

# TOM ROGERS AO

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Tom Rogers is the former Australian Electoral Commissioner, serving from 2014 to 2024: the longest tenure of any Commissioner in the Australian Electoral Commission's (AEC) history. He is a member of the Advisory Board for the International Institute for Democracy and Electoral Assistance, and the Electoral Psychological Observatory at the London School of Economics. He previously filled roles as the AEC's Deputy Electoral Commissioner and state manager (and Australian Electoral Officer) for New South Wales.

As Commissioner, Tom led the agency to successfully deliver the 2016, 2019 and 2022 federal elections, numerous by-elections, and boundary redistributions (redistricting) in every Australian state and territory. He also successfully delivered the first referendum in nearly a quarter of a century. Tom was responsible for building the AEC's reputation into one of the public sectors most trusted agencies.