# NOMINATION PAPER TARANAKI ELECTRICITY TRUST (WARD A)

To: Electoral Officer, Taranaki Electricity Trust c/- PO Box 5135, Victoria Street West, Auckland 1142



### A. For the TWO NOMINATORS to complete

We, the undersigned electors of Taranaki Electricity Trust (Ward A) nominate (enter candidate details):

First names	Surname		
Residential address			
with their consent, for the office of Trustee for the Taranaki Electricity Trust (Ward A) for the election to be held on Friday 16 June 2023.			

Dated at (location eg Inglewood)	Date (dd/mm/yyyy)
NOMINATOR 1	NOMINATOR 2
Full name	Full name
Residential address	Residential address
Signature of nominator	Signature of nominator

### B. For the CANDIDATE to complete

### L. Full name

being eligible for election, hereby consent to the above nomination, and confirm that I am not, to the best of my knowledge and belief, disqualified from holding office as a Trustee by any matter specified in Rule 2.8 of the Schedule to the Taranaki Electricity Trust Deed of Trust (see criteria over). Under section 25 of the Local Electoral Act 2001, a candidate must be a parliamentary elector AND a New Zealand citizen. Proof of NZ citizenship is required.

Please tick in the boxes beside the statements below which apply to you and complete any other details that are applicable.

#### I confirm that:

I am a parliamentary elector at the address given in section A	AND	I am a Nev	w Zealand citizen by b	irth or citi	zenship ceremony	
I wish my name to be shown on the voting document as (commonly known name if different to full name shown above)						
I wish my affiliation to be shown on the voting document as (endorsement by a party/organisation/group - can be 'Independent' or left blank) You will need to provide a letter of consent to use an affiliation if anything other than 'Independent' or blank						
I submit with this nomination:						
\$200 deposit/ proof of deposit proof of NZ citizenship (copy of passport, birth or citizenship certificate) passport	ort-size photo		profile statement		letter of consent to use affiliation (if applicable)	
Signature of candidate Date (dd/mm/yyyy)						
<b>NOTE:</b> All nomination material must be provided together, and must be in the hands of the electoral officer or an electoral official no later than <b>12 noon</b> on <b>Friday 21 April 2023</b> .						
C. For the electoral officer/electoral official to complete						
Received at (location)	Time	e (eg 10.300	am)	Date	e (dd/mm/yyyy)	
Signature of electoral officer/electoral official						

### TO BE ELIGIBLE TO STAND FOR ELECTION

#### A candidate must:

- be aged 18 years or over.
- Joint Content of the second se
- be enrolled on the Electoral Roll at an address within Ward A of the the Taranaki Electricity Trust district.
- have two (2) people nominate you who are electors at an address within Ward A of the the Taranaki Electricity Trust district.

#### **General Notes**

- 1 The candidate and nominators must be local authority electors within Ward A of the Taranaki Electricity Trust district.
- 2 A candidate may not nominate themself for office.
- 3 Under section 121 of the Local Electoral Act 2001, any person is liable on summary conviction to a fine of \$2,000 who:
  - a) consents to being nominated as a candidate when knowing themselves to be ineligible for election (see below); or
  - b) nominates any person as a candidate whom they know to be ineligible for election; or
  - c) not being the candidate, signs any nomination paper knowing that they are not qualified to vote at the election.
- 4 A candidate may, under section 56 of the Local Electoral Act 2001, be nominated under a name which the candidate is commonly known, provided that the name will not:
  - cause offence to a reasonable person;
  - be unreasonably long;
  - be or resemble an official title or rank;
  - cause confusion or mislead electors.
- 5 The name appearing on the voting document will not include initials or titles such as JP or Dr. These can be included in the candidate profile statement if desired.
- 6 A candidate may, in accordance with section 61 of the Local Electoral Act 2001 and regulations 26 and 29 of the Local Electoral Regulations 2001, provide a candidate profile statement, including a recent passport-size colour photograph, for issuing to electors with the voting documents. For further information about candidate profile statements, please see additional information provided with this nomination paper.
- 7 Each nomination must be accompanied by the required deposit of \$200 (inclusive of GST). This is refunded if the candidate polls greater than 25% of the votes cast for the lowest successful candidate. Payment of the nomination deposit can be made by cash or internet transfer.
- 8 Nominations of candidates must be in the hands of the electoral officer or an electoral official not later than 12 noon on Friday 21 April 2023.
- 9 Nominations may be lodged by:
  - Email to: nominations@electionservices.co.nz; or
  - Post to: Independent Election Services Ltd, PO Box 5135, Victoria Street West, Auckland 1142; or
  - Hand-delivery to: Taranaki Electricity Trust office, 84 Rata Street, Inglewood, noting the office hours of 9.30am - 12:30pm on Wednesdays and Fridays.

### TO BE ELIGIBLE TO BE A NOMINATOR FOR A CANDIDATE

### A nominator must:

- be aged 18 years or over.
- be enrolled on the Electoral Roll at an address within Ward A of the the Taranaki Electricity Trust district.

#### **Candidate Restrictions**

Candidates cannot (under Rule 2.8 of the Schedule to the Deed of Trust) be:

- a bankrupt who has not obtained a final order of discharge or whose order of discharge has been suspended for a term not yet expired, or is subject to a condition not yet fulfilled;
- 2. a person who has been convicted of any offence punishable by a term of imprisonment of two (2) or more years;
- 3. a person who has been convicted of any offence punishable by imprisonment for a term of not less than two (2) years and has been sentenced to imprisonment for that offence;
- 4. a person to whom an order made under section 383 of the Companies Act 1993 applies;
- a person who has a mental disorder within the meaning of the Mental Health (Compulsory Assessment and Treatment) Act 1992, or its subsequent amendment Acts;
- a person who is not an elector for the purposes of the Electoral Act 1993;
- 7. a person who is not an Elector provided however it is agreed that the provisions of this paragraph (g) did not and do not apply to the signatories to the original Deed during their first term of office or to the signatories of the original Deed who were re-elected at the 1993 election during the first term of such re-election.

#### **Payment of Nomination Deposit**

Each nomination must be accompanied by a deposit of \$200 (inclusive of GST). Payments can be made by **electronic bank transfer or cash**. For bank transfers, please use the details below, and attach evidence to your nomination paper that the transfer of funds has occurred.

account name:	Independent Election Services Ltd
account number:	01 0102 0437 238 00
particulars:	initials & surname
code:	TET Ward A
reference:	Nomination

### CHECKLIST

When lodging your nomination paper you must submit the following together:

- completed nomination paper
- \$200 nomination deposit (or evidence of bank transfer)
- proof of NZ citizenship

	CONTACT DETAILS
ELECTORAL OFFICER:	Dale Ofsoske (info@electionservices.co.nz)
ELECTORAL OFFICE:	Level 2, 198 Federal Street, Auckland
POSTAL ADDRESS:	PO Box 5135, Victoria Street West, Auckland 1142
TELEPHONE:	0800 922 822
WEBSITE:	www.taranakielectricitytrust.co.nz



Providing a candidate profile statement and photo are optional, however, a candidate may be disadvantaged if they choose not to provide these. Candidate profile statements and photos are provided to electors with their voting document and may also appear on the Trust's website.

<b>CANDIDATE CONTACT I</b> Please print clearly using upper and		
Candidate name		insert passport-size photo in a snap-lock bag
Position candidate standing for	Taranaki Electricity Trust (Ward A)	and attach here
Postal address		photo must not exceed this size
Email address	Contact phone number	
Alternate contact details		

### **BANK ACCOUNT DETAILS**

Each nomination paper lodged requires a deposit of \$200 (inclusive of GST). This is refunded if the candidate polls greater than 25% of the votes received by the lowest successful candidate.

Please enter your bank details here for your nomination deposit to be refunded (where eligible) by bank transfer.

Account name	
Account number	

### **CANDIDATE PROFILE STATEMENT**

(If in English and/or Māori, must not exceed 150 words in each language and content must be substantially consistent in each language)

Candidate profile statements will be printed in plain text, without formatting, and sent to each elector with their voting document. The candidate profile statement must be confined to information concerning the candidate and the candidate's policies and intentions if elected to office.

For further information on the candidate profile statement, see over.

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### Notes on a candidate profile statement (CPS)

Legislative references (section) refer to the Local Electoral Act 2001.

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### Right to submit a candidate profile statement

Every candidate may submit a CPS with their nomination (section 61). This is a permissive right - it is not mandatory to submit a CPS.

### The content of a candidate profile statement

Under section 61(2)(c) must be confined to information:

- concerning the candidate (including any affiliation made in the nomination paper or status as an independent), and may include the candidate's contact details;
- on the candidate's policies and intentions if elected;
- a CPS cannot be used to comment on the policies, performance etc, of any other candidate.

### Use of languages in a candidate profile statement

Under section 61(2)(a) and (3) and regulation 27, a CPS:

- if in English and/or Māori, must not exceed 150 words in each of the languages used in the CPS. The information contained in each language must be substantially consistent with the information contained in the other language;
- in any other language or combination of languages, must not exceed 150 words or their equivalent if symbols are used rather than words. Where a CPS is in a language other than English or Māori, then the candidate must provide a translation of the CPS in English for verification of content. This translation is not published with the CPS. Should all or part of a candidate profile statement be provided in a language other than English or Māori, it is required that this be provided in an electronic graphic file;
- all translations must be supplied as a single image. If there is more than one language translated, then these are to be all supplied together in a single image;
- the image to be supplied as a file with the following criteria:
  - PNG format
  - black and white
  - 600 dpi
  - maximum file size 400kB
  - the image being 1300 pixels high and 2000 pixels wide.

### When the candidate profile statement must be submitted

Under section 61(2)(b):

if submitting a CPS, it must be provided to the electoral officer with the nomination paper and nomination deposit.

### Photograph

Under section 61(2)(e) and regulation 28:

- a CPS may include a recent photograph of the candidate alone which:
  - must be passport-size (approximately 50mm by 40mm); and
  - has been taken within 12 months of the candidate's date of nomination;
- photographs should be: (i) a hard copy original; (ii) in the size stated (not electronic or home printed); (iii) in colour (optional); and (iv) inserted in the plastic sleeve attached to the CPS sheet.
- if a photograph is not provided, this will be stated on the CPS sheet.

Duties, powers and responsibilities of electoral officers in respect of candidate profile statements:

- where an electoral officer is not satisfied that a CPS complies with section 61(2) and (3), he/she must return the CPS to the candidate specifying:
  - the concerns and reasons for them;
  - the period, which must be not less than 3 days from the date of the CPS's return, within which an amended CPS may be resubmitted;
- a candidate will be treated as having failed to provide a CPS if under section 64(4) he or she:
  - fails to submit an amended CPS within the period specified by the electoral officer;
  - submits an amended CPS, which in the electoral officer's opinion, still fails to comply with section 61(2) and (3);
- it is important to note that under section 61(6) the electoral officer:
  - is not required to verify or investigate any information in a CPS;
  - may include in or with any CPS a disclaimer concerning the accuracy of the information in the CPS;
  - is not liable in relation to:
    - any statement in or omitted from a CPS; or
    - the work of a prudently selected translator; or
    - the exercise of the powers and functions conferred on an electoral officer under this section.

### Distribution of candidate profile statements

Under section 62 and regulation 29:

- the candidate profile statements (that comply with section 61) will be published in a candidate profile booklet and sent to each elector with the voting document. In addition, a local authority may display CPS's at its offices, or service centres, and on its website in any appropriate manner;
- not to comply with section 62 will not invalidate the election.



(Under section 112A of the Local Electoral Act 2001)



a candidate for

Taranaki Electricity Trust (Ward A) [Expenditure limit - \$14,000]

at the election held on 16 June 2023, make the following declaration:

PART A: RETURN OF ELECTORAL DONATIONS (inclusive of GST)

I, make the following return of all electoral donations received by me that exceed \$1,500:

Set out the following details in respect of every electoral donation received (other than an anonymous electoral donation) that, either on its own or when aggregated with all other donations made by or on behalf of the same donor for use in the same campaign, exceeds \$1,500 in sum or value:

- the name of the donor;
- the address of the donor;
- the amount of the donation or, in the case of aggregated donations, the total amount of the donations;
- the date the donation was received or, in the case of aggregated donations, the date that each donation was received.

NB: Section 103A Local Electoral Act 2001 defines "donation" as money or the equivalent of money or of goods or services or of a combination of those things used in the candidate's election campaign over \$300 in value. It excludes labour and goods and services that are provided free of charge reasonably valued at \$300 or less.

NAME and ADDRESS of DONOR	DESCRIPTION (include goods or services)*	DONATION	
		Date received	Amount
	* set out here if the donation is funded from contributions	Total	

Set out the following details in respect of every anonymous electoral donation received that exceeds \$1,500:

- the date the donation was received;
- the amount of the donation;
- the specific election campaign to which the donation was designated (see top of page);
- the amount paid to the electoral officer and the date the payment was made.

NB: Section 103A Local Electoral Act 2001 defines "anonymous" as a donation made in such a way that the candidate who receives the donation does not know the identity of the donor, and could not, in the circumstances, reasonably be expected to know the identity of the donor.

ANONYMOU	s donation	DESCRIPTION (include goods or services)	PAID TO ELECTO	ORAL OFFICER
Date received	Amount		Date paid	Amount
Please turn page for m	ore Electoral Donations, I	Electoral Expenses and Declaration	Total	

In the case of any electoral donation funded from contributions, set out the following details in respect of each contribution that, either on it's own or when aggregated with other contributions made by the same contributor to the donation, exceeds \$1,500 in sum or value:

- the name of the contributor;
- the address of the contributor;
- the total amount of the contributor's contributions made in relation to the donation.

NB: Section 103A Local Electoral Act 2001 defines "contributions" as money or goods or services that have been given to a donor to fund, be applied to, or included in an electoral donation (for example, contributions to trust funds or a fundraising collection).

NAMEandADDRESSofCONTRIBUTOR	DESCRIPTION (include goods or services)*	DONATION	CONTRIBUTION
		Date received	Amount
*	set out here the electoral donation this contribution applies t	<sup>o.</sup> Tota	

### PART B: RETURN OF ELECTORAL EXPENSES (inclusive of GST)

I make the following return of all electoral expenses incurred by me:

Set out the following details in respect of every electoral expense incurred by or on behalf of the candidate at the election in respect of any electoral activity:

• the name and description of every person or body of persons to whom any sum was paid;

• the reason that sum was paid.

Sums paid for radio broadcasting, television broadcasting, newspaper advertising, posters, pamphlets etc must be set out separately and under separate headings.

NAME and DESCRIPTION	<b>REASON for EXPENSES</b>	EXPENSES PAID
	Total	
Dated at	this day of	2023.
Signature		
THIS FORM IS REQUIRED TO BE C PO BOX 5135, VICTORIA STR	OMPLETED (EVEN IF IT IS A NIL RETURN) AND PROVI EET WEST, AUCKLAND 1142 (or info@electionservices	DED TO THE ELECTORAL OFFICE, .co.nz), BY 16 AUGUST 2023.

## Candidate nomination deposit

All components of a candidate's nomination must be lodged at the same time. This includes the nomination deposit.

Nomination deposits can be made in one of the following ways:

- 1 cash;
- 2 bank transfer if making a payment online evidence that the transfer of funds has occurred must be attached to the nomination paper at the time of lodgement.

For a bank transfer please use the following account:		
01 0102 0437238 00		
enter the following details:		
field	entry	example
particulars -	initials & surname	A B Smith
code -	write 'TET A'	TET A
reference -	write 'nomination'	Nomination

If the bank transfer payment cannot be identified as having been received on the date of transfer of funds, the nomination becomes invalid.