

SCHEDULES

SCHEDULE 2

Article 4(b)(ii)

Form 4

Postal voting statement	[Space for barcode]
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Election of the Police and Crime Commissioner for [insert name of police area] police area

Date of election [day] [date] [month] [year]

Important – you must fill in and return this postal voting statement with your completed ballot paper for it to be counted.

Please read the instructions carefully and use a black pen.

* Name _____ Ballot paper number _____

* Local Returning Officer to insert name but omit where sent to an anonymous elector

(!) Check that the number on the back of your ballot paper matches the number shown above. If these do not match, call us **immediately** on (insert helpline number).

<p>I am the person the ballot paper numbered above was sent to.</p> <p>My Date of Birth is:</p> <table border="1"><tr><td><input type="text"/></td><td><input type="text"/></td><td><input type="text"/></td><td><input type="text"/></td><td><input type="text"/></td><td><input type="text"/></td><td><input type="text"/></td><td><input type="text"/></td></tr><tr><td colspan="2">Day</td><td colspan="2">Month</td><td colspan="4">Year</td></tr></table> <p>* My Signature is: (You must sign inside the box)</p> <p>* Local Returning Officer to omit box where the elector has been granted a waiver</p>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	Day		Month		Year				<div style="border: 1px solid black; height: 80px; width: 100%;"></div>
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We will check this information against our records for security.

It is an offence to vote using a ballot paper that was not sent for your use or interfere with another voter's ballot paper. It is an offence to vote more than once (unless you are appointed as a proxy) at the same election.

Local Returning Officer to add pictorial guidance as appropriate.

Status: This is the original version (as it was originally made). This item of legislation is currently only available in its original format.

Instructions for voting by post

Please read through carefully. If you need help, please call us on *[insert helpline number]*

- For your vote to be counted, you must fill in and return this postal voting statement with your ballot paper for the **election of the Police and Crime Commissioner for *[insert name of police area]***.
- Make sure you have filled in the **date of birth **[and signature]* box[es]** on this postal voting statement.

**Local Returning Officer to delete where elector is granted a waiver.*

Election of the Police and Crime Commissioner for *[insert name of police area]* police area (*[insert colour]* ballot paper)

- Vote for **only one candidate** by putting a cross in the box next to your choice.
- Do not mark the ballot paper in any other way or your vote may not count.
- We must get your postal vote by **10pm on *[day] [date of poll]***. If you miss the post, you can hand it in at our office or at any polling station in the _____ area before **10pm on *[day] [date of poll]***.
- After receiving this postal vote, you cannot vote in person at a polling station in this election.

Getting help

- If you need help to vote, you can ask someone you know or get independent help by calling the helpline on *[insert helpline number]*. The person helping you must not tell anyone how you voted.
- Please call the helpline if you require copies of this form or guidance in Braille or languages other than English.
- If you make a mistake, or lose your postal ballot paper or this statement, you can get a replacement. Call us immediately as **we can only issue a replacement before 5pm on *[day] [date] [month]***. If you apply after **5pm on *[day before poll]*** we can only issue a replacement if you return this ballot pack by hand.

Electoral fraud is a crime. It is an offence to vote more than once in this election unless you are voting on your own behalf and as a proxy for another person.

The Local Returning Officer issued this statement.

Local Returning Officer to add pictorial guidance as appropriate.