
STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

2007 No. 2089

**The Local Authorities (Conduct of
Referendums) (England) Regulations 2007**

Non-domestic rating: premises used for referendum purposes

20. In relation to premises in a voting area, section 65(6) of the Local Government Finance Act 1988⁽¹⁾ (occupation for election meetings and polls) has effect as if—

- (a) the reference to public meetings in furtherance of a person's candidature at an election included a reference to public meetings promoting a particular result in the referendum, and
- (b) the reference to the use by a returning officer for the purpose of taking the poll in an election included a reference to the use for the purpose of taking the poll in the referendum—
 - (i) by a person exercising functions of a counting officer in accordance with regulation 9, or
 - (ii) by a relevant returning or counting officer within the meaning of rule 2(1) of the Local Government Act Referendums (Combination of Polls) Rules.

⁽¹⁾ 1988 c. 41; there are no relevant amendments.