



OFFICE OF THE OFFICIAL SECRETARY
TO THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL

9 August 2016



Dr Rosemary Laing
Clerk of the Senate
Department of the Senate
Parliament House
Canberra ACT 2600

Dear Dr Laing

I forward herewith the Writ for the election of Senators for South Australia issued by and returned to the Governor of South Australia in connection with the federal election held on 2 July 2016.

Copies have also been sent to the Electoral Commissioner.

Yours sincerely

Sharon Prendergast
Acting Official Secretary to the Governor-General

**CERTIFICATE OF ELECTION OF SENATORS
FOR SOUTH AUSTRALIA**

Commonwealth Electoral Act 1918 section 283

I, Paul Hawes, certify, in accordance with paragraph 283(1)(b) of the *Commonwealth Electoral Act 1918*, that the following candidates have been duly elected in the order respectively set out below to serve in the Senate of the Parliament of the Commonwealth of Australia as Senators for South Australia.

Names of Senators (in order of election)

1. Simon BIRMINGHAM
 2. Penny WONG
 3. Nick XENOPHON
 4. Cory BERNARDI
 5. Don FARRELL
 6. Stirling GRIFF
 7. Anne RUSTON
 8. Alex GALLACHER
 9. David FAWCETT
 10. Skye KAKOSCHKE-MOORE
 11. Sarah HANSON-YOUNG
 12. Bob DAY
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Paul Hawes
Acting Australian Electoral Officer
for South Australia
Dated this fourth day of August 2016

The writ and this certificate were returned to His Excellency the Honourable
Hieu Van Le AC, Governor of South Australia on this fourth day of August 2016



Paul Hawes
Acting Australian Electoral Officer
for South Australia

I certify that this writ has been duly returned as required by paragraph 283(1)(c) of the
Commonwealth Electoral Act 1918.



His Excellency the Honourable Hieu Van Le AC
Governor of South Australia
Dated this fourth day of August 2016

Writ for the Election of Senators

Commonwealth



of Australia

To

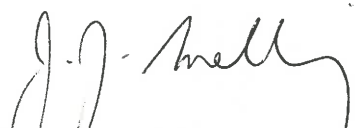
Paul Hawes, the Australian Electoral Officer for the State of South Australia.

Greeting:

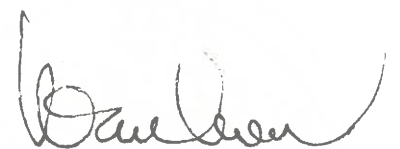
We command you to cause *Election* to be made according to law of *Twelve Senators* for our *State of South Australia* to serve in the *Senate* of the *Parliament* of the *Commonwealth of Australia*. And we appoint 23 May 2016 as the date for the close of the electoral rolls. And we appoint 9 June 2016 at 12 o'clock noon to be the date and time before which nominations of Senators at and for the said election are to be made. And we appoint 2 July 2016 to be the date on which the poll is to be taken in the event of the said election being contested. And we command you to certify the names of the Senators elected and to return this our writ with the certificate attached to our Governor in and over our said State on or before 8 August 2016.

Witness—His Excellency the Honourable Hieu Van Le,

Officer of the Order of Australia, Governor in and over the State of South Australia
at Adelaide in our said State the sixteenth day of May 2016.


By His Excellency's Command.

for Premier.



Governor

This Writ was received by me this 16th day of
MAY, 2016



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Australian Electoral Officer for South Australia

THE CERTIFICATE OF ELECTION OF SENATORS
FOR SOUTH AUSTRALIA IS ATTACHED



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Australian Electoral Officer for South Australia

Dated this 4th day of AUGUST 2016

Returned to His Excellency the Governor of the State of South
Australia this 4th day of AUGUST 2016



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Australian Electoral Officer for South Australia