ for an election for the Rockingham electoral district to elect a member of the Legislative Assembly.

1. Under the *Electoral Act 1907* section 65 I give notice that on Thursday 8 June 2023 the Governor issued a writ under sections 67(3) and 69 of that Act directing me to proceed with an election in the Rockingham electoral district to elect a member of the Legislative Assembly for that district.
2. For the purposes of that election —
 - (a) the electoral roll will close at 6 pm on Friday 16 June 2023;
 - (b) nominations of candidates must be received before 12 noon on Friday 23 June 2023;
 - (c) polling will occur between 8 am and 6 pm on Saturday 29 July 2023;
 - (d) the last day for the return of the writ is Wednesday 6 September 2023.

Dated 2023

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Electoral Commissioner