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NOMINATIONS SOUGHT FOR ROOKWOOD MUSLIM TRUST

Minister for Lands, Tony Kelly, has called for nominations to be considered for appointment on the Muslim Cemetery Trust at Rookwood.

“The Rees Government is looking for people with initiative to help manage the Muslim Cemetery at Rookwood for the next five years,” Mr Kelly said.

“We want enthusiastic people who can bring a wide range skills and experience to the trust, as well as close links to their community.

“The new trust will be appointed for a period of five years commencing 1 April 2009.

“The role is voluntary but what you get back is the satisfaction of playing an important role in the community”, Mr Kelly said.

Member for Auburn, Barbara Perry, said committed members from a range of backgrounds within Sydney’s Muslim community should consider nominating.

“We are looking for members of the community who will help address the burial needs of the Muslim community now and well into the future.

“Sustainable land management is critical to this goal and we want members willing and able to work with the Department of Lands, the other Rookwood trusts, as well as the broader community”, Ms Perry said.

Application forms can be obtained by calling Elizabeth Lobo on 02 8836 5330, and applications should be lodged with the regional manager, Sydney, Department of Lands, PO Box 3935, Parramatta 2124 no later than Friday 13 February, 2009

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