



La Trobe Student Union  
**2023 ANNUAL ELECTIONS**  
Monday 2 October – Thursday 5 October 2023

## NOTICE OF REFERENDUM

Following resolutions passed at the LTSU Student Council, the following constitutional referendum question will be put forward for decision during the upcoming LTSU Annual Elections:

The LTSU proposes the following question be put to students:

“That the Welfare Vice-President should be considered a full voting Member of the Executive and Student Council?”

The proposed amendments are as follows:

**Amend clause 31.1 to read:**

*31.1 The voting members of the Student Council are: (a) the President (chair), (b) the Education Vice-President, (c) the Welfare Vice-President (d) the General Secretary, (e) the Postgraduate Officer, and (f) 7 general members.*

**Amend clause 35 to read:**

*35. Membership The members of the Executive are: (a) the President (chair), (b) the Education Vice-President, (c) the Welfare Vice-President (d) the General Secretary, (e) the Postgraduate Officer, and (f) 1 of the general members of the Student Council elected by the Student Council.*

**Amend clause 46.1 to read:**

*46.1 The Student Union has the following office bearers: (a) the President, (b) the Education Vice-President, (c) the Welfare Vice-President, (d) the General Secretary, (e) the Postgraduate Officer, (f) the Activities Officer, (g) the Disabilities Officer, (h) the Environment Officer, (i) the Indigenous Officer, (j) the Queer Officer, (k) the Welfare Officer, (l) the Women’s Officer, and (m) the Editor of Rabelais.*

Polling for this referendum will run concurrently with the 2023 LTSU Annual Elections.

Gavin Ryan  
**Returning Officer**  
11 September 2023