



Opt-in request for higher reimbursement: Non-party candidate

Electoral Act 1907, section 175LCA

A candidate that is not endorsed by a registered political party can use this form to opt into receiving the higher reimbursement amount for electoral funding in an election event. If a request is not received within the required timeframe for notification, the lower reimbursement amount will be used to calculate the maximum entitlement that the non-party candidate can receive if eligible for electoral funding.

Timeframe for notification

A non-party candidate must lodge their opt-in request with the Western Australian Electoral Commission (the Commission) on or before the day nominations close for the election in which they have nominated.

Public information

The Commission is required to publish the name of any non-party candidate that lodges an opt-in request for the higher reimbursement amount on the next business day after the close of nominations of the relevant election.

Withdrawing a request

The agent of a non-party candidate can withdraw the request to receive the higher reimbursement amount by providing written notice to the Electoral Commissioner.

Opt-in request	
Election	<input type="text"/>
Candidate name	<input type="text"/>
Name of the candidate's agent*	<input type="text"/>
Agent's* email	<input type="text"/>
Agent's* contact phone	<input type="text"/>

As the agent* for the candidate named above, I submit this request for the candidate to receive the higher reimbursement amount should the candidate be eligible to claim.

Signature of Agent*

Date

* If a candidate has not appointed an agent, and is not endorsed by a registered political party, then they are their own agent.

Lodgement and queries should be directed to:

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