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Schedule 4

The Combined Authorities (Mayoral Elections) Order 2017

Part 2

Forms for use at a combined authority mayoral election where the poll is taken together with another election or referendum

Form 1: Nomination paper

<p>Form of Nomination Paper (for use at combined authority mayoral elections)</p>	<p>Form 1 Office use only</p> <table border="1" style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <tr> <td style="width: 33%; text-align: center;">Date Delivered</td> <td style="width: 33%; text-align: center;">Time delivered</td> <td style="width: 33%; text-align: center;">Initials</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="height: 30px;"></td> <td></td> <td></td> </tr> </table>	Date Delivered	Time delivered	Initials			
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ELECTION OF MAYOR for the Combined Authority of.....

Date of election

We, the undersigned, being local government electors for the said (*combined authority 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	Local Authority	Electoral number	
			Polling District	Number
Proposer.....
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We, the undersigned being electors for the said (electoral area), do hereby assent to the foregoing nomination				
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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 rules in Schedule 3 to the Combined Authorities (Mayoral Elections) Order 2017.
2. Where a candidate is commonly known by some title they may be described by their title as if it were their surname.

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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 combined authority returning officer
 - (a) thinks 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 entitled to vote as an elector at the combined authority mayoral election and who is registered in the register of local government electors on the last day for the publication of notice of the 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 the person will be of voting age on the day fixed for the poll.
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 2: Candidate's consent to nomination

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**Form of Candidate's Consent to Nomination
(for use at combined authority mayoral elections)**

Front of form

Date of election

I (name in full)

hereby consent to my nomination as a candidate for election as the mayor for the
(insert name) Combined Authority

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 within the area of the
combined authority 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
combined authority area; 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, paragraphs 9 or 9A of Schedule 5B of the Local Democracy, Economic
Development and Construction Act 2009, section 34 of the Localism Act 2011,
*[sections 64 to 68 of the Police Reform and Social Responsibility 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.

**Relevant Returning or Counting Officer to insert in case of elections for
Mayors exercising Police and Crime Commissioner functions.*

Date of birth

Signature

Date of consent

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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 that may apply.
2. Disqualifications set out under Section 9A of Schedule 5B of the Local Democracy, Economic Development and Construction Act 2009 only apply to a person who is subject to any relevant notification requirements, or a relevant order, made on or after 28 June 2022.

Back of Form

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Set out paragraphs 9 and 9A of Schedule 5B of the Local Democracy, Economic Development and Construction Act 2009, section 34 of the Localism Act 2011, section 30 of the Elections Act 2022

[and sections 64 to 68 of the Police Reform and Social Responsibility Act 2011] (as amended from time to time).

**Relevant Returning or Counting Officer to insert in case of elections for Mayors exercising Police and Crime Commissioner functions.*