

**ELECTION OF OFFICERS OF THE
SOCIETY AND ORDINARY
MEMBERS OF THE TRANS-TASMAN
NATIONAL COMMITTEE OF MANAGEMENT**

Dear Member

The Annual General Meeting of the Society will be held on Saturday, 23 September 2023 at 4:00pm AEST at **Peppers Salt Resort & Spa**, Bells Boulevard, Kingscliff, New South Wales, 2487, Australia.

The Rules of the Society require that nominations for Officers of the Society and for ordinary members of the Committee must be sought two months before the Annual General Meeting and that such nominations must be received by the Secretariat one month before the Annual General Meeting.

Accordingly, please find enclosed the form for *Nomination of Candidates for Election as Officers of the Society or as Ordinary Members of the Committee*. Completed nomination forms must be received by the Secretariat by no later than 4:00pm AEST on Tuesday, 22 August 2023. The Secretariat's statement concerning time of receipt by the Secretariat will be conclusive.

Transmission online/email is preferred.

The officers of the Society are:

- (a) the President;
- (b) two Vice-Presidents;
- (c) the Treasurer; and
- (d) the Secretary.

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Our Rules provide that the Committee shall consist of the Officers of the Society, 8 to 15 ordinary members and the chairpersons of each of the local organisations. A person may be nominated as an Officer as well as an ordinary member, but if elected as an Officer, that person will not then be a candidate as an ordinary member. The Rules also provide that an Officer shall not hold the same office for more than three consecutive years. Please note that two nominators are required for each nominee.

Members are reminded that they must have paid their subscription for 2023/2024 to nominate, stand for office or vote at the Annual General Meeting.

It is important to note that these elections are for the **Trans-Tasman National Committee**. Nominations and elections for the committees of the local organisations will be organised by the local organisations at a later date.

Copies of the Rules and the model rules for the local organisations are available from the Secretariat upon request.

Any queries should be directed to Caroline Reznik (Secretariat) (T: (61 3) 9761 2833, E: ipsanz@ipsanz.com.au).

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'Robynne Sanders', with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Robynne Sanders

SECRETARY



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**NOMINATION OF CANDIDATE FOR ELECTION
AS AN OFFICER OF THE SOCIETY OR AS AN
ORDINARY MEMBER OF THE COMMITTEE**

We, and nominate
..... as

President

Vice-President

Treasurer (tick appropriate box or boxes)

Secretary

Ordinary member of the Committee

for election at the Annual General Meeting of the Society.

Signed:

Signed:

Date: / / 2023

Date: / / 2023

I,

consent to the above nomination.

Signed:

Date: / / 2023

PLEASE NOTE: This nomination form should only have the names of financial members as nominee or nominators.
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