



Electoral Commission of Queensland  
Locked Bag 3305  
BRISBANE QLD 4001

Electoral Act 1992 ss134; 186(1)(a)

## Apparent Failure to Vote Notice 2024 State General Election

26 February 2025

26 October 2024

WILLIAM CITIZEN  
PO Box 12345  
SAMPLE QLD 4740



Dear WILLIAM CITIZEN

### Did you vote?

Our records indicate that you are a registered elector and it appears that you have failed to vote at the 2024 State General Election held on 26 October 2024.

Voting is compulsory. It is an offence for an elector to fail, without a valid and sufficient excuse, to vote at an election, under section 186(1)(a) of the *Electoral Act 1992*. The penalty for not voting is \$161.

Your options are:

### Option 1: Voting Details

If you voted and consider that this information is incorrect, please complete Option 1 (on the reverse of this notice), sign the form and return to the Electoral Commission of Queensland.

### Option 2: Valid and Sufficient Reason

If you consider you have a valid and sufficient excuse for not voting at this election, please complete Option 2 (on the reverse of this notice), sign the form and return to the Electoral Commission of Queensland. (please see address details below).

### Option 3: Payment Options

If you failed to vote without a valid and sufficient excuse, please select Option 3 to make payment and finalise this matter. Prompt payment received by **14 April 2025** will reduce the penalty to **\$80.00** (one-half of the penalty unit). Please see the reverse of this Notice for full payment options.

To avoid further penalty or infringement, you **must** complete one of the Options (1, 2 or 3) by **14 April 2025**.

For further information or support in completing your form please contact us on **1300 881 665**.

#### Electoral Commissioner

**Return electronically to:**  
Email: [nonvoters@ecq.qld.gov.au](mailto:nonvoters@ecq.qld.gov.au)  
Fax: (07) 30546299

**Return by post to:**  
Electoral Commission of Queensland  
Locked Bag 3305  
BRISBANE QLD 4001

**Return in person to:**  
Electoral Commission of Queensland  
Level 20, 1 Eagle St  
BRISBANE QLD 4001  
Monday - Friday 9am to 5pm

Reference: **O12345678**



Penalty Amount: **\$80.00**

Date Due: **14 April 2025**

**If full payment is not received by  
the due date, the full penalty  
amount will apply.**

**Voting is Compulsory**



- Failure to comply with the requirements of this Notice is an offence.
- Making a false or misleading statement on this Notice is an offence.
- If this Notice is not received by 14 April 2025, this may be used as evidence that you failed to vote at the election without a valid and sufficient reason under section 186(5) of the *Electoral Act 1992*. Payment by the due date will finalise this matter. No conviction will be recorded and no further proceedings will be commenced.

### Option 1: Voting Details

If you voted, how did you cast your vote?

- I voted by **Ordinary Vote** on Polling Day at the following location \_\_\_\_\_
- I voted by **Early Voting** (in person) at the following location \_\_\_\_\_

### Option 2: Valid and Sufficient Reason

If you have a valid and sufficient reason why you did not vote, provide details here.


### Signature

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Signature of elector (or another elector acting on his/her behalf)

Date

Daytime contact number

You can email your response to [nonvoters@ecq.qld.gov.au](mailto:nonvoters@ecq.qld.gov.au) Please include your name and reference number as it appears on the front of this notice to help identify you in your email.

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Email Address

### Option 3: Payment Options

<b>Date Due</b>	<b>07 April 2025</b>	<b>Amount Due</b>	<b>\$80.00</b>
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#### BPAY

	<p><b>Biller Code: 123456</b> <b>Ref: 000000000000</b></p> <p><b>Telephone &amp; Internet Banking - BPAY®</b></p> <p>Contact your bank or financial institution to make this payment from your cheque, savings, debit, credit card or transaction account. More info: <a href="http://www.bpay.com.au">www.bpay.com.au</a></p> <p>Any payment must be for the exact amount of this invoice and be made by the due date. Otherwise, any amount paid will not be accepted and will be returned.</p> <p>©Registered to BPAY Pty Ltd ABN 69 079 137 518</p>
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<p>Please visit <a href="http://www.ecq.qld.gov.au/payyourfine">www.ecq.qld.gov.au/payyourfine</a> or <a href="http://www.bpoint.com.au">www.bpoint.com.au</a></p> <p><b>Biller Code: 123456</b></p> <p><b>Ref: 000000000000</b></p>

#### Australia Post

<p>Pay in person at any Post Office via cash, credit card, debit card or ETFPS</p>
<p>*2421 109203816 210425 1</p>

#### Mail

<p>Send this form with your cheque or money order made payable to:</p> <p>ECQ Locked Bag 3305 BRISBANE QLD 4001</p>

### OFFICE USE ONLY 2024 State General Election

- A**  Located  
 Not Located
- B**  Accept  
 Reject

<b>C</b>	Payment Amount Received:	
	Payment Type:	
	Name:	
	Witness:	

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