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Schedule 2

The Local Authorities (Mayoral Elections) (England and Wales) Regulations 2007: New Forms

Part 1

Forms for use at mayoral elections in England where the poll is not taken together with another election or referendum

Form 1A: Nomination paper

Form 1A

Form of Nomination paper  
(for use at mayoral elections in England)

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ELECTION OF MAYOR for the .....

\*county/district/London borough of.....

*\*Delete whichever is inappropriate*

Date of election.....

We, the undersigned, being local government electors for the said (electoral area), do hereby nominate the person whose name appears below as a candidate at the Mayoral election.

Candidate's surname	Other forenames in full	Commonly used surname (if any)	Commonly used forenames (if any)	Description (if any) use no more than six words

Mr/Mrs/Miss/Ms/Dr/Other

Signature	Print Name	Electoral Number	
		Polling District	Number
Proposer.....	.....	.....	.....
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We, the undersigned, being local government electors for the said (electoral area), do hereby assent to the foregoing nomination.			
Signature			
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**NOTES**

1. The attention of candidates and electors is drawn to the rules for filling up nomination papers and other provisions relating to nomination papers contained in the elections rules in Schedule 1 to the Local Authorities (Mayoral Elections) (England and Wales) Regulations 2007.
2. Where a candidate is commonly known by some title they may be described by their title as if it were their surname.
3. Where a candidate commonly uses a name or names
  - a) that are different from the candidate's full names as stated on the nomination paper, or
  - b) in a different way from the candidate's full names as stated on the nomination paper,
 the commonly used name or names may also appear on the nomination paper; but if they do so, the commonly used name or names (instead of any other name) will appear on the ballot paper.
4. But the ballot paper will show the other name if the returning officer thinks
  - (a) that the use of the commonly used name may be likely to mislead or confuse electors, or
  - (b) that the commonly used name is obscene or offensive.
5. The description, if any, can only be
  - (a) one certified as an authorised or registered description as mentioned in Rule 7 of the election rules, or
  - (b) the word "Independent".
6. In this form "elector"
  - (a) means a person whose name is registered in the register of local government electors for the electoral area in question on the last day for the publication of notice of election; and
  - (b) includes a person then shown in the register as below voting age if (but only if) it appears from the register that he will be of voting age on the day fixed for the poll.

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7. However, a person who has an anonymous entry in the register of local government electors cannot nominate a candidate for election.

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*Form 2A: Candidate's consent to nomination*

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**Form 2A**

**Form of Candidate's consent to Nomination  
(for use at mayoral elections in England)**

**Front of form**

Date of election.....

I (name in full).....

hereby consent to my nomination as a candidate for election as the elected mayor for the "county/district/London borough of .....

*\*Delete whichever is inappropriate*

I declare that on the day of my nomination, I am qualified and that, if there is a poll on the day of election, I will be qualified to be so elected by virtue of being on that day or those days a qualifying Commonwealth citizen, a citizen of the Republic of Ireland, a qualifying EU citizen, or an EU citizen with retained rights, who has attained the age of 18 years and that

\*(a) I am registered as a local government elector for the area of the "county/district/London borough named above; or

\*(b) I have during the whole of the 12 months preceding that day, or those days, occupied as owner or tenant land or other premises in the area named above; or

\*(c) my principal or only place of work during those 12 months has been in that "county/district/London borough; or

\*(d) I have during the whole of those 12 months resided in the area named above.

*\*Delete whichever is inappropriate.*

I declare that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, I am not disqualified for being elected by reason of any disqualification set out in, or decision or order made under, sections 80 or 81A of the Local Government Act 1972, section 34 of the Localism Act 2011, or section 30 of the Elections Act 2022 (copies of which are printed overleaf), and I do not hold a politically restricted post, within the meaning of Part 1 of the Local Government and Housing Act 1989, under a local authority, within the meaning of that Part.

Date of birth .....

Signature .....

Date of consent .....

Signed in my presence

Signature of witness .....

Name of witness .....

**(WRITE CLEARLY)**

Notes

1. A candidate who is qualified by more than one qualification may complete any of those which may apply.
2. Disqualifications set out under Section 81A of the Local Government Act 1972 only apply to a person who is subject to any relevant notification requirements, or a relevant order, made on or after 28 June 2022.

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Set out sections 80, 81 and 81A of the Local Government Act 1972, section 34 of the Localism Act 2011 and section 30 of the Elections Act 2022 (as amended from time to time).