

# STATUTORY RULES.

1930 ~~1929~~. No. 10.

## REGULATIONS RELATING TO JOINT ELECTORAL ROLLS IN THE STATE OF VICTORIA.

**W**HEREAS pursuant to the powers him thereunto enabling the Governor-General of the Commonwealth of Australia entered into an arrangement with the Governor in Council of the State of Victoria for the preparation, alteration and revision jointly of Commonwealth Electoral Rolls and State Assembly Electoral Rolls in the said State:

And whereas Regulations for the purpose of carrying the said arrangement into effect were made by the said Governor-General and the Governor in Council on the sixth day of March, 1924:

And whereas it is desirable to repeal those Regulations and to substitute other Regulations therefor:

Now, therefore, I, the Governor-General, acting with the advice of the Federal Executive Council, do hereby make the following Regulations under the *Commonwealth Electoral Act 1918-1929* to the intent that they shall have force in relation to the joint Rolls to be prepared and kept in the State of Victoria in pursuance of the said recited arrangement.

Dated the *Seventeenth* day of *January*, ~~1929~~ 1930.

*(Ed) Stonehaven*  
Governor-General.

By His Excellency's Command,

*Arthur Seabury*

Minister of State for Home Affairs.

JOINT ELECTORAL (COMMONWEALTH AND VICTORIA)  
REGULATIONS ~~1920~~ 1930

PART I.—PRELIMINARY.

1. These Regulations may be cited as the *Joint Electoral (Commonwealth and Victoria) Regulations*, and shall come into operation on the ~~twentieth~~ day of *January* 1930, but the Chief Electoral Officer for the Commonwealth and the Chief Electoral Officer for the State of Victoria may permit the continuance of the use of Forms repealed by these Regulations for such time, after the commencement of these Regulations, as they consider desirable. Short title and commencement.

2. These Regulations are divided into Parts, as follows:— Parts.

PART I.—Preliminary.

PART II.—Electoral.

Division 1.—Enrolment.

Division 2.—Objections.

Division 3.—Miscellaneous.

3. (1) In these Regulations unless the contrary intention appears— Definitions.

“the Assembly” means the Legislative Assembly of the State of Victoria;

“the Commonwealth Chief Electoral Officer” means the Chief Electoral Officer for the Commonwealth appointed pursuant to the Commonwealth Electoral Act;

“the Commonwealth Electoral Act” means the *Commonwealth Electoral Act* 1918, as amended from time to time;

“the Commonwealth Electoral Officer” means the Commonwealth Electoral Officer for the State of Victoria appointed pursuant to the Commonwealth Electoral Act;

“*The Constitution Act Amendment Act 1928*” means the Act bearing that title of the State of Victoria, and includes any Act amending that Act;

“the Divisional Returning Officer” means the Commonwealth Divisional Returning Officer for the Commonwealth Electoral Division in relation to which the expression is used;

“the Registrar” means the Electoral Registrar for the Commonwealth Subdivision and the State Assembly Subdivision in relation to which the expression is used;

“the State Chief Electoral Officer” means the Chief Electoral Officer for the State of Victoria appointed pursuant to *The Constitution Act Amendment Act 1928*.

(2) Any reference in these Regulations to a form shall be read as a reference to a form in the Schedule to these Regulations.

4. These Regulations shall apply in relation to joint Rolls in the State of Victoria. Application of these Regulations.

5. The Electoral and Referendum Regulations made under the Commonwealth Electoral Act and the Regulations made under the provisions of *The Constitution Act Amendment Act 1923* shall not apply in relation to the joint Rolls in respect of matters for which provision is made by these Regulations but shall, to the extent to which they are applicable, apply in respect of other matters.

Application of other Commonwealth and State Electoral Regulations.

## PART II.—ELECTORAL.

### *Division 1.—Enrolment.*

6. (1) The Roll to be used jointly for Commonwealth elections and also State elections for the Assembly may be in accordance with Form 1 and shall contain the particulars indicated therein.

Form of joint roll.

(2) Where a person whose name is on the joint Roll is not enrolled thereon as an Assembly elector, an asterisk (\*) shall be placed against his name to indicate that he is not so enrolled.

(3) Where a person whose name is on the joint Roll is not enrolled thereon as a Commonwealth elector, a circle (o) shall be placed against his name to indicate that he is not so enrolled.

7. (1) The prices at which Rolls are sold shall be as follows:—

	<i>s.</i>	<i>d.</i>
Principal Roll for a Division . . . . .	2	0
Principal Roll for an Assembly District . . . . .	1	0
Principal Roll for a Subdivision . . . . .	0	6
Supplemental Roll for a Division or an Assembly District . . . . .	0	6
Supplemental Roll for a Subdivision . . . . .	0	3

Sale of electoral rolls.

(2) Moneys received from the sale of joint Rolls shall be divided equally between the Commonwealth and the State.

8. (1) The form of claim for enrolment in respect of the place of living of a claimant, or transfer of such enrolment, or notification of change of address within the same subdivision may be in accordance with Form 2, and shall be valid for the Commonwealth notwithstanding that it contains a claim for enrolment, or transfer of enrolment, or change of address for both the Commonwealth and the Assembly, and the form of claim for enrolment, or transfer of enrolment, or change of address, shall be valid for the Assembly, notwithstanding that it contains a claim for enrolment, or transfer of enrolment, or change of address for both the Assembly and the Commonwealth.

Form of electoral claim.

(2) Any person, enrolled in respect of his place of living, applying for correction of the entry on the Roll of his name or particulars of enrolment may apply in accordance with Form 2, or in such other form, signed by the applicant, as the Registrar approves.

(3) The form of claim for enrolment as an elector for the Assembly in respect of a property qualification may be in accordance with Form 2A.

9. (1) Upon receipt of a claim for enrolment or transfer of enrolment, or notification of change of address within a Subdivision, or application for the alteration or correction of particulars of an existing enrolment, the Registrar shall note thereon the date of its receipt by him,

Registration of claim.

and if the claim, notification or application is in order and he is satisfied that the claimant is entitled to be enrolled, or to have his name transferred, or the particulars of his enrolment altered or corrected, the Registrar shall forthwith—

- (i) enter on the Subdivision Roll the name of the claimant and the particulars relating to him or alter or correct the particulars of his enrolment, as the case requires, and where the claimant is enrolled as a Commonwealth elector only, or as an Assembly elector only, place the appropriate prescribed distinguishing mark opposite the name of the claimant; and
- (ii) in the case of an enrolment or a transfer of enrolment, notify the claimant, in accordance with Form 3 or 3A (as the case requires), that he has been enrolled; and
- (iii) in the case of a transfer of enrolment, give notice of the transfer to the Registrar keeping the Subdivision Roll from which the elector's name has been transferred:

Provided that the Registrar before enrolling a claimant as an Assembly elector, in respect of a property qualification, shall—

- (a) obtain from the Registrar for the subdivision in which the claimant resides a certificate in the form authorized by the Commonwealth Chief Electoral Officer and the State Chief Electoral Officer to the effect that the claimant is enrolled as an elector for the Assembly on the Roll in force for the subdivision in which he resides; and
- (b) verify his claim to such property qualification by inquiry from the proper municipal authority.

(2) An interim acknowledgment of the receipt, after the issue of the writ for a Commonwealth election, and before the close of the polling at the election, of a claim for enrolment or transfer of enrolment, may be issued to the elector by the Registrar, in the form authorized by the Commonwealth Chief Electoral Officer.

(3) An interim acknowledgment of the receipt of a claim for enrolment or transfer of enrolment, during the period commencing on the day following the thirtieth day before the issue of the writs for an Assembly General Election, and terminating at the close of the polling at such election, may be issued to the elector by the Registrar in the form authorized by the State Chief Electoral Officer.

10. The notification of the transfer of the enrolment of an elector or the enrolments of electors, may be in accordance with Form 4. Notification of transfer of enrolment.

11. (1) The reference of an electoral claim to the Divisional Returning Officer for his decision pursuant to section 44 (1) of the Commonwealth Electoral Act and section 164 (1) of *The Constitution Act Amendment Act 1928*, may be made in the form authorized by the Commonwealth Chief Electoral Officer and the State Chief Electoral Officer. Reference of claim to Divisional Returning Officer.

(2) The notification to the claimant of such reference may be in accordance with Form 5.

12. (1) The notification by the Divisional Returning Officer to the Registrar of the rejection of an electoral claim may be in the form authorized by the Commonwealth Chief Electoral Officer and the State Chief Electoral Officer. Notification of rejection of claim.

(2) The notification to the claimant of the rejection of an electoral claim may be in accordance with Form 6.

13. The Registrar, upon receipt of an electoral claim which is not in order by reason of some formal defect only, may send to the claimant a notification in accordance with Form 7 indicating the nature of the defect, and, as the case requires— Formally defective claim.

- (a) return the claim to him for completion or correction; or
- (b) furnish him with a fresh form of claim for completion.

14. The certificate of the Commonwealth Electoral Officer and the State Chief Electoral Officer authorizing the removal of the name of an elector, or the names of electors, from a Roll, and the direction of the Divisional Returning Officer thereon, may be in accordance with Form 8. Certificate authorizing removal of name.

15. Where a name is removed from a Roll by direction of the Divisional Returning Officer upon the certificate of the Commonwealth Electoral Officer and the State Chief Electoral Officer, pursuant to paragraph (h) of sub-section (1) of section 47 of the Commonwealth Electoral Act, and paragraph (i) of sub-section (1) of section 166 of *The Constitution Act Amendment Act 1928*, the Registrar shall send to the elector whose name is so removed a notification in accordance with Form 9. Notification of removal of name from roll.

16. (1) The change of electors from one Roll to another, in accordance with section 28 of the Commonwealth Electoral Act and section 151 of *The Constitution Act Amendment Act 1928*, shall be effected, where necessary, by removing the names of the electors from the Roll from which they are changed, and by entering the names so removed on the Roll to which they are changed. Change of electors from one roll to another.

(2) In the following cases notice of the change shall be given by notice in the *Commonwealth Gazette* and the *Victoria Government Gazette* and in some newspaper circulating in the part affected:—

- (a) When a Subdivision is abolished and all electors whose names are on the Roll for that Subdivision are changed to another Subdivision Roll;
- (b) When by reason of the alteration of the boundaries of a Division, or of an Assembly District, any Subdivision is changed from one Division or Assembly District to another Division or Assembly District, and all the names of electors which are on the Subdivision Roll for the first-mentioned Division or Assembly District are changed to a Subdivision Roll for the last-mentioned Division or Assembly District; or
- (c) When in consequence of a proclamation for the preparation of new Rolls or action thereunder (other than action by an elector), the enrolment of any electors is changed to a Subdivision or Division or Assembly District which differs in name from the Subdivision or Division or Assembly District for which they were enrolled prior to the proclamation, and in the opinion of the officers charged with

the preparation of the new Rolls, a reasonably effective notice, generally applicable to all electors in a Subdivision whose enrolments have been changed can be so given.

(3) In any case to which the last preceding sub-regulation does not apply, notice of the change shall be sent by post to each elector concerned, and may be in accordance with Form 10.

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*Division 2.—Objections.*

26. (1) The notice of objection lodged by an elector in respect of a name on a Roll as that of an elector of the Commonwealth and the Assembly, or either, may be in accordance with Form 15. Notice of objection.

(2) The notice of objection lodged by a Registrar in respect of a name on a Roll as that of an elector of the Commonwealth and the Assembly, or either, and the direction of the Divisional Returning Officer, may be in accordance with Form 16.

27. The notice to be forwarded by the Divisional Returning Officer to a person whose name has been objected to as that of an elector of the Commonwealth and the Assembly, or either, upon the ground of non-residence, may be in accordance with Form 17. Notice to person objected to on the ground of non-residence.

28. The notice to be forwarded by the Divisional Returning Officer to a person whose name has been objected to as that of an elector of the Commonwealth and the Assembly, or either, on a ground other than non-residence, may be in accordance with Form 18. Notice to person objected to on ground other than non-residence.

29. Any person against whom an objection has been lodged or made may answer the objection— Manner of answering objection.

(a) by attending before the Divisional Returning Officer at the place mentioned in the notice sent to him by the Divisional Returning Officer and making an oral statement to show that the objection is not good; or

(b) by sending by post, or delivering, to the Divisional Returning Officer at his office a statement in writing to show that the objection is not good.

30. Before determining an objection, the Divisional Returning Officer may make such inquiries as he thinks necessary to ascertain the facts in relation to the objection. Inquiry into objection.

31. (1) Upon determining an objection the Divisional Returning Officer shall send notice of his decision, in accordance with Form 19, to the objector if the objector is not a Registrar, and to the person objected to if the person objected to has answered the objections within the prescribed period. Notice of determination of objection.

(2) Where an objector is a Registrar, notice of the decision on the objection may be sent to him in accordance with the indorsement on Form 16, and such notice may contain a direction for the removal of an elector's name from the Roll when an objection has been sustained.

*Division 3.—Miscellaneous.*

32. (1) An application under section 58 of the Commonwealth Electoral Act and section 173 of *the Constitution Act Amendment Act 1928*, or either, as the case requires, to a court of summary jurisdiction (Court of Petty Sessions) may be made at any time within one calendar Electoral appeals.

month after the receipt of notice under regulation 12 of these Regulations of the rejection of a claim for enrolment or transfer of enrolment, or of notice under regulation 31 of the determination of an objection, and may be made in writing in the form of a complaint setting out the material facts and asking that the Divisional Returning Officer be summoned to answer the complaint.

(2) Upon the complaint being lodged with him, the clerk of the court shall issue a summons to the Divisional Returning Officer to appear before the court at a time and place mentioned in the summons to answer the complaint and produce all papers connected with the claim for enrolment or transfer of enrolment, or the objection, as the case requires.

(3) The Divisional Returning Officer may, by himself or some person appointed to represent him, appear at the hearing and produce to the court all papers connected with the claim for enrolment or transfer of enrolment, or the objection, as the case requires, but if he does not desire to appear he may send the papers to the clerk, to be produced at the hearing, together with a statement in writing containing such observations as he sees fit to make, and any such statement shall be considered by the court at the hearing.

(4) The Divisional Returning Officer, if present at the hearing, or the person representing him, shall be entitled to be heard.

(5) In this regulation "complaint" shall include any appropriate proceeding for the institution of a proceeding in a court of summary jurisdiction (Court of Petty Sessions).

33. Strict compliance with the forms in the Schedule shall not be required, and substantial compliance shall suffice for the purposes of these Regulations. Strict compliance with forms in the schedule not required.

34. The *Joint Electoral (Commonwealth and Victoria) Regulations* (being Statutory Rules 1924, No. 37, as amended by Statutory Rules, 1927, No. 13) are repealed. Repeal of existing Regulations.

## THE SCHEDULE.

Regulation 6.

### FORM 1.

COMMONWEALTH OF AUSTRALIA. STATE OF VICTORIA.

#### *Electoral Roll.*

Commonwealth Division of [*here insert name of Division*].....

State Assembly District of [*here insert name of District*].....

Roll of Electors for the Subdivision of [*here insert name of Subdivision*].

M signifies Male.

F signifies Female.

[*Here insert, in alphabetical order and numbered consecutively, the names in full of all electors for the Subdivision, specifying as regards each elector his or her place of living, occupation, and sex; and, in the case of a person enrolled in virtue of a property qualification as an elector of the State Assembly, the description and situation of his or her qualifying property.*]

*Where a person is enrolled in virtue of a property qualification as an elector for the State Assembly only, the name and particulars regarding that person as such elector may be shown in the roll in the following manner:—*

*His or her full name shall appear in its place in the roll according to alphabetical and numerical sequence, and the property qualification and other particulars regarding that elector shall be specified at the end of the roll, and a reference to such particulars shall be given opposite the name of the elector where it first appears in the roll.]*

#### Footnotes.

- \* Not enrolled on this Roll as a State Assembly Elector.
- o Not enrolled on this Roll as a Commonwealth Elector.

[Front of Form]

COMMONWEALTH OF AUSTRALIA AND STATE OF VICTORIA. ELECTORAL CLAIM. Form 2.
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Particulars for Enrolment.

Surname.....  
 Christian Names.....  
 (in full)  
 Place of living.....  
 (Give full address).....  
 Occupation..... Sex.....

The following particulars relating to claimant will not appear on the Roll, but must be stated on this card:—

Date and year	Place of	Former
of Birth.....	Birth.....	Surname*.....

\* See Instruction (f) on other side.

To the Electoral Registrar for the Subdivision of.....

Division of..... and State Assembly District of.....

1.—I am an inhabitant of Australia. 2.—I have lived in Australia for six months continuously, and in Victoria for at least three months. 3.—I am a natural-born or naturalized subject of the King, am not under the age of 21 years, and am not disqualified for enrolment as a Commonwealth and a State Assembly † elector.

† See Instruction (b) on other side.

4.—I now live and have lived in the above-named Subdivision for a period of not less than one month immediately preceding the date of this claim.

5.—My name is at present enrolled for the..... Subdivision in the State of..... in respect of the following address in that Subdivision, namely:—.....

6.—I hereby claim enrolment as an elector of the Commonwealth and of the State Assembly, or either, as the case requires, to which I am entitled pursuant to this Claim.

I declare that the whole of the statements made in this Claim are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Personal Signature }  
 of Claimant } ..... Date...../...../19.....

I, the undersigned, am an elector or a person qualified to be an elector of the Commonwealth or the State Assembly, and I certify that I have seen the above-named claimant sign the above claim, and that I either know the statements contained in the claim to be true or have satisfied myself by inquiry of the claimant or otherwise that the said statements are true. (Penalty on witness for failure to fully comply with this requirement—£50.)

Personal Signature of Witness (in own handwriting).....  
 Occupation..... Place of living.....

[Back of Form.]

Form to be used in respect of both the Commonwealth and the State Assembly, or either, by a qualified person (a) when claiming enrolment or transfer of enrolment, or (b) when notifying a change of address within the same subdivision or applying for the correction of any particulars of an existing enrolment.

NOTE.—The claimant should see that he receives an acknowledgment of this claim in due course.

Before filling in, or witnessing, this claim, carefully read instructions on other side.





2. My name is enrolled on the Roll in force for the \_\_\_\_\_ Subdivision  
of the Electoral District of \_\_\_\_\_ in virtue of a residential  
qualification.

3. I am\* (a) the holder of a freehold estate in possession; or  
(b) the lessee under an unexpired lease originally created for a  
term of not less than one year

of the qualifying property known as \_\_\_\_\_ and situated in the municipal  
district of \_\_\_\_\_, in respect of which my name appears on the  
citizen burgess or voters' roll or separate voters' list of such municipal district.

4. I have not made claim for enrolment on any other Roll in force in virtue  
of a property qualification.

I declare that the whole of the statements made in this claim (including those  
set out on the back hereof) are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Personal signature }  
of claimant— } .....

(The signature of the claimant must be his personal signature. If unable to  
sign his name in his own handwriting, he may make his mark as his signature,  
but such signature must be made in the presence of the person who signs as  
witness.)

I, the undersigned, being an elector or person qualified to be an elector of the  
Commonwealth or the State Assembly, certify that I have seen the above-named  
claimant sign the above claim, and that I either know the statements contained  
in the claim to be true or have satisfied myself by inquiry of the claimant or  
otherwise that the said statements are true.

(Penalty on witness for failure to fully comply with this requirement— £50.)

Personal signature of witness.....

(in own handwriting)

Occupation—

Place of living—

Dated the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 19 \_\_\_\_\_

NOTE.—“Lease” includes a *bonâ fide* tenancy agreement in writing, and  
“lessee” includes a tenant under any such agreement.

\* Strike out ground which does not apply to claim.

[Back of Form.]

Particulars for  
Enrolment.

Surname—  
Christian or other name or names in full—  
Residence (including street and number or name of dwelling)—  
Occupation (if female, state whether married, widow, or spinster)—Sex—  
Nature of qualification (freehold or leasehold)—  
Description and situation of qualifying property—  
Signature of claimant—

The particulars within this space are to be filled in by the Electoral  
Registrar.

Received [date]—  
Residential enrolment verified [date]—  
Property qualification verified [date]—  
Registered [date]—  
Acknowledged [date]—  
Initials of Registrar—

COMMONWEALTH OF AUSTRALIA AND STATE OF VICTORIA.

The Commonwealth Electoral Act. *The Constitution Act Amendment Act 1928*, of the State of Victoria.

ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF RECEIPT OF ELECTORAL CLAIM.

To the elector whose name appears on the back hereof.

Your electoral claim (a) dated.....has been received and, pursuant to your communication (a) thereto, your enrolment for the..... Subdivision of the Commonwealth Division (b) of.....and State Assembly District (c) of..... has been effected or adjusted as required. Points for elector to remember --

- 1. You should bear in mind the name of the Subdivision, Division, and State Assembly District for which you are enrolled and retain this acknowledgment as evidence of your enrolment.
2. Voting at Elections and Commonwealth Referendums is compulsory.
3. If you change your place of living from the address in the Subdivision for which you are enrolled to another address in the same Subdivision you should, within 21 days after making such change, notify the Electoral Registrar for the Subdivision of your new address, in the prescribed form.\*
4. If you change your place of living to any other Subdivision you should, after you have lived in that Subdivision for a period of one month, send or deliver to the Electoral Registrar for the Subdivision a claim for transfer of enrolment, in the prescribed form,\* within 21 days after the expiration of that period.

Failure to comply with paragraphs 2, 3, or 4 above will render you liable to a penalty not exceeding £2 (Two pounds).

\* Obtainable at any Post Office.

Electoral Registrar for the above-named Subdivision.

Date--

Address--

NOTE TO ELECTOR.--An elector who is only temporarily absent from his place of living, although the period of such absence may exceed one month, is not thereby deemed to have changed his place of living for the purpose of transfer of enrolment or change of address on the Roll.

DIRECTIONS TO REGISTRAR.--(a) The Registrar will strike out the words "electoral claim" or the word "communication" as the case requires;

(b) If the elector's enrolment relates to the State only, the Registrar will strike out the words "Commonwealth Division of.....and";

(c) If the elector's enrolment relates to the Commonwealth only, the Registrar will strike out the words " and State Assembly District of....."

[Back of Form.]

O.H.M.S.

Commonwealth Electoral Paper Only.

Post Free.

To

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FORM 3A.

Regulation 9 (1).

## STATE OF VICTORIA.

*The Constitution Act Amendment Act 1928.*State Assembly District of—  
Subdivision of—ACKNOWLEDGMENT AND INTIMATION TO ELECTOR IN RELATION TO ENROLMENT  
IN VIRTUE OF A PROPERTY QUALIFICATION.

To—

It is important that you  
should retain this acknow-  
ledgment as evidence of  
your enrolment.Your name has been enrolled for the above Subdivision of the State Assembly  
District, in virtue of a property qualification, pursuant to your claim dated

Electoral Registrar for the Subdivision of—

Address—

Dated the                      day of                      19                      .

Regulation 10.

FORM 4.

## COMMONWEALTH OF AUSTRALIA. STATE OF VICTORIA.

The Commonwealth Electoral Act, *The Constitution Act Amendment  
Act 1928*, of the State of Victoria.

## NOTIFICATION OF TRANSFER OF ENROLMENT.

To the Electoral Registrar for the Subdivision of—

Commonwealth Division of—

State Assembly District of—

You are requested to remove from the Roll for the above-mentioned Sub-  
division the name of each elector set out in Column 1 herein, on the ground that  
the elector has now been enrolled by me as an elector for the Commonwealth and  
the State Assembly, in pursuance of a claim for transfer of enrolment, for the  
Subdivision specified in Column 2 opposite the elector's name.

(1) Particulars appearing in claim for transfer received by me.				(2) Sub- division for which Elector has now been enrolled.	(3) Address of Elector in Subdivision Roll kept by you as set out in Paragraph 5 of claim for transfer re- ceived by me.	(4) (To be filled in by Registrar to whom notification addressed.)		
Surname.	Christian Names (in full).	Occupation.	Sex.			Name removed (date).	Elector's Number on Roll (if name in print) or Date of Enrolment (if name in manuscript).	Remarks.

Electoral Registrar for the Subdivision (or  
Subdivisions) specified in Column 2.Commonwealth Division of—  
State Assembly District of—

Dated the                      day of                      19                      .

Received (date)—

Acted upon and forwarded to  
Divisional Returning Officer  
(date)—

Signature of Registrar—

NOTES. (1) If the elector is enrolled for the Commonwealth only, strike out the references to State  
Assembly District. If the elector is enrolled for the State Assembly only, strike out the references to Com-  
monwealth Division.

(2) Where notifications of transfer of enrolment in this form are required to be sent to another Regis-  
trar relating to electors, some of whom are enrolled as Commonwealth electors and State Assembly  
electors, and others as Commonwealth electors only, or State Assembly electors only, separate forms  
of notification, each dealing with one description of elector only, should be used.

Regulation 11 (2).

## FORM 5.

COMMONWEALTH OF AUSTRALIA. STATE OF VICTORIA.  
The Commonwealth Electoral Act. *The Constitution Act Amendment Act 1928*, of the State of Victoria.

Commonwealth Division of—  
State Assembly District of—

## NOTIFICATION TO CLAIMANT OF REFERENCE OF ELECTORAL CLAIM.

To—

As I am not satisfied that you are entitled to be enrolled for the  
Subdivision of the—

(a) Commonwealth Division of—

(b) State Assembly District of—

[NOTE.—Strike out (a) or (b) if the case so requires.]  
in pursuance of your claim dated the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 19\_\_\_\_, I am  
referring the claim to the Divisional Returning Officer for his decision.

Upon receipt of the Divisional Returning Officer's decision you will be duly  
notified in accordance therewith.

Electoral Registrar for the Subdivision of—  
Address—

Dated the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 19\_\_\_\_

Regulation 12 (2).

## FORM 6.

COMMONWEALTH OF AUSTRALIA. STATE OF VICTORIA.  
The Commonwealth Electoral Act. *The Constitution Act Amendment Act 1928*, of the State of Victoria.

## NOTIFICATION TO CLAIMANT OF REJECTION OF ELECTORAL CLAIM.

To—

You are hereby notified that your claim to be enrolled on the Electoral Roll  
for the Subdivision of the—

(a) Commonwealth Division of—

(b) State Assembly District of—

[NOTE.—Strike out (a) or (b) if the case so requires.]  
has been rejected by the Divisional Returning Officer on the ground that [*here  
specify reason for rejection*].

You are entitled, at any time within one calendar month after the receipt of  
this notification, to appeal to a court of summary jurisdiction (Court of Petty  
Sessions) for an order directing that your name be added to the Roll.

Electoral Registrar for the Subdivision of—  
Address—

Dated the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 19\_\_\_\_

Regulation 13.

## FORM 7.

COMMONWEALTH OF AUSTRALIA. STATE OF VICTORIA.  
The Commonwealth Electoral Act. *The Constitution Act Amendment Act 1928*, of the State of Victoria.

Commonwealth Division of—  
State Assembly District of—

## NOTIFICATION TO CLAIMANT OF FORMAL DEFECT IN ELECTORAL CLAIM.

To—

Your claim to be enrolled on the Electoral Roll for the \_\_\_\_\_ Subdivision  
of the above-named Division and District is defective by reason of [*here set out  
nature of defect*].

\*The claim is forwarded herewith for completion or correction, and return to  
me without delay.

\*Please complete the accompanying fresh form of claim and return it to me  
without delay.

Electoral Registrar for the Subdivision of—  
Address—

Dated the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 19\_\_\_\_

\* The Registrar will strike out whichever of these paragraphs is not applicable to the case.

## FORM 8.

## COMMONWEALTH OF AUSTRALIA. STATE OF VICTORIA.

The Commonwealth Electoral Act. *The Constitution Act Amendment Act 1928*, of the State of Victoria.

Consecutive No.

CERTIFICATE AUTHORIZING REMOVAL OF NAMES OF ELECTORS FROM ROLL, AND  
DIRECTION OF DIVISIONAL RETURNING OFFICER THEREON.

To the Divisional Returning Officer for the Commonwealth Division of

I certify that each elector named in Column (1) has ceased to be qualified for enrolment on the Roll for the Subdivision specified in Column (2) opposite his name, and has secured enrolment for the Subdivision specified in Column (3) opposite his name.

(1) Surname, Christian Names, Place of Living, Occupation and Sex.	(2) Subdivision for which Elector has ceased to be entitled to be enrolled.	(3) Subdivision, Common- wealth Division, and State Assembly Dis- trict, for which Elector has now been enrolled.			(4) (To be filled in by Registrar.)			Remarks.
		Subdivision.	Commonwealth Division.	State Assembly District.	Name removed (date).	Form 9 issued (date).	Elector's Number on Roll (if name in print) or Date of Enrolment (if name in manuscript).	

Commonwealth Electoral Officer for the  
State

State Chief Electoral Officer

Date / / 19 .

To the Electoral Registrar

for the Subdivision or Subdivisions specified  
in Column (2) above.

You are directed to remove the name of each of the above-named electors from the Roll on which it appears, as specified in Column (2), and to forthwith notify the elector on Form 9. You will specify in Column (4) the action taken by you, and return this form to me for transmission to the Commonwealth Electoral Officer.

Divisional Returning Officer.

Date / / 19 .

Received (date) —

Acted upon and returned to Divisional Returning  
Officer (date) —

Signature of Registrar —

## FORM 9.

## COMMONWEALTH OF AUSTRALIA. STATE OF VICTORIA.

The Commonwealth Electoral Act. *The Constitution Act Amendment Act 1928*, of the State of Victoria.

## NOTIFICATION TO ELECTOR OF REMOVAL OF NAME FROM ROLL.

To—

[*The full Christian names and surname to be inserted.*]

Occupation—

Address—

[*as appearing on the Roll for the Subdivision from which the name has been removed.*]

Your name has been removed from the Electoral Roll for the Subdivision of the Commonwealth Division of \_\_\_\_\_ and the State Assembly District of \_\_\_\_\_ on the ground that you have changed your place of living and have secured enrolment for the \_\_\_\_\_ Subdivision of the Commonwealth Division of \_\_\_\_\_ and the State Assembly District of \_\_\_\_\_

If you desire to make any representations in regard to this matter, your communication may be written in the space provided for the purpose at the foot of this form, and should be sent to the Commonwealth Electoral Officer for the State of Victoria.

Electoral Registrar.

for the Subdivision of

Date / /19 .

(NOTE.—If the notification relates to the Commonwealth Roll only, or to the State Assembly Roll only, the form should be varied accordingly.)

Reply (if any).

Personal Signature of elector

Present place of living

Witness to Signature

(Being an elector or person qualified to be an elector.)

Occupation

Place of living

Dated the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 19 .

Regulation 16.

## FORM 10.

## COMMONWEALTH OF AUSTRALIA. STATE OF VICTORIA.

The Commonwealth Electoral Act. *The Constitution Act Amendment Act 1928*, of the State of Victoria.

## NOTIFICATION OF CHANGE OF ENROLMENT CONSEQUENT UPON ALTERATION OF BOUNDARIES OF DIVISIONS, STATE ASSEMBLY DISTRICTS, OR SUBDIVISIONS.

To.....

You are hereby informed that, in accordance with the provisions of Section 28 of the Commonwealth Electoral Act and Section 151 of the *Constitution Act Amendment Act 1928*, of the State of Victoria, your name has been removed from

the Roll for the Subdivision of the Commonwealth Electoral  
 Division of and the State Assembly District of  
 and has been placed on the Roll for the Subdivision of the  
 Commonwealth Electoral Division of and the State Assembly  
 District of

Electoral Registrar for the Subdivision of -

or

Commonwealth Electoral Officer for the State—

State Chief Electoral Officer.

(as the case requires).

Address—

Dated the day of 19

Regulation 26 (1).

FORM 15.

[Form to be used by an Elector for the same Electoral Subdivision when lodging  
 an objection (which must be accompanied by a deposit of five shillings) in  
 respect of the retention of a name on the Roll as that of an Elector for the  
 Commonwealth and the State Assembly or either.]

COMMONWEALTH OF AUSTRALIA. STATE OF VICTORIA.

The Commonwealth Electoral Act, *The Constitution Act Amendment  
 Act 1928*, of the State of Victoria.

Commonwealth Division of  
 District of

State Assembly

NOTICE OF OBJECTION.

To the Divisional Returning Officer for the Commonwealth Division of

I object to the name of

No. on Roll.	Surname.	Christian Names at full length.	Place of Living as appearing on Roll.	Occupation.	Place of Abode for time being if known to the objector.

being retained on the Electoral Roll for the Subdivision of the  
 Commonwealth Division of and the State Assembly District  
 of , on the ground that [*here insert ground of objection*].

(Signature) —

(Occupation) —

(Address) —

Dated the day of 19

NOTE. —If an objection is lodged in respect of the name of a person as an elector for the Commonwealth  
 but not as an elector for the State Assembly, or *vice versa*, the words "and the State Assembly District  
 of " or the words "the Commonwealth Division of " and " as the case  
 requires, should be struck out.



FORM 16.

[Form to be used by a Registrar when lodging objections to the retention of names on the Subdivision Roll kept by him as those of Electors for the Commonwealth and the State Assembly, or either.]

[Front of Form.]

COMMONWEALTH OF AUSTRALIA. STATE OF VICTORIA.

The Commonwealth Electoral Act. *The Constitution Act Amendment Act 1928*, of the State of Victoria.

NOTICE OF OBJECTION.

To the Divisional Returning Officer

I object to each undermentioned name being retained on the Electoral Roll for the Subdivision of the Commonwealth Division of and the State Assembly District of on the ground [here insert ground of objection].

Electoral Registrar for the Subdivision of—  
Dated the                      day of                      19                      .

No. on Roll.	Person Objected to.		Place of Living as appearing on Roll.	Occupation.	Place of Abode for time being, if known to Registrar.	Registrar's Initials
	Surname.	Christian Names at full length.				

NOTES.

(a) If an objection is lodged in respect of the name of a person as an elector for the Commonwealth but not as an elector for the State Assembly, or *vice versa*, the words "and the State Assembly District of " or the words "the Commonwealth Division of and," as the case requires, should be struck out.

(b) Where notices of objection are required to be made relating to electors, some of whom are enrolled as Commonwealth electors and State Assembly electors, and others as Commonwealth electors only, or State Assembly electors only, separate forms of notification, each dealing with one description of elector only, should be used.

(c) This form must be prepared in triplicate, one form retained by the Registrar and the other two furnished to the Divisional Returning Officer.

[Back of Form.]

INDORSEMENT BY DIVISIONAL RETURNING OFFICER.

- (1) Notices of objection posted by Divisional Returning Officer to persons objected to
- (2) Date of expiration of period allowed for answers to objections. (See Sec. 57 of the Commonwealth Electoral Act and Sec. 172 of the *Constitution Act Amendment Act 1928*, of the State of Victoria.)
- (3) Answers received from—

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 .....

Notification to the Registrar for the                      Subdivision.  
 (A) Objections sustained excepting as to the following names, viz:—

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(B) You are hereby required to forthwith remove from the Roll as—[*here insert Commonwealth and State Assembly electors or Commonwealth electors only, or State Assembly electors only, as the case requires*] all the names appearing on the within list of objections, with the exception of those mentioned in the foregoing paragraph (A), in regard to which the objections have not been sustained.

If any name in the within List has already been removed from the Roll pursuant to a notification of transfer, or from other cause, a notation setting out the reason for the removal, and the date thereof must be inserted opposite the name in the Schedule, e.g.—

“Removed by transfer (date \_\_\_\_\_).”  
 Divisional Returning Officer for the Commonwealth Division of  
 Date / /19 .  
 All necessary action taken in accordance with the above direction.  
 Date / /19 .  
 Electoral Registrar for the Subdivision of—

FORM 17.

[*Front of Form.*]

Regulation 27.

COMMONWEALTH OF AUSTRALIA. STATE OF VICTORIA.

The Commonwealth Electoral Act. *The Constitution Act Amendment Act 1928*, of the State of Victoria.

NOTICE OF OBJECTION TO PERSON OBJECTED TO ON THE GROUND OF NON-RESIDENCE.  
*To the person objected to whose name and address appear on the back hereof:*

Notice is hereby given that an objection has been lodged with me by [*here insert the name and description of the objector*] objecting to your name being retained on the Electoral Roll for the Subdivision of [*here insert name of Subdivision*] of the Commonwealth Division of [*here insert name of Division*] and the State Assembly District of [*here insert name of District*], on the ground that you do not live in the Subdivision and have not so lived for at least one month last past.

You are entitled at any time within twenty days from the posting of this notice, to answer the objection either orally or in writing.

If you intend to answer the objection orally you should attend at my Office at [*here insert address of office*] between the hours of 9 a.m. and 4.30 p.m. on any day other than a Saturday, or between the hours of 9 a.m. and 12 noon on a Saturday, before the expiration of twenty days from the posting of this notice.

If you claim that your place of living is still in the Subdivision, and you do not desire to attend at my office for the purpose of answering this objection orally, you should with the least delay, but before the expiration of twenty days from the posting of this notice—

- (a) complete, personally sign, and date the reply at the foot hereof in the presence of a witness; and
- (b) fold the notice so that the address “Commonwealth Divisional Returning Officer for the Division of \_\_\_\_\_ shall be visible, and send or deliver the notice to me with reply attached.

If you have ceased to live in the subdivision as alleged you need not reply to this objection.

If you answer the objection, notice of the decision on the objection will be sent to you.

If you fail to answer the objection within twenty days from the posting of this notice, the objection will be determined, and your name may be struck off the Roll, but no notice of the decision on the objection will be sent to you.

Divisional Returning Officer for the Division of \_\_\_\_\_  
 Postal Address—

Dated the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 19 \_\_\_\_\_

NOTE.—If the objection is lodged in respect of Commonwealth enrolment only, the words “and the State Assembly District of \_\_\_\_\_” should be struck out. If the objection is lodged in respect of State Assembly enrolment only, the words “the Commonwealth Division of \_\_\_\_\_ and” should be struck out.

REPLY.

(To be completed only if the elector claims that his place of living is still in the Subdivision.)

1. I am the elector whose enrolment is objected to in this notice.
2. My place of living is still in the Subdivision of [*here insert name of Subdivision*], for which I retain my qualification for enrolment.

Personal Signature of elector—  
(*To be made in the presence of witness.*)

Address in Subdivision—

Witness to Signature—  
(*Being an elector or person qualified to be an elector.*)

Occupation—  
Place of Living—  
day of

Dated the

19

[*Back of Form.*]

Signature and Address of Sender—  
Divisional Returning Officer for the

Commonwealth Electoral  
Papers Only.

Post Free.

*M*

[*Here insert full Christian names and surname, occupation, and place of abode for the time being, if known to the Divisional Returning Officer, or, if not so known, place of living as appearing on Roll.*]

Signature and Address of Sender—

Commonwealth Electoral  
Papers Only.

Post Free.

The Commonwealth Divisional Returning Officer

for the Division of

Postal Address

FORM 18.

Regulation 28.

[*Front of Form.*]

COMMONWEALTH OF AUSTRALIA. STATE OF VICTORIA.

The Commonwealth Electoral Act. *The Constitution Act Amendment Act 1928*, of the State of Victoria.

NOTICE OF OBJECTION TO PERSON OBJECTED TO ON A GROUND OTHER THAN THAT OF NON-RESIDENCE.

*To the person objected to, whose name and address appear on the back hereof:*

Notice is hereby given that an objection has been lodged with me by [*here insert the name and description of the objector*] objecting to your name being

retained on the Electoral Roll for the Subdivision of [*here insert name of Sub-division*] of the Commonwealth Division of [*here insert name of Division*] and the State Assembly District of [*here insert name of District*] on the following grounds, namely:—[*Here insert grounds of objection.*]

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You are entitled at any time within twenty days from the posting of this notice, to answer the objection either orally or in writing.

If you intend to answer the objection orally you should attend at my office at [*here insert address of office*] between the hours of 9 a.m. and 4.30 p.m. on any day other than a Saturday, or between the hours of 9 a.m. and 12 noon on a Saturday, before the expiration of twenty days from the posting of this notice.

If you claim that you are qualified for the enrolment objected to, and do not desire to attend at my office for the purpose of answering this objection orally, you should, with the least delay, but before the expiration of twenty days from the posting of this notice—

- (a) complete, personally sign, and date the reply at the foot hereof in the presence of a witness; and
- (b) fold the notice so that the address "Commonwealth Divisional Returning Officer for the Division of \_\_\_\_\_" shall be visible, and send or deliver the notice to me with reply attached.

If you are not qualified for the enrolment objected to, you need not reply to this objection.

If you answer the objection, notice of the decision on the objection will be sent to you.

If you fail to answer the objection within twenty days from the posting of this notice, the objection will be determined, and your name may be struck off the Roll, but no notice of the decision on the objection will be sent to you. Divisional Returning Officer for the Division of \_\_\_\_\_

Postal Address—

Dated the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 19 \_\_\_\_\_

NOTE.— If the objection is lodged in respect of Commonwealth enrolment only, the words " and the State Assembly District of \_\_\_\_\_ " should be struck out. If the objection is lodged in respect of State Assembly enrolment only, the words " the Commonwealth Division of \_\_\_\_\_ and " should be struck out.

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REPLY.

(To be completed only if the elector claims that he is qualified for the enrolment objected to.)

I am the elector whose enrolment is objected to in this notice, and I claim that I am qualified for such enrolment.

My reasons for so claiming are as follow:—

[*Here set forth reasons relied upon as an answer to the objection.*]

Personal Signature of Elector—

(*To be made in presence of witness.*)

Address in Subdivision—

Witness to Signature—

(*Being an elector or person qualified to be an elector.*)

Occupation—

Place of Living —

Dated the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 19 \_\_\_\_\_

[Back of Form.]

Signature and Address of Sender—  
Divisional Returning Officer for the  
Division ofCommonwealth Electoral  
Papers Only.

Post Free.

M

[Here insert full Christian names and surname, occupation, and place of abode for the time being, if known to the Divisional Returning Officer, or, if not so known, place of living as appearing on Roll.]

Signature and Address of Sender—

Commonwealth Electoral  
Papers Only.

Post Free.

The Commonwealth Divisional Returning Officer

for the Division of

Postal Address

Regulation 31.

FORM 19.

## COMMONWEALTH OF AUSTRALIA. STATE OF VICTORIA.

The Commonwealth Electoral Act. *The Constitution Act Amendment Act 1928*, of the State of Victoria.

## NOTICE OF DETERMINATION OF OBJECTION.

To—

Notice is hereby given that I have considered the objection lodged by [here set out the name of objector] to the retention of the name of [here set out name of person objected to] on the Electoral Roll for the Subdivision of the Commonwealth Division of and the State Assembly District of and have decided—

- (a) to remove the said name from the said Electoral Roll as that of an elector of the Commonwealth Division of and the State Assembly District of ;
- (b) to dismiss the objection and to retain the said name on the said Electoral Roll.

(NOTE.—Strike out sub-paragraph (a) or sub-paragraph (b) as the case requires.)

If aggrieved by this decision you may, at any time within one calendar month after the receipt of this notice, appeal against the decision to a court of summary jurisdiction (Court of Petty Sessions).

Divisional Returning Officer for the Division of -

Dated the                      day of                      19                      .

NOTE.—*If the objection is in respect of Commonwealth enrolment only, the words “and the State Assembly District of                      ” should be struck out. If the objection is in respect of State Assembly enrolment only, the words “the Commonwealth Division of                      and ” should be struck out.*

By Authority: H. J. GREEN, Government Printer, Canberra.