

Nomination for Position on the Australian Lawyers for Human Rights National Committee June 2023

<i>(Nominations from new members and from all states and territories are encouraged)</i>	
I, Sophie Leaver	
	(full name)
of redacted	
	(address)
Phone/e-mail redacted	
	(contact details)
nominate for the position of:	
Ordinary Member for Governance	(President, Treasurer, Secretary, Ordinary Member)
of the National Committee of Australian Lawyers for Human Rights Incorporated.	
Signed by nominator (may be nominee) Date 25 June 2023	
Please set out below a short bio, a brief summary of your reasons for wishing to be elected to the National Committee and describe what you believe you are able to contribute by reference to the relevant position description:	
<p>I am a Senior Lawyer at the Australian Human Rights Commission, where I conduct inquiries into human rights breaches in immigration detention. I previously worked as a solicitor at Redfern Legal Centre, in the police accountability and administrative law team. Prior to this, I worked in civil litigation, with a focus on intentional torts and historical child sex abuse matters. I have also had various legal roles overseas including at the AIRE centre, providing casework and advice in relation to human rights matters in Europe, and at a death penalty defence office</p>	

in Mississippi. I nominate for Ordinary Member for Governance as I am eager to contribute to ALHR's human rights advocacy on a national level and support the internal governance and strategic direction of the organisation.

If you have any queries about the roles and responsibilities of office bearers and committee members, contact the current ALHR executive on secretary@alhr.org.au.

Nominations must be delivered by email to: president@alhr.org.a

Please note: only current members of ALHR may nominate for a position

NB: If you wish to become more involved in ALHR, but do not wish to nominate for the National Committee, please consider joining one of our thematic subcommittees or becoming involved in your State Committee. Visit www.alhr.org.au to find out more.