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STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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**2013 No. 3206**

**REPRESENTATION OF  
THE PEOPLE, SCOTLAND**

The Representation of the People (Scotland) (Description  
of Electoral Registers and Amendment) Regulations 2013

*Made - - - - 18th December 2013*

*Coming into force in accordance with regulation 1*

**THE REPRESENTATION OF THE PEOPLE (SCOTLAND)  
(DESCRIPTION OF ELECTORAL REGISTERS  
AND AMENDMENT) REGULATIONS 2013**

1. Citation, commencement, interpretation and extent
2. Revocations
3. Amendments in relation to interpretation
4. Amendment in relation to supply of forms
5. Amendment in relation to communication of applications, notices etc.
6. Amendment in relation to electronic signatures and related certificates
7. Amendment in relation to power to require information
8. Amendment in relation to evidence as to age
9. Amendment in relation to reminders to persons who have an anonymous entry
10. Amendments in relation to applications for registration
11. After regulation 26 insert— Application for alteration of register in...
12. Amendment in relation to objections to registration
13. Amendment in relation to inspection of applications and objections
14. Amendments in relation to determination of applications and objections
15. Amendment in relation to procedure for determining applications for registration and objections without a hearing
16. Amendment in relation to other determinations by registration officer of entitlement to registration
17. Amendment in relation to summary procedure for determining person has ceased to satisfy conditions for registration
18. Amendment in relation to procedure for reviewing entitlement to registration
19. Amendments in relation to hearing of reviews

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20. After regulation 31F insert— Determinations of entitlement to remain registered...
21. Amendments in relation to anonymous registration
22. Amendments in relation to the annual canvass, invitations to apply for registration, requiring a person to make an application for registration and civil penalties
23. Amendment in relation to requirements for application for a proxy vote
24. Additional requirements for application for an emergency proxy vote in respect of a particular election
25. Amendments in relation to the closing date for applications
26. Requirement to provide fresh signature following rejection of a postal voting statement
27. Amendments relating to records and lists kept under Schedule 4
28. Notification of a rejected postal vote
29. Time when postal ballot papers are to be issued
30. Amendment in relation to lost postal ballot papers
31. Cancellation of postal ballot papers
32. Amendments in relation to opening of covering envelopes
33. Amendments to the procedure in relation to postal voting statements
34. Amendments in relation to retrieval of cancelled postal ballot papers
35. Amendments in relation to lists of rejected postal ballot papers
36. Amendments in relation to sealing of receptacles
37. Amendments in relation to retention of documents
38. Amendments in relation to forwarding of documents
39. Amendments relating to edited version of register
40. In regulation 93(2) after “if a request has been duly...
41. For regulation 93(3) substitute— (3) In other respects the edited...
42. Amendments relating to edited register preference
43. Amendments in consequence of the Fixed-term Parliaments Act 2011
44. Amendments in relation to alterations to the register
45. After regulation 99(2) insert— (2A) Each registration officer shall, if...
46. Amendments in relation to documents open to public inspection
47. Prescribed form of words about the two versions of the register
48. Amendment of form of official poll cards
49. Amendment of form of certificate of employment
50. Amendment of form of postal voting statements
51. Amendment of form of statement as to postal ballot papers
52. Amendments relating to modification of provisions for registration of European Parliamentary overseas electors  
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SCHEDULE 1 — ENABLING POWERS

SCHEDULE 2 — REVOCATIONS

SCHEDULE 3 — Form of words about the two versions of the register

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SCHEDULE 4 — FORMS

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