



3 November 2025

Mr Neil Laurie Clerk of the Parliament Parliament House George Street BRISBANE QLD 4000

Dear Mr Laurie

Please find attached the original writ for an election to fill a vacancy in the Electorate of Hinchinbrook issued by me today pursuant to s.83 of the *Electoral Act 1992*.

Please arrange the immediate transmission of the original writ to the Electorate Commissioner.

Yours sincerely

HON PAT WEIR MP

Speaker of the Legislative Assembly

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STATE OF QUEENSLAND

Electoral Act 1992

Writ for Election

Charles the Third, by the Grace of God, King of Australia and His other Realms and Territories, Head of the Commonwealth

To the Electoral Commission of Queensland

Pursuant to s 83(2) of the *Electoral Act 1992*, l, the Honourable Patrick Weir MP, Speaker of the Legislative Assembly

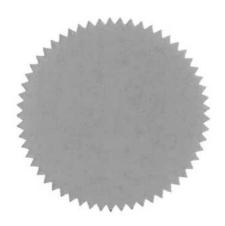
- (i) direct that you proceed according to the law to an election of a Member of the Legislative Assembly of Queensland for the Electoral District of Hinchinbrook;
- (ii) appoint -

Monday, 3 November 2025 to be the day of issue of this Writ; Friday, 7 November 2025 to be the cut-off day for electoral rolls for the election; Tuesday, 11 November 2025 to be the cut-off day for the nomination of candidates for the election;

Saturday, 29 November 2025 to be the polling day; and Monday, 26 January 2026 for the return of this Writ.

Signed by the Honourable Patrick Weir MP, Speaker of the Legislative Assembly of Queensland at Brisbane on 3 November 2025.

Speaker of the Legislative Assembly



3 November 2025



The Honourable Pat Weir MP Speaker of the Legislative Assembly Member for Condamine Parliament House, George St BRISBANE QLD 4000

Email: speaker@parliament.qld.gov.au

Dear Mr Speaker

Thank you for your transmission of the writ issued today for the 2025 Hinchinbrook State by-election.

I acknowledge receipt of the writ and the Electoral Commission of Queensland will now make the necessary arrangements to deliver the by-election in accordance with the requirements of the *Electoral Act 1992*.

Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any queries regarding this matter.

Yours sincerely

Pat Vidgen PSM

Electoral Commissioner