

# **Election Donor Return**

For 2022 Federal election held on 21 May 2022

Subsection 305A(3) of the *Commonwealth Electoral Act 1918* (Electoral Act) requires persons making donations to any candidate or member of a Senate group in an election to furnish a return before the end of 15 weeks after the polling day for the election.

The due date for lodging this return is Monday 5 September 2022.

### Completing the Return:

- This return is to be completed by a person or entity who donated to any candidate or member of a Senate group
  in an election or by-election and at the time of making the gift, the person or entity was not a political party, a
  candidate, a member of a Senate group or an associated entity.
- This return is to be completed with reference to the *Financial Disclosure Guide for Donors with Election Returns*.
- Candidates and Senate groups in an election are taken to begin to be candidates and Senate groups:
  - For candidates the earlier of 6 months before they announce their candidacy or the day they are nominated
  - For Senate groups 6 months before the day the group makes a request for their names to be grouped in the ballot papers.

Candidates and Senate groups in an election are taken to cease being candidates and Senate groups at the end of 30 days after polling day (20 June 2022).

- Amounts should be reported on a GST inclusive basis.
- Under subsection 320(1) of the Electoral Act this return will be available for public inspection at <a href="www.aec.gov.au">www.aec.gov.au</a> from Monday 7 November 2022.
- Any supporting documentation included with this return may be treated as part of a public disclosure and displayed on the AEC website.
- The information on this return is collected under section 305A of the Electoral Act.

Details of person or entit	y that made the donation/s		
Name			
Postal address			
	Suburb/Town	State	Postcode
ABN (if applicable)		ACN (if applicable)	
Telephone number	( )	Fax number ( )	
Email address			
Details of person comple	ting this return on behalf of an entity		
Name			
Capacity or position (e.g. company secretary)			
Postal address			
	Suburb/Town	State	Postcode
Telephone number	( )	Fax number ( )	
Email address			
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Enquiries and returns should be addressed to:	Funding and Disclosure Australian Electoral Commission Locked Bag 4007 Canberra ACT 2601		ne:02 6271 4552 il: <u>fad@aec.gov.au</u>

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I certify that the information contained in the return and its attachments is true and complete to the best of my knowledge, information and belief. I have made due and reasonable enquiries of the person/entity on whose behalf I am completing this form. I understand that submitting an incomplete, false or misleading return is an offence under Division 137.1 of the Criminal Code Act 1995.

Signature	Data	_	
	Date		

## Part 1: Donations Made (paragraph 305A(2)(a) of the Electoral Act)

A person or entity (except for a political entity or associated entity) must provide details of donations made to a candidate or member of a Senate group that are **more than \$14,500**. If the total of donations made to one candidate or member of a Senate group exceeds the disclosure threshold, all donations made to that candidate or member of the Senate group, regardless of their value, must be disclosed.

**NOTE:** Under subsection 305A(2A) of the Electoral Act, two or more donations made by a person or entity under subsection 305A(2) of the Electoral Act to the same candidate or Senate group are taken to be **one** donation.

NOTE: Candidates and Senate groups in an election are taken to begin to be candidates and Senate groups:

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- For Senate groups 6 months before the day the group makes a request for their names to be grouped in the ballot papers.

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For more details see the Financial Disclosure Guide for Donors with Election Returns.

Under section 305A of the Electoral Act, for each donation made, the following details must be disclosed:

- name and address\* of the candidate or member of the Senate group to whom the donation was made; and
- date each donation was made; and
- value or amount of each donation made.

Candidate details			Date of donation**	Value or amount of donation (GST inclusive)
Name				\$
Postal address				
Suburb/town	State	Postcode		
Name				\$
Postal address				
Suburb/town	State	Postcode		
Name				\$
Postal address				
Suburb/town	State	Postcode		
If insufficient space, please attach additional shee	ts		Total	\$

#### \* Name and address

- If the donation was made to an unincorporated association (other than a registered industrial organisation), where the unincorporated association is being used as a vehicle for a candidate in an election to receive donations, the name of the candidate, the name of the association and the name and address of each member of the executive committee are required.
- If the donation was made to a trust or foundation, where the trust or foundation is being used as a vehicle for a candidate in an election to receive donations, the name of the candidate, the title or description of the trust or foundation, and the names and addresses of the trustees are required.

<sup>\*\*</sup> In this form donation is a gift within the meaning in subsection 287(1) of the Electoral Act.

## Part 2: Donations Received (paragraph 305A(2)(b) of the Electoral Act)

A person or entity must provide details of donations of **more than \$14,500 received and used** (either wholly or partly) to make the donations disclosed in Part 1 of this return or to reimburse the person for making such donations.

This part of the return applies to a donor:

- who was required to complete Part 1 of this return, and
- who, at any time, received a donation of more than \$14,500; and
- who used that donation, or part of it, to make donations totalling more than \$14,500 to a candidate or member of a Senate group; or
- who used that donation, or part of it, to be reimbursed for making such donations.

For donations that meet the criteria above, the following details must be disclosed:

- full name and address of the person or organisation from whom the donation was received; and
- · date each donation was received; and
- value or amount of each donation.

Person or ent	tity details		Date donation was received	Value or amount of donation (GST inclusive)
Name				\$
Postal address				
Suburb/town	State	Postcode		
Name				\$
Postal address				
Suburb/town	State	Postcode		
Name				\$
Postal address				
Suburb/town	State	Postcode		
Name				\$
Postal address				
Suburb/town	State	Postcode		
Name				\$
Postal address				
Suburb/town	State	Postcode		
Name				\$
Postal address				
Suburb/town	State	Postcode		
If insufficient space, please attach additional	sheets		Total	\$