

DECLARATION

1. Candidate name:

RICHARD OSMASTON

Party name (if applicable):

MONEY FREE PARTY NZ

2. TOTAL CANDIDATE DONATIONS

Complete Parts A to E on pages 2 to 6 if you have any donations to declare.

Write 'NIL' if you have NO donations, or contributions to a donation, to declare under Parts A, C or D

NIL

Part A: Candidate donations of more than \$1,500

Part C: Anonymous candidate donations of more than \$1,500

Part D: Overseas candidate donations of more than \$50

Total (A + C + D)

3. TOTAL CANDIDATE ELECTION EXPENSES

Complete Part F on page 7 if you have any expenses to declare.

Write 'NIL' if you have NO expenses to declare

NIL

Part F: Candidate election advertising

4. I declare that to the best of my knowledge this return, filed pursuant to sections 205K and 209 of the Electoral Act 1993, is an accurate record of the candidate donations made to me, or on my behalf, and of election expenses incurred by me, or on my behalf, for the 2022 Hamilton West By-Election and is not false in any material particular.

SIGNATURE 

DATE DD / MM / YYYY
31/01/2023

COMPLETING THE RETURN

You can complete the return electronically or by hand. If you complete the form electronically each part will be automatically added up for you, as well as the totals on this page of the return.

For information on types of electronic signatures that the Commission accepts, please see the *How to Complete your Electorate Candidate Donations and Expenses Return Form* instruction sheet.

CHECKLIST

Step 1 completed

Parts A to E completed or 'NIL' entered at step 2

Part F or 'NIL' entered at step 3

Declaration completed, signed and dated

FILING THE RETURN

Candidate returns must be filed with the Electoral Commission by 5pm, 12 April 2023 (within 70 working days of election day). Candidates who fail to comply with these requirements commit an offence and may be referred to the Police.

The return can be filed:

- by email to: legal@elections.govt.nz
- by post to PO Box 3220, Wellington 6140
- delivered to Level 4, 34-42 Manners Street, Wellington

Reminder: the returns are open to public inspection and will be published on www.elections.nz.

INFORMATION ON CANDIDATE DONATIONS AND ELECTION EXPENSES

WHO MUST FILE A RETURN?

All candidates for the by-election must file a return of candidate donations and election expenses. Even if you have no donations or expenses to declare, you **MUST** still complete the candidate return recording 'NIL' donations or expenses.

KEEPING RECORDS OF DONATIONS AND EXPENSES

Candidates must keep good records of all candidate donations and candidate expenses. Candidates must keep invoices and receipts for all election expenses of \$50 or more for three years after returns are filed.

Further information on candidate donations and expenses is available in the *Candidate Handbook - By-Elections*.