

# Donor to Political Party and Political Campaigner Disclosure Return – Organisations

FINANCIAL YEAR 2019-20

Section 305B(1) of the *Commonwealth Electoral Act 1918* (Electoral Act) requires donors to furnish a return within 20 weeks after the end of the financial year.

The due date for lodging this return is 17 November 2020.

## Completing the Return:

- This return is to be completed by organisations who made a donation to a registered political party (or a State branch), political campaigner, or to another person or organisation with the intention of benefiting a registered political party or political campaigner.
- This return is to be completed with reference to the [Financial Disclosure Guide for Donors to Political Parties and Political Campaigners](#).
- This return will be available for public inspection from Monday 1 February 2021 at [www.aec.gov.au](http://www.aec.gov.au).
- Any supporting documentation included with this return may be treated as part of a public disclosure and displayed on the AEC website.
- The information on this return is collected under s305B of the Electoral Act.

**NOTE: This form is for the use of organisations only. Please use the form Donor to Political Party and Political Campaigner Disclosure Return – Individuals if you are completing a return for an individual.**

## Details of organisation that made the donation

Name	Minerals Council of Australia		
Address	PO Box 4497		
	Suburb/Town	KINGSTON	State ACT Postcode 2604
ABN	21 191 309 229	ACN 008 455 141	

## Details of person completing this return

Name	Brenda Conroy		
Capacity or position (e.g. company secretary)	Company Secretary		
Postal address	PO Box 4497		
	Suburb/Town	KINGSTON	State ACT Postcode 2604
Telephone number	(02) 6233 0600	Fax number ( )	
Email address	info@minerals.org.au		

## Certification

I certify that the information contained in this return and its attachments is true and complete to the best of my knowledge, information and belief. I have made due and reasonable inquiries of the organisation on whose behalf I am authorised to complete this form.

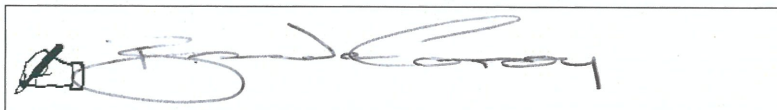


I understand that submitting a false or misleading return is an offence under Division 137.1 of the Criminal Code Act 1995.

I certify that the information contained in this return and its attachments is true and complete to the best of my knowledge, information and belief, except for the particulars detailed in the 'Notice of Incomplete Return' form (attached). I understand that submitting a false or misleading return or omitting any matter which makes the information misleading is an offence under Division 137.1 of the Criminal Code Act 1995.



Signature



Date 17 November 2020

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**Enquiries and returns  
should be addressed to:**

Disclosure and Compliance  
Australian Electoral Commission  
Locked Bag 4007  
Canberra ACT 2601

Phone: 02 6271 4552  
Fax: 02 6293 7655  
Email: [fad@aec.gov.au](mailto:fad@aec.gov.au)

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**Office use only**

Date received

Part 1a: Other business names

Do you operate or  
conduct business under  
any other names? No ☐  
Yes ☒

List other trading names

Melbourne Mining Club
Darwin Mining Club

Part 1b: Related bodies corporate

Subsection 287(6) of the *Commonwealth Electoral Act 1918* deems bodies corporate related under the provisions of the *Corporations Act 2001* to be a single entity for disclosure purposes. The parent company of the group, therefore, should lodge under its name a return consolidated across the entire group.

Does this return cover  
any other related bodies  
corporate? No ☒  
Yes ☐

List any related bodies corporate **you are lodging on behalf of**

Name		
Postal address		
Suburb/town	State	Postcode
ABN	ACN	
Name		
Postal address		
Suburb/town	State	Postcode
ABN	ACN	
Name		
Postal address		
Suburb/town	State	Postcode
ABN	ACN	
Name		
Postal address		
Suburb/town	State	Postcode
ABN	ACN	
Name		
Postal address		
Suburb/town	State	Postcode
ABN	ACN	

If insufficient space, please attach additional sheets.

## Part 2: Donations made to a political party

Details of **donations** made to a political party **totalling** more than \$14,000 between 1 July 2019 and 30 June 2020. If the total of donations made to one political party exceeds the disclosure threshold, all donations made to that political party, regardless of their value, must be disclosed.

For each donation made, the following details must be disclosed:

- Party name or code\* and the address of the political party to which the donation was made
- date each donation was made
- value of each donation made

Party details	Date of donation	Value of donation** (GST inclusive)
Name/Party Code <b>*** See attached schedule ***</b>		\$ .00
Postal address		
Suburb/town State Postcode		
Name/Party Code		\$ .00
Postal address		
Suburb/town State Postcode		
Name/Party Code		\$ .00
Postal address		
Suburb/town State Postcode		
Name/Party Code		\$ .00
Postal address		
Suburb/town State Postcode		
Name/Party Code		\$ .00
Postal address		
Suburb/town State Postcode		
Name/Party Code		\$ .00
Postal address		
Suburb/town State Postcode		
Name/Party Code		\$ .00
Postal address		
Suburb/town State Postcode		

If insufficient space, please attach additional sheets.

**Total** \$ .00

\*A full list of political parties and their **party codes** is at the end of this form.

\*\* In this form donation is a **gift** within the meaning in section 287(1) of the Electoral Act.

### Part 3: Donations made to a political campaigner

Details of **donations** made to a political campaigner **totalling** more than \$14,000 between 1 July 2019 and 30 June 2020. If the total of donations made to one political campaigner exceeds the disclosure threshold, all donations made to that political campaigner, regardless of their value, must be disclosed.

For each donation made, the following details must be disclosed:

- name and address of the political campaigner to which the donation was made
- date each donation was made
- value of each donation made.

Campaigner details	Date of donation	Value of donation** (GST inclusive)
Name <b>*** Not applicable ***</b>		\$ .00
Postal address		
Suburb/town State Postcode		
Name		\$ .00
Postal address		
Suburb/town State Postcode		
Name		\$ .00
Postal address		
Suburb/town State Postcode		
Name		\$ .00
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Name		\$ .00
Postal address		
Suburb/town State Postcode		
Name		\$ .00
Postal address		
Suburb/town State Postcode		
Name		\$ .00
Postal address		
Suburb/town State Postcode		

If insufficient space, please attach additional sheets.

**Total** \$ .00

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## Part 4: Donations received

Details of **donations** of more than \$14,000 **received** and used (wholly or partly) to make donations shown in Part 2 or Part 3 of this return. The 'donations received' section of this return applies to a donor:

- who received a donation of more than \$14,000 (whether within the 2019-20 financial year or not); **and**
- used that donation, or part of it, to make donations totalling more than \$14,000 to a political party or political campaigner in the 2019-20 financial year.

For donations that meet the disclosure criteria above, the following details must be reported:

- full name and address details\*\*\* of the person or organisation from whom the donation was received
- date each donation was received
- value or amount of each donation.

Donation received from	Date of donation	Value of donation** (GST inclusive)
Name <b>*** Not applicable ***</b>		\$ .00
Postal address		
Suburb/town State Postcode		
Name		\$ .00
Postal address		
Suburb/town State Postcode		
Name		\$ .00
Postal address		
Suburb/town State Postcode		
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Name		\$ .00
Postal address		
Suburb/town State Postcode		
Name		\$ .00
Postal address		
Suburb/town State Postcode		

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**Total** \$ .00

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### \*\*\* Name and address details

- If the gift was from an unincorporated association (other than a registered industrial organisation), the name of the association and the name and addresses of the executive committee members are required.
- If the gift was from a trust, the name of the trust, and the name and addresses of the trustee are required.

## Registered Political Party and Branch Codes

### CODE Party / Branch

<b>ALP-ACT</b>	Australian Labor Party (ACT Branch)
<b>ALP-NSW</b>	Australian Labor Party (N.S.W. Branch)
<b>ALP-NT</b>	Australian Labor Party (Northern Territory Branch)
<b>ALP-QLD</b>	Australian Labor Party (State of Queensland)
<b>ALP-SA</b>	Australian Labor Party (South Australian Branch)
<b>ALP-TAS</b>	Australian Labor Party (Tasmanian Branch)
<b>ALP-VIC</b>	Australian Labor Party (Victorian Branch)
<b>ALP-WA</b>	Australian Labor Party (Western Australian Branch)
<b>ALP-FED</b>	Australian Labor Party (ALP)
<b>CLR-NSW</b>	Country Labor Party

<b>DLP-NSW</b>	Democratic Labour Party (DLP) NSW Branch
<b>DLP-QLD</b>	Democratic Labour Party (DLP) – Queensland Branch
<b>DLP-VIC</b>	Democratic Labour Party (DLP) – Victorian Branch
<b>DLP-WA</b>	Democratic Labour Party (DLP) – WA Branch
<b>DLP</b>	Democratic Labour Party (DLP) of Australia

<b>GRN-ACT</b>	Australian Greens, Australian Capital Territory Branch
<b>GRN-NSW</b>	The Greens NSW
<b>GRN-NT</b>	Australian Greens, Northern Territory Branch
<b>GRN-QLD</b>	Queensland Greens
<b>GRN-SA</b>	Australian Greens (South Australia)
<b>GRN-TAS</b>	Australian Greens, Tasmanian Branch
<b>GRN-VIC</b>	The Australian Greens - Victoria
<b>GRN-WA</b>	The Greens (WA) Inc
<b>GRN</b>	Australian Greens

<b>LIB-ACT</b>	Liberal Party of Australia – ACT Division
<b>LIB-NSW</b>	Liberal Party of Australia, NSW Division
<b>LNP-QLD</b>	Liberal National Party of Queensland
<b>LIB-SA</b>	Liberal Party of Australia (S.A. Division)
<b>LIB-TAS</b>	Liberal Party of Australia – Tasmanian Division
<b>LIB-VIC</b>	Liberal Party of Australia (Victorian Division)
<b>LIB-WA</b>	Liberal Party (W.A. Division) Inc.
<b>LIB-FED</b>	Liberal Party of Australia

<b>NAT-SA</b>	National Party of Australia (S.A.) Inc.
<b>NAT-VIC</b>	National Party of Australia – Victoria
<b>NAT-NSW</b>	National Party of Australia – N.S.W.
<b>NAT-WA</b>	National Party of Australia (WA) Inc
<b>NAT-FED</b>	National Party of Australia

<b>LDP-FED</b>	Liberal Democratic Party
<b>LDP-ACT</b>	Liberal Democratic Party (ACT Branch)
<b>LDP-NSW</b>	Liberal Democratic Party (NSW Branch)
<b>LDP-QLD</b>	Liberal Democratic Party (QLD Branch)
<b>LDP-SA</b>	Liberal Democratic Party (SA Branch)
<b>LDP-VIC</b>	Liberal Democratic Party (Victoria Branch)
<b>LDP-WA</b>	Liberal Democratic Party (WA Branch)

<b>AJP</b>	Animal Justice Party
<b>AFP-NSW</b>	Australia First Party (NSW) Incorporated
<b>AAPH</b>	Australian Affordable Housing Party
<b>ABF</b>	Australian Better Families
<b>ACH</b>	Australian Christians
<b>CAL</b>	Australian Country Party
<b>AUD</b>	Australian Democrats
<b>APEP</b>	Australian People's Party
<b>PROG</b>	Australian Progressives
<b>AWP</b>	Australian Workers Party
<b>XEN</b>	Centre Alliance
<b>CPP</b>	Child Protection Party
<b>CDP</b>	Christian Democratic Party (Fred Nile Group)
<b>CEC</b>	Citizens Electoral Council of Australia
<b>UAPP</b>	Clive Palmer's United Australia Party
<b>CLP-NT</b>	Country Liberal Party (NT)
<b>DHJP</b>	Derryn Hinch's Justice Party
<b>FACN</b>	FRASER ANNING'S CONSERVATIVE NATIONAL PARTY
<b>NMP</b>	Health Australia Party
<b>HEM</b>	Help End Marijuana Prohibition (HEMP) Party
<b>ICAN</b>	Independents For Climate Action Now
<b>IMO</b>	Informed Medical Options Party
<b>JLN</b>	Jacqui Lambie Network
<b>KAP</b>	Katter's Australian Party (KAP)
<b>LAOL</b>	Love Australia or Leave
<b>NCP</b>	Non-Custodial Parents Party (Equal Parenting)
<b>SOL</b>	Online Direct Democracy - (Empowering the People!)
<b>ONA</b>	Pauline Hanson's One Nation
<b>PIR</b>	Pirate Party Australia
<b>REAS</b>	Reason Australia
<b>RPA</b>	Republican Party of Australia
<b>RUA</b>	Rise Up Australia Party
<b>FUT</b>	Science Party
<b>SPA</b>	Secular Party of Australia
<b>SUN</b>	Seniors United Party of Australia
<b>SFP</b>	Shooters, Fishers and Farmers Party
<b>SAL</b>	Socialist Alliance
<b>SEP</b>	Socialist Equality Party
<b>SPP</b>	SUSTAINABLE AUSTRALIA - STOP OVERDEVELOPMENT. STOP CORRUPTION.
<b>ARTS</b>	The Arts Party
<b>AMHP</b>	The Australian Mental Health Party
<b>GAP</b>	The Great Australian Party
<b>TSBP</b>	The Small Business Party
<b>TTP</b>	The Together Party
<b>TWP</b>	The Women's Party
<b>TSSA</b>	Tim Storer Independent SA
<b>VNS</b>	Victorian Socialists
<b>VEP</b>	Voluntary Euthanasia Party
<b>FLUX</b>	VOTEFLUX.ORG   Upgrade Democracy!
<b>WAP</b>	WESTERN AUSTRALIA PARTY
<b>ALA</b>	Yellow Vest Australia



## Links

State Government legislation may place requirements on political donations in addition to federal requirements. Check with your state electoral commission about requirements in your state.

### **NSW Electoral Commission\***

<http://www.elections.nsw.gov.au/>

### **Victorian Electoral Commission\***

<http://www.vec.vic.gov.au/>

### **Electoral Commission of Queensland\***

<http://www.ecq.qld.gov.au/>

### **Western Australian Electoral Commission\***

<http://www.waec.wa.gov.au/>

### **Electoral Commission of South Australia\***

<http://www.ecsa.sa.gov.au/>

### **Tasmanian Electoral Commission**

<http://tec.tas.gov.au/>

### **Australian Capital Territory Electoral Commission\***

<http://www.elections.act.gov.au/>

### **Northern Territory Electoral Commission\***

<http://www.ntec.nt.gov.au/>

\*denotes an organisation that operates a funding and disclosure scheme separate from the Commonwealth disclosure scheme as at June 2020.



# Attachment – Minerals Council of Australia 2019-20

Name	Party code	Date of donation	Value of donation (inc GST)	Postal address	Suburb/town	State	Postcode
Progressive Business Association breakfast	ALP-VIC	01-Jul-19	\$ 500	Locked Bag 3240	Melbourne	VIC	3001
Event registration	LNP-QLD	01-Jul-19	\$ 991	PO Box 940	Spring Hill	QLD	4004
Australian Business Network membership	LIB-FED	30-Jul-19	\$ 27,500	PO Box 6004	Kingston	ACT	2604
Dinner	LIB-ACT	01-Aug-19	\$ 200	PO Box 66	Deakin West	ACT	2600
Dinner	LIB-FED	27-Aug-19	\$ 4,125	PO Box 6004	Kingston	ACT	2604
Dinner	LIB-FED	27-Aug-19	\$ 4,125	PO Box 6004	Kingston	ACT	2604
ALP Friends of Resources dinner (gift in-kind)	ALP-NAT	9-Sep-19	\$ 735	PO Box 6222	Kingston	ACT	2604
Federal Business Policy Exchange registration	LIB-FED	30-Sep-19	\$ 9,500	PO Box 6004	Kingston	ACT	2604
Dinner	LIB-FED	01-Oct-19	\$ 175	PO Box 6004	Kingston	ACT	2604
Federal Labor Business Forum membership	ALP-NAT	16-Oct-19	\$ 35,750	PO Box 6222	Kingston	ACT	2604
Dinner	LIB-NSW	24-Oct-19	\$ 1,500	Locked Bag 2	Kings Cross	NSW	1340
Dinner	LIB-WA	28-Oct-19	\$ 5,000	PO Box 49	West Perth	WA	6872
Event registration	LIB-NSW	01-Nov-19	\$ 180	Locked Bag 2	Kings Cross	NSW	1340
Dinner	LIB-FED	01-Dec-19	\$ 5,000	PO Box 6004	Kingston	ACT	2604
The National Policy Forum membership	NAT-FED	22-Jan-20	\$ 22,000	PO Box 6190	Kingston	ACT	2604
Dinner	NAT-FED	24-Jan-20	\$ 550	PO Box 6190	Kingston	ACT	2604
Federal Labor Business Forum membership	ALP-NAT	01-Mar-20	\$ 19,250	PO Box 6222	Kingston	ACT	2604
Event registration	NAT-FED	30-Apr-20	\$ 550	PO Box 6190	Kingston	ACT	2604
Australian Business Network Policy Roundtable	LIB-FED	30-Apr-20	\$ 3,078	PO Box 6004	Kingston	ACT	2604
Dinner	LIB-WA	02-Jun-20	\$ 2,000	PO Box 49	West Perth	WA	6872
Dinner	LIB-WA	02-Jun-20	\$ 3,000	PO Box 49	West Perth	WA	6872
<b>Total</b>			<b>\$ 145,708</b>				