

## Approved Form

Required by the *Electoral Act 2004*, section 128(1)(a)(ii)

Approved by the Tasmanian Electoral Commission on 30 March 2021

For the purposes of section 128(1)(a)(ii) of the *Electoral Act 2004*, the Tasmanian Electoral Commission approve the instructions shown on the attachment titled "Postal Voting Instructions" and dated 03/21, for the 2021 House of Assembly elections and the 2021 periodic Legislative Council elections.

#### Attachment:

The form F130 - Postal Voting Instructions, dated 03/21.



# Postal voting instructions

### 1 Read the instructions

Please read the ballot paper instructions carefully.

### 2 Record your vote

Decide how you want to vote and fill in your ballot paper. Remember to use numbers.

### 3 Make your vote secret

Put your completed ballot paper in the postal vote declaration envelope and seal it securely.

Make sure you use the Legislative Council declaration envelope for your Legislative Council ballot paper.



If you don't put your ballot paper in the correct envelope, your vote may not be counted.

### 4 Validate your vote

Sign and date your postal vote declaration on the flap. Your vote won't be counted if you don't sign and date this declaration.

Then put your postal vote declaration envelope in the reply paid envelope and seal it.

## 5 Post or deliver your vote

Post your reply paid envelope straight away. No stamp is needed.

Alternatively, you may deliver your sealed postal vote envelope to an election official, at a polling place.

### Don't delay – you must vote before the close of polling!

#### Signed by "mark"?

If you are unable to sign your name in writing, you may make a mark as a signature in the presence of a witness. The witness is to write their name below the declaration box and sign as witnessing that he or she saw you place your mark on the declaration envelope.