

SCHEDULE 5

THE NEIGHBOURHOOD PLANNING REFERENDUMS (COMBINATION OF POLLS) RULES

PART 7

Declaration of Result and Disposal of Documents

Declaration of result

- 42.**—(1) This rule applies where rule 43 does not apply.
- (2) When the result of the poll has been ascertained, the counting officer must forthwith—
- (a) declare the result of the referendum;
 - (b) inform the proper officer of the relevant council of the result of the referendum;
 - (c) give public notice of—
 - (i) the result of the referendum;
 - (ii) the number of ballot papers counted;
 - (iii) the total number of votes cast for each answer; and
 - (iv) the number of rejected ballot papers under each head shown in the statement of rejected ballot papers.