



European Parliamentary Elections **NOTICE OF ELECTION**

For the
Yorkshire and The Humber Region

To be held on
Thursday 4th June 2009

Notice is hereby given that:-

1. Elections are to be held for European Members of Parliament for the **Yorkshire and The Humber Region**.
2. The number of European Members of Parliament to be elected is **6 (six)**.
3. Nomination papers may be obtained, during normal office hours, from the Regional Returning Officer, **Leeds City Council Electoral Services, Level 2, Town Hall, The Headrow, Leeds, LS1 3AD**
4. Completed nomination papers must be delivered to the Regional Returning Officer at the offices of **Leeds City Council Electoral Services, Level 2, Town Hall, The Headrow, Leeds, LS1 3AD** from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. on any normal working day after the date of this notice except Monday 4th May, but **not later than 4 p.m. on Thursday 7th May 2009**. Each submission must be accompanied by a deposit of £5,000 in either legal tender or banker's draft or such other means as consented to by the Regional Returning Officer.
5. If the election is contested, the poll will take place on **Thursday 4th June 2009** between the hours of **7.00 a.m.** and **10.00 p.m.**
6. Electors and their proxies for the Wakefield counting area should take note that applications for postal votes and any applications for changes to absent votes and notices about postal or proxy voting must reach the Electoral Registration Officer by **5 p.m. on Tuesday 19th May 2009** if they are to be effective for this election. Applications for new proxy votes can be accepted until **5 p.m. on Wednesday 27th May 2009**. Electors taken unexpectedly ill on or after 5 p.m. on Wednesday 27th May 2009 can make an application to vote by proxy up to 5 p.m. on Thursday 4th June 2009, properly attested by the necessary medical personnel.

Joanne Roney

LOCAL RETURNING OFFICER & ELECTORAL REGISTRATION OFFICER

Dated this Monday 27th April 2009

Electoral Services Office, County Hall, Wakefield, West Yorkshire, WF1 2QW

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