## **NOTICE OF ELECTION**

## UK Parliamentary election For the North Devon constituency

- 1. An Election is to be held of One Member of Parliament for North Devon.
- 2. Nomination papers can be obtained from the offices of the Acting Returning Officer, Lynton House, Commercial Road, Barnstaple, Devon, EX31 1DG, who will, at the request of an elector for any electoral area prepare a nomination paper for signature.
- 3. Nomination papers must be delivered to the Acting Returning Officer at Lynton House, Commercial Road, Barnstaple, Devon, EX31 1DG on any day after the date of this notice on Monday to Friday between the hours of 10 am and 4 pm but no later than 4 pm on Friday, 7th June 2024.
- 4. The £500 deposit can be paid by legal tender or by means of a banker's draft from a drawer which carries on business as banker in the United Kingdom or with the Acting Returning Officer's consent, by electronic transfer of funds using BACS or a debit card.
- 5. If the election is contested the poll will take place on Thursday, 4th July 2024.
- 6. Applications to register to vote must reach the Electoral Registration Officer by 12 midnight on Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> June 2024. Applications can be made online: <a href="https://www.gov.uk/register-to-vote">https://www.gov.uk/register-to-vote</a>
- 7. New applications to vote by post, and amendments or cancellations of existing postal votes or proxy vote arrangements must reach the Electoral Registration Officer at by 5 pm on Wednesday, 19th June 2024. You may apply online or download a form at <a href="https://www.gov.uk/apply-postal-vote">https://www.gov.uk/apply-postal-vote</a> or contact the Electoral Registration Office direct.
- Applications for a Voter Authority Certificate or an Anonymous Elector's Document valid for this election must reach the Electoral Registration Officer by 5pm on Wednesday 26<sup>th</sup> June 2024. Applications for a Voter Authority Certificate can be made online: <a href="https://www.gov.uk/apply-for-photo-id-voter-authority-certificate">https://www.gov.uk/apply-for-photo-id-voter-authority-certificate</a>
- 9. New applications to vote by proxy at this election must reach the Electoral Registration Officer at Lynton House, Commercial Road, Barnstaple, Devon, EX31 1DG by 5 pm on Wednesday, 26th June 2024. You can find information and dependent upon your proxy type apply online at <a href="https://www.gov.uk/how-to-vote/voting-by-proxy">https://www.gov.uk/how-to-vote/voting-by-proxy</a>
- 10. Applications to vote by emergency proxy at this election must reach the Electoral Registration Officer at Lynton House, Commercial Road, Barnstaple, Devon, EX31 1DG by 5 pm on Thursday, 4th July 2024. The physical incapacity or work/service reason must have occurred after 5 pm on Wednesday, 26th June 2024.