

Claim for payment from the Election Campaigns Fund – candidate

This declaration must be accompanied by a **Payment Authority for Election Campaigns Fund – By-election (EF.684)**.

This declaration applies to a candidate who is making a claim for payment from the Election Campaigns Fund under Part 4 of the *Electoral Funding Act 2018*, in respect of expenditure incurred by the candidate in connection to a State election.

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Election details

This claim for payment is made with respect to a (tick one): State general election State by-election

Upper Hunter By-Election

NAME OF ELECTION (AND ELECTORAL DISTRICT IF APPLICABLE)

22 / 05 / 2021

ELECTION DATE

Claim for funding

In relation to a State general election – enter the total amount of actual electoral expenditure incurred by the candidate in connection with the election during the period from 1 July in the year preceding the election to the end of election day, and in the case of electoral expenditure from 1 October to election day, being expenditure that is within the candidate's expenditure cap for the election.

In relation to a State by-election – enter the total amount of actual electoral expenditure incurred by the candidate in connection with the by-election during the 3-month period preceding the election day for the by-election.

GST – only claim the GST component of the expenditure if you or your party are not entitled to receive a tax credit from the Australian Tax Office for that expenditure.

Candidate declaration

Kirsty Lyn O'Connell

NAME OF CANDIDATE

declare the following:

the amount of \$ 62,061.47 is the amount of actual electoral expenditure incurred by me in connection with the above named election in accordance with section 73 of the *Electoral Funding Act 2018*.

I have taken reasonable steps to ensure that the information provided in this claim is not false or misleading in a material particular, including taking reasonable steps to ensure I have not omitted any matter or thing without which this claim would be misleading in a material particular. Note: giving false or misleading information is a serious offence.



SIGNATURE OF CANDIDATE (ELECTRONIC SIGNATURES ARE NOT ACCEPTED)

08 / 08 / 2021

DATE

Electoral expenditure included in this claim for payment

The electoral expenditure which may be included in this claim is electoral expenditure of the kind described in Parts A to H below that was incurred by the candidate.

- Attach to this claim the account or receipt (or a mixture of both) in respect of each expenditure item.

Part A – Expenditure on advertisements in radio, television, the internet, cinemas, newspapers, billboards, posters, brochures, how-to-vote cards, and other election material.

Expenditure incurred date	Name of supplier or service provided	Description of product or service	Invoice number	Amount \$
	More expenses than spaces.			6,787.68
	Please see worksheets and invoices			4,092.00
TOTAL				10,879.68

Part B – Expenditure on the production and distribution of election material.

Expenditure incurred date	Name of supplier or service provided	Description of product or service	Invoice number	Amount \$
	More expenses than spaces			20,987.06
	Please see worksheets and invoices			10,344.00
TOTAL				31,331.06

Part C – Expenditure on the internet, telecommunications, stationery, and postage.

Expenditure incurred date	Name of supplier or service provided	Description of product or service	Invoice number	Amount \$
21/05/2021	Australia Post Aberdeen Post Office	Stamps to mail receipts	251184	22.00
TOTAL				22.00

Part D – Expenditure incurred in employing staff engaged in election campaigns.

Expenditure incurred date	Description of role/position	Invoice number	Amount \$
14/05/2021	██████████ - campaign management to 12 May 2021	1	8,250.00
22/05/2021	██████████ - man Scone EVC (part time)	CG220521	640.00
24/05/2021	Verdant Produce : ██████████ man Singleton EVC plus social media	0001	2,000.00
24/05/2021	██████████ - campaign management 13 May to 22 May 2021	4	4,500.00
25/05/2021	██████████ - Treasurer reimbursement for staff refreshments	see claim form	376.55
21/05/2021	Townley Environment Services - campaign writing	81	1,375.00
TOTAL			17,141.55

Electoral expenditure included in this claim for payment (cont.)

Part E – Expenditure incurred for office accommodation for any staff and candidates (other than for the campaign headquarters of the party or for the electorate office of an elected member).

Expenditure incurred date	Name of supplier or service provided	Description of product or service	Invoice number	Amount \$
	n/a			
TOTAL				

Part F – Expenditure on travel and travel accommodation for candidates and staff engaged in electoral campaigning.

Expenditure incurred date	Name of supplier or service provided	Description of product or service	Invoice number	Amount \$
14/5/2021	██████████ campaign manager	Reimburse flights and fuel	2	872.26
24/05/2021	██████████ campaign manager	Reimburse fuel	4	627.26
28/6/2021	Turanville Partnership	Reimburse fuel and meals	see claim form	754.61
22/5/2021	Various (per receipts)	Petty cash meals		418.05
TOTAL				2,672.18

Part G – Expenditure on research associated with election campaigns (other than in-house research).

Expenditure incurred date	Name of supplier or service provided	Description of product or service	Invoice number	Amount \$
	n/a			
TOTAL				

Part H – Expenditure incurred in raising funds for an election or in auditing campaign accounts

Expenditure incurred date	Name of supplier or service provided	Description of product or service	Invoice number	Amount \$
01/05/2021	Commonwealth Bank of Australia	Bank fee	n/a	6.00
01/06/2021	Commonwealth Bank of Australia	Bank fee	n/a	9.00
TOTAL				15.00