

Voting by Proxy – Employment away from home

Following the introduction of the Electoral Administration Act, the rules relating to absent voting have changed, with signatures and DOB now required from all those registered to vote by post, and also those registered with proxy votes. This was introduced to enable authorities to combat electoral fraud.

Please complete the form and return to the address below. This will then enable us to ensure that your proxy is set up as required, with the necessary security features now required by law.

Your form must be supported by one of the following:

- if you have an **employer**, your employer or another authorised person at your workplace
- if you are **self-employed**, a person who is aged 18 years or over, who knows you but is not related to you

Please do not hesitate to contact the elections team if you have any questions on 01932 425650 / 52.

Please return the completed form to:

Electoral Services
Runnymede Civic Centre
Station Road
Addlestone
Surrey
KT15 2AH

APPLICATION TO VOTE BY PROXY DUE TO EMPLOYMENT

Each person applying for a proxy vote must complete a separate form. If more forms are needed, please photocopy this one or ask the Electoral Registration Officer for more.

1. Please insert your full name and address where you are registered to vote	Reference – office use only																																
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I wish to vote by proxy at (please tick one box only) <input type="checkbox"/> Parliamentary Elections <input type="checkbox"/> Local Elections <input type="checkbox"/> All Elections																																	
2. How long do you want your proxy for? (Tick one box only)																																	
<input type="checkbox"/> Until further notice (A permanent proxy vote) <input type="checkbox"/> For the following period (please insert dates into the boxes below) from <table style="display: inline-table; border-collapse: collapse; margin-right: 10px;"> <tr><td style="border: 1px solid black; width: 20px; height: 20px;"></td><td style="border: 1px solid black; width: 20px; height: 20px;"></td><td style="border: 1px solid black; width: 20px; height: 20px;"></td><td style="border: 1px solid black; width: 20px; height: 20px;"></td><td style="border: 1px solid black; width: 20px; height: 20px;"></td><td style="border: 1px solid black; width: 20px; height: 20px;"></td><td style="border: 1px solid black; width: 20px; height: 20px;"></td><td style="border: 1px solid black; width: 20px; height: 20px;"></td></tr> <tr><td style="text-align: center; font-size: 8px;">D</td><td style="text-align: center; font-size: 8px;">D</td><td style="text-align: center; font-size: 8px;">M</td><td style="text-align: center; font-size: 8px;">M</td><td style="text-align: center; font-size: 8px;">Y</td><td style="text-align: center; font-size: 8px;">Y</td><td style="text-align: center; font-size: 8px;">Y</td><td style="text-align: center; font-size: 8px;">Y</td></tr> </table> to <table style="display: inline-table; border-collapse: collapse;"> <tr><td style="border: 1px solid black; width: 20px; height: 20px;"></td><td style="border: 1px solid black; width: 20px; height: 20px;"></td><td style="border: 1px solid black; width: 20px; height: 20px;"></td><td style="border: 1px solid black; width: 20px; height: 20px;"></td><td style="border: 1px solid black; width: 20px; height: 20px;"></td><td style="border: 1px solid black; width: 20px; height: 20px;"></td><td style="border: 1px solid black; width: 20px; height: 20px;"></td><td style="border: 1px solid black; width: 20px; height: 20px;"></td></tr> <tr><td style="text-align: center; font-size: 8px;">D</td><td style="text-align: center; font-size: 8px;">D</td><td style="text-align: center; font-size: 8px;">M</td><td style="text-align: center; font-size: 8px;">M</td><td style="text-align: center; font-size: 8px;">Y</td><td style="text-align: center; font-size: 8px;">Y</td><td style="text-align: center; font-size: 8px;">Y</td><td style="text-align: center; font-size: 8px;">Y</td></tr> </table>										D	D	M	M	Y	Y	Y	Y									D	D	M	M	Y	Y	Y	Y
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3. Please select one of the options below explaining why you want a proxy vote.																																	
<p>A. Employed:</p> <p>I am / my husband, wife or civil partner is employed by (please give employer's name and address)</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p> <p>As (please give job title) _____</p> <p>I am unable to attend the polling station on polling day because:</p> <p>_____</p>																																	
<p>B. Self-employed:</p> <p>I am / my husband, wife, civil partner is Self-employed</p> <p>As (please give job title) _____</p> <p>I am unable to attend the polling station on polling day because:</p> <p>_____</p>																																	

4. You must get someone to support your application (See explanatory notes) Please ask the person who supports your application to give their name, address and position.

Supporter's full name:

Supporter's full address:

Supporter's position:

Supporter's declaration:

To the best of my knowledge and belief, the applicant's statement above is true.

Signature: _____

Dated:

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5. Proxy's details - I confirm that I have asked the person named below to act as my proxy and he/she is willing to vote on my behalf (Please insert your proxy's details below)

Name:

Relationship to you (If applicable) :

Full address:

Tick this box if you think your proxy would prefer to vote by post

6. Your details

Please enter your **Date of Birth**

Please complete in **Black Ink**

Day Month Year

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Your signature

Please sign within this box using **Black Ink** taking care to sign within the box and not over the lines (This is extremely important because the form will be scanned into our computer system. The form will be returned to you if not signed in black ink)

The date you signed this form: / /