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STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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**2015 No. 656**

**The Representation of the People  
(Ballot Paper) Regulations 2015**

**Citation, commencement, transitional provision and interpretation**

1.—(1) These Regulations may be cited as the Representation of the People (Ballot Paper) Regulations 2015 and come into force on the day after the day on which they are made.

(2) These Regulations do not apply to an election for which the notice of election has been issued before the Regulations come into force.

(3) In these Regulations “the Appendix” means the Appendix to the parliamentary elections rules in Schedule 1 to the Representation of the People Act 1983.

**Form of ballot paper**

2. For the form of front of ballot paper in the Appendix substitute the form of front of ballot paper in Schedule 1 to these Regulations.

3. For the form of back of ballot paper in the Appendix substitute the form of back of ballot paper in Schedule 1 to these Regulations.

**Directions as to printing the ballot paper**

4. For the directions as to printing the ballot paper in the Appendix substitute the directions in Schedule 2 to these Regulations.

Signed by the authority of the Lord President of the Council

9th March 2015

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