

Election return by a broadcaster - ACT election **[insert election d/m/year]**

Please refer to the *Election funding, expenditure and financial disclosure [insert year] election handbook* when completing this form. The handbook is available at:

[\[insert web address of handbook\]](#)

Authority for collecting information in this form is in section 226 of the *Electoral Act 1992*.

Information in the form will be made public from the beginning of **[insert month/year]**, as required by section 243 of the Electoral Act.

Obligations

A broadcaster is required to submit a return if an electoral advertisement was broadcast during the pre-election period with the authority of a participant, or participants, in the election.

"Broadcast" includes broadcast by radio or television. "Broadcaster" means the: Australian Broadcasting Corporation; Special Broadcasting Service Corporation; Holder of a licence under the Broadcasting Services ACT 1992 of the Commonwealth; or Provider of a broadcasting service under a class licence under the Act.

The pre-election period for the **[insert election year]** election is from **[insert date/month/year]** to **[insert date/month/year]**.

The return is to include electoral advertisements placed on behalf of special interest groups (such as third-party campaigners) as well as those on behalf of political parties, MLAs and candidates participants. You are only required to report one transaction per entity that has placed the electoral advertisements.

A separate return form must be completed for each television and radio station owned by the business including electronic publications. A consolidated return for the broadcasting group as a whole cannot be accepted. Where charges for advertisements are made on a group basis, these must be apportioned to each station within the group.

Enquiries and returns should be addressed to:

ACT Electoral Commission, **[insert postal address]**

[insert street address]

Phone: **[insert phone address]**

Email: **[insert email address]**

Web: www.elections.act.qov.au

The due date for lodging this return is **[insert date/month/year]**

Office use only: broadcasters : **[insert year]** election

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1. Details of station covered by this return

Station call sign:

Business name:

Postal address:

Suburb/locality: Postcode:

Daytime contact number:

Email address:

2. Details of person completing this return

Surname:

Given names:

Capacity/position:

General Manager or Advertising Manager would be the most appropriate person.

Daytime contact number: (if different from above)

Email address: (if different from above)

3. Certification

Please enter X: I certify that the information contained in this return and its attachments is true and complete.

