

REGISTER OF POLITICAL PARTIES

The Australian Electoral Commission (AEC) has received the following application to change the name of a registered political party in the *Register of Political Parties* under the provisions of the *Commonwealth Electoral Act 1918* (Electoral Act).

Current name: Australian Federation Party

Proposed name: Reform Australia

The application was made by three members of Australian Federation Party and included payment of the \$500 application fee. You may lodge an objection to the application from Australian Federation Party under the following grounds in the Electoral Act:

- the application should be refused under section 129; or
- the application is not in accordance with section 134.

Objections must be received by the AEC by **24 July 2026**, must address the relevant criteria above and be in writing and include your name, street address, signature, and the grounds for your objection. Objections can be sent to:

Email

fad@aec.gov.au

Post

Funding and Disclosure
Australian Electoral Commission
Locked Bag 4007
Canberra ACT 2601

For more detailed information on objecting to an application, please consult the AEC website at the link provided below or contact the AEC by email at fad@aec.gov.au or by phone on 02 6271 4552.

www.aec.gov.au/party-reg-objections

Any objections to this application are public documents and will be published on the AEC website.

Stuart Oreo

Acting Assistant Commissioner
Authorised Officer





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Currently registered parties



Political party register

We maintain an up-to-date register of current political parties in Victoria.

[Find previously registered parties and changes to the register of political parties \(/candidates-and-parties/registered-political-parties/party-decisions-and-changes\).](#)

Political party**Registered officer****Affordable Housing Now – Sustainable Australia Party**

First registered: 24 July 2018

Re-registered: 14 November 2024

Abbreviated name: Sustainable Australia Party



William Bourke

Registered officer

20 Burlington Street

Crows Nest NSW 2065

Postal address:

Suite 15, 20 Burlington Street

Crows Nest NSW 2065

Political party

Registered officer

Animal Justice Party

First registered: 2 October 2014

Re-registered: 17 October 2024

Abbreviated name: AJP



Philip Waters

Registered officer

Ground Floor, 470 St Kilda Road

Melbourne VIC 3004

Postal address:

Ground Floor, 470 St Kilda Road

Melbourne VIC 3004

Political party**Registered officer****Australian Greens Victoria**

First registered: 5 August 1997

Re-registered: 24 October 2024

Abbreviated name: The Greens



Martin Shield

Registered officer

Suite 5, Level 1, 50 Queen Street

Melbourne VIC 3000

Postal address:

GPO Box 4589

Melbourne VIC 3001

Political party**Registered officer****Australian Labor Party – Victorian Branch**

First registered: 26 March 1985

Re-registered: 3 October 2024

Abbreviated name: Australian Labor Party



Efstratios Steven Staikos

Registered officer

438 Docklands Drive

Docklands VIC 3008

Postal address:

Locked Bag 3240

Melbourne VIC 3001

Political party**Registered officer****Democratic Labour Party (DLP)**

First registered: 26 March 1985

Re-registered: 18 December 2024

Abbreviated name: Labour DLP



Cary de Wit

Registered officer

441 Flemington Road

North Melbourne VIC 3051

Postal address:

P.O. Box 1402

Melbourne VIC 3001

Political party**Registered officer****End Mass Immigration – Reform AU**

First registered: 19 September 2022

Re-registered: 21 November 2024



Milton Wilde
Registered officer
40 Ayr Street
Doncaster VIC 3108

Postal address:
PO Box 195
Ringwood East VIC 3135

Political party

Registered officer

Family First Victoria

First registered: 6 October 2022

Re-registered: 25 November 2024

Abbreviated name: Family First



Jane Foreman

Registered officer

Level 19/180 Lonsdale Street

Melbourne VIC 3000

Postal address:

P.O. Box 4034

Narre Warren Victoria 3805

Political party**Registered officer****Freedom Party**

First registered: 29 September 2022

Re-registered: 21 November 2024



Morgan Jonas

Registered officer

8/220 Collins Street

Melbourne VIC 3000

Postal address:

PO Box 8098

North Road VIC 3187

Political party

Registered officer

Legalise Cannabis Victoria

First registered: 13 October 2022

Re-registered: 21 November 2024

Abbreviated name: Legalise Cannabis



Fiona Patten

Registered officer

2/9 Florence Street

Brunswick VIC 3056

Political party**Registered officer****Liberal Party of Australia – Victorian Division**

First registered: 26 March 1985

Re-registered: 3 October 2024

Abbreviated name: Liberal



Alyson Hannam

Registered officer

Level 12, 257 Collins Street

Melbourne VIC 3000

Postal address:

Level 12, 257 Collins Street

Melbourne VIC 3001

Political party**Registered officer****Libertarian Party**

First registered: 3 November 2014

Re-registered: 14 November 2024

Abbreviated name: Libertarian



Robert McCathie

Registered officer

117/757 Bourke Street

Docklands VIC 3008

Political party**Registered officer****National Party of Australia – Victoria**

First registered: 26 March 1985

Re-registered: 14 November 2024

Abbreviated name: The Nationals



Jake McKenzie-Edwards
Registered officer
Level 13, 30 Collins Street
Melbourne VIC 3000

Political party**Registered officer****New Democrats**

First registered: 6 October 2022

Re-registered: 25 November 2024



Kaushaliya Virjibhai Vaghela

Registered officer

3A Bonview Circuit

Truganina VIC 3029

Postal address:

PO Box 8081

Tarneit Post Shop, Wyndham Village Shopping
Centre

Shop 7A, 380 Sayers Road

Tarneit VIC 3029

Political party**Registered officer****Pauline Hanson's One Nation**

First registered: 31 May 2018

Re-registered: 7 November 2024

Abbreviated name: One Nation



Pauline Hanson

Registered officer

2/6 Boronia Road

Brisbane Airport QLD 4008

Postal address:

PO Box 136

Pinkenba QLD 4008

Political party**Registered officer****Shooters, Fishers and Farmers Party Victoria**

First registered: Victoria: 21 October 2014

Re-registered: 2 December 2024

Abbreviated name: Shooters, Fishers & Farmers Vic



Nicole Bourman

Registered officer

Suite 504, 365 Little Collins Street

Melbourne VIC 3000

Postal address:

PO Box 92

Moorabbin VIC 3189

Political party**Registered officer****Victorian Socialists**

First registered: 6 June 2018

Re-registered: 7 November 2024



Corey Oakley
Registered officer
83 Sydney Road
Brunswick VIC 3056

Party logos are for information only – sizes may vary from screen to screen. On ballot papers they will be 10mm x 10mm.

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Authorised by S. Bluemmel, Electoral Commissioner, 530 Collins Street, Melbourne, Victoria

Media release: Change of registered political party name and logo - Companion and Pets Party

1 message

Victorian Electoral Commission <communication@vec.vic.gov.au>

Tue, Dec 23, 2025 at 2:00 PM

To: [REDACTED]

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Media release



Tuesday 23 December 2025

For immediate release

Change of registered political party name and logo - Companions and Pets Party

The name and logo of the registered political party Companions and Pets Party was officially changed today.

The party applied to change its registered name and logo on 21 October 2025 to:

End Mass Immigration – Reform AU



As required by section 49 of the *Electoral Act 2002* (the Act), the Victorian Electoral Commission advertised the application and invited objections. No objections were received during the objection period.

Certain names and logos are not acceptable under the Act, including names and logos that are confusingly similar to the name and logo of another registered political party.

The name **End Mass Immigration – Reform AU** and the party's proposed logo are acceptable under the Act and will be printed next to the party's endorsed candidates' names on ballot papers at any election contested by the party under the Act.

— ENDS —

Attached media information:

- About the VEC.

ELECTORAL ACT 2002

CHANGE TO THE REGISTER OF POLITICAL PARTIES

In accordance with section 51(5)(e) of the **Electoral Act 2002**, I hereby give notice of the following changes to the Register of Political Parties:

Former name of party: Companions and Pets Party

Former abbreviation: Companions and Pets

Former initials: CAP



Former logo:

New name of party: End Mass Immigration – Reform AU



New logo:

Note: no abbreviation or initials have been registered.

Dated 8 January 2026

SVEN BLUEMMEL
Electoral Commissioner
Victorian Electoral Commission



Our Ref: EDRM055-1646964104-73838

23 December 2025

Milton Wilde
Registered Officer
Companion and Pets Party



By email to: [Redacted]

Dear Mr Wilde

Application to change the registered name and logo of the Companion and Pets Party

I am writing to inform you that your application to change your political party's registered name and registered logo is granted under section 51 of the *Electoral Act 2002* (Vic).

The Register of Political Parties is updated with the following details:

Party name: End Mass Immigration – Reform AU



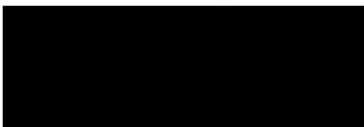
Party logo:

No abbreviations or initials will be registered for the party.

I have enclosed a copy of the notice that will be published in the *Victoria Government Gazette* at the appropriate time.

Please contact us via email at rppregistration@vec.vic.gov.au if you have any questions.

Yours sincerely



Sven Bluemmel
Electoral Commissioner

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Nepean District results



 Listen



Elected member

MARSH, Anthony
Liberal

Recheck votes

**Total enrolment as
at close of rolls:**
50910

Formal votes:
40545

Informal votes:
2041 (4.79% of the
total votes)

Total votes:
42586 (83.65% of
the total enrolment
as at the close of
rolls)

Recheck first preference votes

Candidate	Party	1st pref. votes	% votes
HERCUS, Darren	Pauline Hanson's One Nation	9941	24.52%
SMITH, Reade	Affordable Housing Now – Sustainable Australia Party	721	1.78%
HEALY, Sianan	The Greens	3805	9.38%
MARSH, Anthony	Liberal	15682	38.68%
WILDE, Milton	End Mass Immigration – Reform AU	166	0.41%

Candidate	Party	1st pref. votes	% votes
ANGELICO, Peter	Libertarian	505	1.25%
HUTCHISON, Tracee		8533	21.05%
THOMPSON, Renee	Legalise Cannabis	1192	2.94%

[Recheck results by voting centre \(/results/state-election-results/state-by-elections-timeline/nepean-by-election-results/results-by-district/nepean-district-results/Nepean-District-results-by-voting-centre\)](/results/state-election-results/state-by-elections-timeline/nepean-by-election-results/results-by-district/nepean-district-results/Nepean-District-results-by-voting-centre)

[Primary results for Nepean District](#)

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End Mass Immigration – Reform AU - Change of party name, abbreviation of name and initials

1 message

rppregistration <rppregistration@vec.vic.gov.au>
To: Milton Wilde 
Cc: rppregistration <rppregistration@vec.vic.gov.au>

Thu, Jun 11, 2026 at 12:18 PM

OFFICIAL



Dear Milton Wilde

Application to change party name, abbreviation of name and initials – publication of application

Thank you for your application to change the name, abbreviation of name and initials for **End Mass Immigration – Reform AU**, as received by the Victorian Electoral Commission (**VEC**) on 28 May 2026. Please see the details of the requested changes below:

Current name of party: End Mass Immigration – Reform AU

Current abbreviation: None registered

Current initials: None registered

Proposed name: Christian Alliance Party – Reform AU

Proposed abbreviation: Christian Alliance Party

Proposed initials: CAP

In accordance with section 49 of the *Electoral Act 2002* (Vic), the VEC has advertised the party's application in today's *Victoria Government Gazette* (**Gazette**) and the VEC has also issued a media release.

Objections

Members of the public will have until 10 July 2026 to object the party's application. Valid objections will be de-identified and shared with you, and you may choose to submit a response. You will have 14 days from receipt of the objection in which to submit your response, and your response will be made available for public inspection.

Please see a copy of the Gazette notice attached for your reference.

If you have any questions, please contact us via email at rppregistration@vec.vic.gov.au

Kind regards

Lili [REDACTED] (she/her)

Manager, Regulatory Services

Level 11, 530 Collins Street Melbourne Victoria 3000

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From: rppregistration <rppregistration@vec.vic.gov.au>

Sent: Friday, 5 June 2026 12:05 PM

To: Milton Wilde [REDACTED]

Cc: Daila [REDACTED] Matthew [REDACTED] Amit [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] rppregistration <rppregistration@vec.vic.gov.au>

Subject: Your application to change the party name - End Mass Immigration – Reform AU – update and next steps

Dear Milton Wilde,

Thank you for your application to change the name of **End Mass Immigration – Reform AU**, as received by the Victorian Electoral Commission (VEC) on 28 May 2026. We have reviewed the application documentation and confirm that the required document has been provided.

The VEC will now commence detailed consideration of the application. This will include:

- **Public advertisement:** We will publish notification of your party's application through a media release and notification in the *Victorian Government Gazette*. This will open a 30-day objection period in which members of the public may lodge an objection to the party's application. If we receive an objection, we will provide you with a copy and you will have an opportunity to respond. We will notify you before this announcement occurs. We will confirm the gazettal date once this is settled.

Please do not hesitate to contact us if you have any further queries via email at rppregistration@vec.vic.gov.au.

Kind regards

Lili [REDACTED] (she/her)

Manager, Regulatory Services

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From: rppregistration <rppregistration@vec.vic.gov.au>

Sent: Monday, 1 June 2026 5:27 PM

To: Milton Wilde [REDACTED]

Cc: Daila [REDACTED] Matthew [REDACTED] Amit [REDACTED]

Subject: RE: New deadline to apply to change party names and logos

Dear Milton Wilde

Thank you for your email and application to change the name for **End Mass Immigration – Reform AU**. While the deadline for applying is today, if there are any issues with the submitted documentation, we will correspond with you in due course and these matters can be addressed after the deadline.

I hope this information addresses your concern.

Please do not hesitate to contact us via email at rppregistration@vec.vic.gov.au if you have any further queries.

Kind regards

Lili [REDACTED] (she/her)

Manager, Regulatory Services

Level 11, 530 Collins Street Melbourne Victoria 3000

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From: Milton Wilde [REDACTED]
Sent: Monday, 1 June 2026 2:52 PM
To: rppregistration <rppregistration@vec.vic.gov.au>
Cc: Daila [REDACTED] Matthew [REDACTED] Amit [REDACTED]

Subject: Re: New deadline to apply to change party names and logos

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Dear Miss [REDACTED],

Thank you for confirming receipt of our application and fee.

As the deadline is close of business today, would you please let me know as soon as possible if there is anything in the application materials that requires correction, clarification or supplementation, so that any such matter can be addressed immediately.

Thank you for your assistance.

Yours sincerely,

Milton Wilde

On Fri, May 29, 2026 at 5:24 PM rppregistration <rppregistration@vec.vic.gov.au> wrote:

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Dear Milton Wilde,

We confirm receipt of your application on 28 May 2026 to change the registered name of End Mass Immigration – Reform AU.

Please find attached a copy of your receipt for the application fee.

We will now commence initial consideration of your application. We will contact you about next steps once this process is complete.

If you have any questions, please contact us via email at rppregistration@vec.vic.gov.au.

Kind regards



Lili [REDACTED] (she/her)

Manager, Regulatory Services

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From: Milton Wilde [REDACTED]
Sent: Thursday, 28 May 2026 2:07 PM
To: rppregistration <rppregistration@vec.vic.gov.au>; Amit [REDACTED]
Cc: Matthew [REDACTED]
Subject: Re: New deadline to apply to change party names and logos

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Application to change the name of a registered political party:

Mr Amit [REDACTED]

Principal Advisor, Party Registration

Victorian Electoral Commission

Level 11, [530 Collins Street, Melbourne](#)

[Victoria 3000](#)



Dear Mr [REDACTED] and Team,

Please accept the attached application to change the Name of our registered Political Party.

Our Logo will remain as it is currently registered.

Our payment of \$840.50 has been made to the VEC - Revenue account on the 28th May 2026 with the Reference & Description: "Registration fee **Christian Alliance Party - Reform AU**" as required; the payment receipt is attached.

Please advise promptly if there is anything that needs correcting.

[REDACTED]
Milton Wilde

[REDACTED]
End Mass Immigration – Reform AU

Secretary & Registered Officer



On Thu, May 28, 2026 at 12:42 PM Matthew [REDACTED] wrote:

Hi Milton

Apologies for missing your call – I can confirm that the application fee for a name change is \$840.50.

Regards



Matthew [REDACTED]
Senior Manager, Regulatory Services

Level 11, 530 Collins Street Melbourne Victoria 3000

T [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
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From: Matthew [REDACTED]
Sent: Wednesday, May 27, 2026 7:09 AM
To: 'Milton Wilde' [REDACTED]
Cc: rppregistration <rppregistration@vec.vic.gov.au>
Subject: RE: New deadline to apply to change party names and logos

Dear Milton

Thank you for your email. The name that appears on the ballot paper must be the registered name of the party – being the registered full name, the abbreviation or the initials/acronym.

Regards



Matthew [REDACTED]
Senior Manager, Regulatory Services

Level 11, 530 Collins Street Melbourne Victoria 3000

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[REDACTED]
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From: Milton Wilde <[REDACTED]>
Sent: Tuesday, May 26, 2026 2:16 PM
To: Matthew [REDACTED]
Subject: Re: New deadline to apply to change party names and logos

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Dear Matthew,

If our abbreviation was "End Mass Immigration Party", could we, by way of example, use "**End Mass Immigration**" on the ballot paper?

Regards,

Milton Wilde
[REDACTED]
End Mass Immigration – Reform AU
Secretary & Registered Officer

On Tue, May 26, 2026 at 9:57 AM Matthew [REDACTED] wrote:

Dear Milton

Thank you for your email and the discussion just now on the phone.

As noted, the legislation (**section 3**) defines the party name as follows:

- (a) the full name of a political party; or
- (b) the initials for, or acronym of, the full name of a political party; or
- (c) the abbreviation of the full name of a political party.

The terms initials, acronym and abbreviations are not defined in the legislation, so the common meaning applies; noting that initials and acronyms are forms of abbreviations.

As an example, in your party's case, you could register both:

- End Mass Migration as the party's abbreviation, and
- EMI as the initials.

In terms of when you select the name (the registered full name, abbreviation or initials/acronym) to appear on the ballot paper, this is completed on the nomination form ahead of the election.

I hope this information is of assistance. Please let me know if you need anything further ahead of the application deadline on **Monday 1 June 2026**.

Regards



Matthew [REDACTED]
Senior Manager, Regulatory Services

Level 11, 530 Collins Street Melbourne Victoria 3000

T [REDACTED]

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From: Milton Wilde [REDACTED]
Sent: Tuesday, May 26, 2026 9:05 AM
To: Matthew [REDACTED]
Cc: rppregistration <rppregistration@vec.vic.gov.au>
Subject: Re: New deadline to apply to change party names and logos

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Hi Matthew,

Thank you for your response.

Would you please advise the difference between an 'abbreviation' and an 'initial/acronym', or direct me to the section that outlines the definitions for each?

Also, please advise where and when we choose what appears on the Ballot paper?

Regards,

Milton Wilde

End Mass Immigration – Reform AU
Secretary & Registered Officer

On Wed, May 20, 2026 at 4:47 PM rppregistration <rppregistration@vec.vic.gov.au> wrote:

Dear Milton

Thank you for your email. Please find attached the relevant forms as requested. I note that your party does not currently have an abbreviation or acronym/initial registered, so please be aware that the 1 June deadline also applies to registering new abbreviations and acronyms/initials.

Regarding your earlier question about the difference between abbreviations and initials, the Electoral Act provides that a party can register both an abbreviation and an initial/acronym in addition to the full party name. When the party nominates candidates, it can choose to have the full party name, abbreviation or acronym/initial listed on the ballot paper.

I hope this information assists.

Regards



Matthew
Senior Manager, Regulatory Services

Level 11, 530 Collins Street Melbourne Victoria 3000

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From: Milton Wilde
Sent: Wednesday, May 20, 2026 3:11 PM
To: Matthew
Cc: rppregistration <rppregistration@vec.vic.gov.au>
Subject: Re: New deadline to apply to change party names and logos

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Hi Matthew,

Thank you for your information.

Please provide the necessary 'application forms' for a name and or a logo change.

Regards,

Milton Wilde

On Wed, May 20, 2026 at 3:04 PM rppregistration <rppregistration@vec.vic.gov.au> wrote:

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Dear Registered Officer

Please be aware that the deadline for applying to change the name and/or logo of a registered political party has changed to **1 June 2026** following amendments to the *Electoral Act 2002*. Details of this, and other changes to the Electoral Act, are set out in our media release available at: [Registered political party deadline now 1 June as new election laws come into effect | Victorian Electoral Commission](#).

If you want to change your party's name and/or logo ahead of the state election, you must apply to us in writing by **1 June**. Please contact us to get a copy of the application forms if you are considering a change or have any questions.

Kind Regards



Matthew [REDACTED]
Senior Manager, Regulatory Services

Level 11, 530 Collins Street Melbourne Victoria 3000

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Electoral Act 2002

**APPLICATION TO CHANGE A REGISTERED POLITICAL PARTY'S NAME,
ABBREVIATION OF NAME AND INITIALS**

In accordance with sections 49 and 51 of the **Electoral Act 2002** (Electoral Act), I hereby give notice of the following application to change the name, abbreviation of the name and initials of a registered political party.

Current name of party: End Mass Immigration – Reform AU

Current abbreviation: None registered

Current initials: None registered

Proposed name: Christian Alliance Party – Reform AU

Proposed abbreviation: Christian Alliance Party

Proposed initials: CAP

The application is signed by the secretary of the party.

Any person who believes that the party's name, abbreviation and initials should not be changed because the proposed changes are not allowable under section 47 of the Electoral Act may object by writing to the Victorian Electoral Commission (VEC) at Level 11, 530 Collins Street, Melbourne, Victoria 3000 or via email to rppregistration@vec.vic.gov.au by 10 July 2026.

Objections must be signed and include the objector's address. Details of any objections will be de-identified and be made available to the applicant.

Enquiries can be submitted to the VEC at rppregistration@vec.vic.gov.au

Dated 11 June 2026

LILI 
Manager, Regulatory Services
Victorian Electoral Commission

Our ref: BNLYB1

Mr Milton Wilde
Proposed Registered Officer
REFORM AU

Dear Mr Wilde

Recommendation of party registration process under s 127 of the *Commonwealth Electoral Act 1918* (Electoral Act) – REFORM AU

I refer to the application for registration from REFORM AU (the Party) received by the Australian Electoral Commission (AEC) on 15 December 2025.

On 2 April 2026, the AEC advised the Party that the writ had been issued for the Farrer by-election and that work on the Party's application for registration was suspended due to the operation of s 127 of the Electoral Act.

On 28 May 2026, the writ for the Farrer by-election was returned and processing of the Party's application for registration can recommence.

If you have any further queries about this matter, contact the AEC on 02 6271 4552 or email fad@aec.gov.au.

Yours sincerely

Timothy [REDACTED]
Director
Party Registration and Redistribution

2 June 2026



Application for registration of a non-Parliamentary party



Completing this form

- This application is for use by political parties who have **no members** in the federal Parliament and wish to register a political party to contest elections for the Senate and/or House of Representatives. A registered political party can have its registered party name, registered abbreviation or registered logo printed on the ballot papers next to the name of its endorsed candidates.
- Further information is provided in the [Guide for registering a party](#) available at www.aec.gov.au.
- This form is to be completed with reference to the *Guide for registering a party*.
- Information on this form is collected under the *Commonwealth Electoral Act 1918* (Electoral Act).
- The application is a public document during the registration process. After that, the public information is restricted to the party name, abbreviation, registered logo, postal address, website, election funding choice and the name and address of the registered officer.
- A new party with a member in the Senate or House of Representatives needs to use the form—[Application for registration by a Parliamentary party](#).
- If you wish to register a political party to contest State or Territory elections, please contact your local State or Territory electoral commission.

Name of political party

REFORM AU

Please enter the party name **exactly** as you wish it to appear on the Register.
This exact name can also be printed on ballot papers.

Abbreviation of party

This **exact** abbreviation is an alternative that can be printed on ballot papers

Political party logo

Does the party wish to register a logo? If registering a party logo, it must be submitted in the correct format detailed in the [Commonwealth Electoral \(Logo Requirements\) Determination 2016](#). For further information please refer to page 10 of the [Guide for registering a party](#). ☒ YES ☐ NO

Election funding

Does the party wish to receive election funding in accordance with Division 3 of Part XX of the Electoral Act? ☒ YES ☐ NO

Names to be registered only with consent (if required)

Is the application accompanied by written consent for the use of a word in the name, abbreviation or logo if used by another currently registered political party in accordance with ss 129(3) and 129A(2) of the Electoral Act? For further information please refer to page 9 of the [Guide for registering a party](#). ☐ YES ☒ NO

Party contact details

Street address

[Redacted]

Suburb/town

[Redacted]

State

[Redacted]

Postcode

[Redacted]

Postal address

[Redacted]

Suburb/town

[Redacted]

State

[Redacted]

Postcode

[Redacted]

Telephone number:(inc area code)

() [Redacted]

Fax number:(inc area code)

() [Redacted]

Mobile

[Redacted]

Email address

[Redacted]

Website

[Redacted]

Enquiries and form should be completed and returned to:

Email: fad@aec.gov.au
Phone: 02 6271 4552
Fax: 02 6293 7655

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Australian Electoral Commission
Locked Bag 4007
Canberra ACT 2601

Is the party a branch or division of a federally registered political party?

☐ YES ☒ NO

If yes, name of
registered party

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Proposed registered officer details

Party name	Reform AU		
Title	Mr		
Name	Milton Wilde		
Street address*	[REDACTED]		
	Suburb/town	State	Postcode
	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]
Postal address	[REDACTED]		
	Suburb/town	State	Postcode
	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]
Daytime	Telephone ()		After hours ()
Mobile	[REDACTED]		Fax number ()
Email address	[REDACTED]		
	I am not appointed as a registered officer or deputy registered officer for any other federally registered political party.		
Signature	 [REDACTED]		10./12./2025

*Note: It is a requirement under Part XI of the *Electoral Act* that a street address for the registered officer is published on the AEC website in the *Register of Political Parties*. The street address does not have to be the registered officer's residential address and can be an alternate street address such as the party's office street address. This address may also be published in newspapers nationally during the application process.

Applicants for party registration

- This application must be made by ten members of the party who are on the Commonwealth Electoral Roll (including the secretary of the party).
- The party secretary is an important position identified in the Electoral Act and has considerable power under the Electoral Act. Attach a completed Appointment of party secretary form (from AEC website), countersigned by another senior party officer as independent evidence of the appointment of the secretary in line with the requirements of the party constitution.

Secretary

Secretary's name	Milton Wilde		
Street address	[REDACTED]		
	Suburb/town	State	Postcode
	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]
Signature	 [REDACTED]		10./12./2025

Remember to attach form detailing the appointment of the secretary

CONSTITUTION

of

REFORM AU

(Unincorporated organisation for registration with the Australian Electoral Commission)

1. Name, Status and Independence

1.1 Name. The name of the organisation is **REFORM AU** (Party).

1.2 Status. The Party is an unincorporated political organisation established on a written constitution for the purposes of registration under the Commonwealth Electoral Act 1918 (Cth).

1.3 Independence & Not-for-profit. The Party is independent of any other body and applies its income and property solely to advancing its Purposes; no portion may be distributed to Members except as genuine reimbursement or arm's-length payment for goods or services.

2. Definitions and Interpretation

2.1 Constitution — this constitution as amended from time to time in accordance with clause 12.

2.2 Commonwealth Electoral Act — Commonwealth Electoral Act 1918 (Cth) and regulations.

2.3 National Executive (NE) — the Party's governing body comprising the Officers in clause 6.1.

2.4 Officers — the Registered Officer (RO), the Deputy Registered Officer (DRO), the Secretary and the Treasurer/Party Agent (Party Agent).

2.5 Member — a person entered on the Party's register under clause 5.

2.6 General Meeting — a meeting of Members convened under clause 8 (AGM or SGM).

2.7 By-Law — a rule made under clause 12 with effect only on RO approval.

2.8 Protected Clauses — the entrenched provisions listed at clause 12.4.

2.9 Consent Member — the special class at clause 5.7 whose written consent is required for Protected Clauses.

Statutory declaration by Party Secretary



Statutory Declaration

- This declaration is made under the *Statutory Declarations Act 1959* (the Act) in the knowledge that a person who intentionally makes a false statement in a statutory declaration is guilty of an offence under the Act, the punishment for which is a term of imprisonment for 4 years (see section 11 of the Act) and that Chapter 2 of the Criminal Code applies to all offences under the Act.
- This statutory declaration is also made on the basis of the definition of secretary in section 123 of the *Commonwealth Electoral Act 1918* (Electoral Act)
- secretary**, in relation to a political party, means the person who holds the office (however described) the duties of which involve responsibility for the carrying out of the administration, and for the conduct of the correspondence, of the party.

Title	Given names	Family name	Occupation
I, Mr	Milton	Wilde	[REDACTED]

Full address

of [REDACTED]

make the following declaration under the *Statutory Declarations Act 1959*.

- I am the officer in the **REFORM AU** (the Party) responsible for the day-to-day administration of the party and for the conduct of its correspondence, meeting the definition of secretary in s123 of the Electoral Act.
- The copy of the constitution annexed to this declaration and marked "A" is a true copy of the current constitution of the Party.
- The list of members annexed to this declaration and marked "B" is a list of at least 1,500 people currently on the Commonwealth Electoral Roll, who have applied for membership of the party and been accepted as members of the party in accordance with the terms of the constitution of the party.

Signature of person
making declaration

[REDACTED]

Declared at [REDACTED] (suburb/town)
on the 12 th day of December (month), 2025 (year).

Before me

See over the page for a list of people qualified to witness a statutory declaration.

Signature of person witnessing declaration	[REDACTED]
Full name of witness - printed	Hannah [REDACTED]
Full address of witness	[REDACTED]
Qualification to witness this statutory declaration	[REDACTED]

RINGWOOD POLICE STATION
31 RINGWOOD ST
RINGWOOD 3134

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Canberra ACT 2601

Office use only

Date received

10/21

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Statement of Milton Wilde regarding absence of relationship, consent or authorisation

I, **Milton Wilde**, of [REDACTED], state as follows.

1. I am the Registered Officer of **End Mass Immigration – Reform AU**, a political party registered under Victorian electoral law.
2. I make this statement in support of my objection to the application by the **Australian Federation Party** to change its registered party name to **Reform Australia**.
3. End Mass Immigration – Reform AU was formerly known as **Companions and Pets Party**.
4. End Mass Immigration – Reform AU is not part of, affiliated with, related to, authorised by, merged with, or a successor to the Australian Federation Party.
5. The Australian Federation Party is not part of, affiliated with, related to, authorised by, merged with, or a successor to End Mass Immigration – Reform AU.
6. The Australian Federation Party is not a State branch, federal branch, division, affiliate, campaign arm, successor, merged entity, authorised electoral vehicle, or related party of End Mass Immigration – Reform AU.
7. I have also submitted, or caused to be submitted, a Victorian application to change the registered party name from **End Mass Immigration – Reform AU** to **Christian Alliance Party – Reform AU**.
8. Christian Alliance Party – Reform AU is not part of, affiliated with, related to, authorised by, merged with, or a successor to the Australian Federation Party.
9. The Australian Federation Party is not part of, affiliated with, related to, authorised by, merged with, or a successor to Christian Alliance Party – Reform AU.
10. I have also submitted, or caused to be submitted, a federal application to the Australian Electoral Commission for registration of a non-Parliamentary party named **REFORM AU**.
11. REFORM AU is not part of, affiliated with, related to, authorised by, merged with, or a successor to the Australian Federation Party.
12. The Australian Federation Party is not part of, affiliated with, related to, authorised by, merged with, or a successor to REFORM AU.
13. To the best of my knowledge, information and belief, there is no branch relationship, parent-party relationship, federal/state relationship, affiliate relationship, merger relationship, successor relationship, campaign relationship, joint venture, licence, consent arrangement, permission arrangement, or authorisation arrangement between the Australian Federation Party and any of the following:
 - a. **End Mass Immigration – Reform AU**;
 - b. **Christian Alliance Party – Reform AU**;
 - c. **REFORM AU**;
 - d. **Reform AU**;
 - e. **Companions and Pets Party**; or
 - f. **Companions and Pets Party Limited**.
14. I have not consented to the Australian Federation Party using the name **Reform Australia**.
15. I have not consented to the Australian Federation Party using the name **Reform AU**.
16. I have not consented to the Australian Federation Party using the name **REFORM AU**.

17. I have not consented to the Australian Federation Party using any party name, abbreviation, acronym, branding, public-facing identity, campaign identity or electoral identity that is likely to be confused with or mistaken for:

- a. **End Mass Immigration – Reform AU;**
- b. **Christian Alliance Party – Reform AU;**
- c. **REFORM AU;** or
- d. **Reform AU.**

18. I have not given the Australian Federation Party any licence, permission, approval, endorsement or authority to use the words **Reform AU**, **REFORM AU**, **Reform Australia**, or any confusingly similar formulation.

19. I have not entered into any agreement with the Australian Federation Party permitting it to represent itself as connected with, related to, affiliated with, endorsed by, or authorised by End Mass Immigration – Reform AU, Christian Alliance Party – Reform AU, REFORM AU, Reform AU, Companions and Pets Party, or Companions and Pets Party Limited.

20. Any suggestion that the Australian Federation Party is connected with, affiliated with, authorised by, endorsed by, or related to End Mass Immigration – Reform AU, Christian Alliance Party – Reform AU, REFORM AU or Reform AU would be incorrect.

21. Any suggestion that the Australian Federation Party has my consent to adopt the proposed name **Reform Australia** would be incorrect.

22. I make this statement for the purpose of confirming that no relationship, consent, permission or authorisation exists between the Australian Federation Party and the parties, names or entities referred to above.

23. The matters stated above are true and correct to the best of my knowledge, information and belief.

Signed:



Milton Wilde

Registered Officer

End Mass Immigration – Reform AU

Date: 7 July 2026

Authorised Version No. 068

Electoral Act 2002

No. 23 of 2002

Authorised Version incorporating amendments as at
10 June 2026

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<i>recognised political party</i> means a registered political party or a party that has been registered under this Act at any time in the previous 10 years;	S. 3 def. of <i>recognised political party</i> inserted by No. 13/2026 s. 4(1).
<i>region</i> means electoral region;	S. 3 def. of <i>region</i> inserted by No. 2/2003 s. 23(e).
<i>Register of Agents</i> means the register kept under section 259;	S. 3 def. of <i>Register of Agents</i> inserted by No. 19/2026 s. 4(1).
<i>register of electors</i> means the register of electors for Victoria established and maintained under section 21 that contains the names and addresses of all electors and the particulars required under the Act;	
<i>Register of New Entrants</i> means the register kept under section 248;	S. 3 def. of <i>Register of New Entrants</i> inserted by No. 19/2026 s. 4(1).
<i>Register of Political Parties</i> means the Register of Political Parties established under section 43;	
<i>registered</i> , in relation to an election, means registered under Part 4 before the day of the issue of the writ for the election;	S. 3 def. of <i>registered</i> inserted by No. 19/2026 s. 4(1).
<i>registered agent</i> —see section 206(1);	S. 3 def. of <i>registered agent</i> inserted by No. 19/2026 s. 4(1).

- (ii) register an eligible political party or a logo in relation to an eligible political party; and

S. 46(a)(ii)
amended by
No. 30/2018
s. 9(2).

- (b) the Tribunal must not—

- (i) review a decision made on an application under section 45; or
- (ii) make an order in relation to an application under section 45.

47 Political parties with certain names not to be registered

S. 47
amended by
No. 13/2026
s. 23(1)(4) (ILA
s. 39B(1)).

- (1) The Commission must refuse an application for the registration of a political party if, in the opinion of the Commission, the name of the political party or the abbreviation of the party's name that the party wishes to use for the purposes of this Act—

- (a) comprises more than 6 words; or
- (b) is obscene; or
- (c) is not a proper abbreviation of the name of the political party; or
- (d) is the name, or is an abbreviation or acronym of the name, of another recognised political party and that recognised political party is not related to the party to which the application relates; or
- (e) so nearly resembles the name, or an abbreviation or acronym of the name, of a recognised political party that is not related to the party to which the application relates that it is likely to be confused with or mistaken for that name or abbreviation or acronym; or

S. 47(1)(d)
substituted by
No. 13/2026
s. 23(2).

S. 47(1)(e)
substituted by
No. 13/2026
s. 23(2).

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No. 23 of 2002
Part 4—Registration of political parties

S. 47(1)(ea)
inserted by
No. 13/2026
s. 23(2).

- (ea) is a name that a reasonable person would think suggests a connection or relationship exists between the party and a registered political party if that connection or relationship does not in fact exist; or
- (f) comprises the words "Independent Party" or comprises or contains the word "Independent" and—
 - (i) the name of a registered political party; or
 - (ii) matter that so nearly resembles the name of a registered political party that the matter is likely to be confused with, or mistaken for, that name; or

S. 47(1)(f)(ii)
amended by
No. 13/2026
s. 23(3)(a).

S. 47(1)(g)
inserted by
No. 13/2026
s. 23(3)(b).

- (g) comprises or includes any of the following acronyms or the Commission considers that the word or acronym suggests the holding of a parliamentary office—
 - (i) MP;
 - (ii) MLA;
 - (iii) MLC.

S. 47(2)
inserted by
No. 13/2026
s. 23(4).

- (2) The Commission must refuse an application for registration of a political party (*applicant party*) if the name of the political party that the party wishes to use for the purposes of this Act is the name, or an abbreviation or acronym of the name, of a registered political party unless—
 - (a) the application for the registration of the applicant party includes the written consent of the registered officer of the registered political party to the use of the registered political party's name, part of its name, or an abbreviation or acronym of its name in the name of the applicant party; or

- (b) the part of the registered political party's name to be used is—
 - (i) a function word; or
 - (ii) a collective noun for people; or
 - (iii) the name of a country, the word "country" or a recognised geographical place in Australia; or
 - (iv) the word "democratic".

- (3) For the purposes of subsection (2)(b), in relation to a word, other grammatical forms, and commonly accepted variants of the word, including abbreviations, contractions and alternative forms, are to be treated in the same way as the word.

S. 47(3)
inserted by
No. 13/2026
s. 23(4).

47A Certain logos not to be entered in Register of Political Parties

- (1) The Commission must refuse an application under section 45(3) to enter a logo in relation to a political party in the Register of Political Parties if, in the opinion of the Commission, the logo that the political party wishes to use for the purposes of this Act—
 - (a) is obscene; or
 - (b) is the logo of another registered political party; or
 - (c) so nearly resembles the logo of another registered political party that it is likely to be confused with, or mistaken for, that logo; or
 - (ca) is a logo that a reasonable person would think suggests a connection or relationship exists between the party to which the application relates and a recognised political party if that connection does not in fact exist; or

S. 47A
inserted by
No. 30/2018
s. 10,
amended by
No. 13/2026
s. 24(3) (ILA
s. 39B(1)).

S. 47A(1)(ca)
inserted by
No. 13/2026
s. 24(1).

S. 47A(1)(d)(ii)
amended by
No. 13/2026
s. 24(2)(a).

(d) comprises the words "Independent Party" or comprises or contains the word "Independent" and—

(i) the name, or an abbreviation or acronym of the name, of a registered political party; or

(ii) matter that so nearly resembles the name, or an abbreviation or acronym of the name, of a registered political party, that the matter is likely to be confused with, or mistaken for, that name, abbreviation or acronym; or

S. 47A(1)(e)
inserted by
No. 13/2026
s. 24(2)(b).

(e) comprises or includes any of the following acronyms or the Commission considers that the word or acronym suggests the holding of a parliamentary office—

(i) MP;

(ii) MLA;

(iii) MLC.

S. 47A(2)
inserted by
No. 13/2026
s. 24(3).

(2) The Commission must refuse an application under section 45(3) to enter a logo in relation to a political party (*applicant party*) in the Register of Political Parties if the logo of the political party that the party wishes to use for the purposes of this Act contains the name, or an abbreviation or acronym of the name, of a registered political party unless—

(a) the application includes the written consent of the registered officer of the registered political party to the use of the registered political party's name, part of its name, or an abbreviation or acronym of its name in the logo of the applicant party; or

- (b) the part of the registered political party's name to be used in the logo is—
 - (i) a function word; or
 - (ii) a collective noun for people; or
 - (iii) the name of a country, the word "country" or a recognised geographical place in Australia; or
 - (iv) the word "democratic".
- (3) For the purposes of subsection (2)(b), in relation to a word, other grammatical forms, and commonly accepted variants of the word, including abbreviations, contractions and alternative forms, are to be treated in the same way as the word.

S. 47A(3)
inserted by
No. 13/2026
s. 24(3).

48 Variation of application

- (1) If, after initial consideration of an application for the registration of a political party, the Commission is of the opinion that—
 - (a) the Commission is required to refuse the application; and
 - (b) the political party might be prepared to vary the application in such a way that the Commission may accept the application—

the Commission must within 30 days of receiving the application give the political party written notice of that opinion, setting out the reasons for that opinion and the terms of subsections (2) and (3).
- (2) If the Commission has given notice under subsection (1) in relation to an application, the Commission is not required to give further consideration to the application unless and until a request is lodged with the Commission under subsection (3).

S. 48(1)
amended by
No. 30/2018
s. 11(1).