

Request for absent vote (Postal & Proxy Voters) lists

SCOTTISH PARLIAMENT ELECTION	Name of electoral area/region:	Shetland / Highlands and Islands	Date of election:	7 May 2026
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This form must be sent to the

Electoral Registration Officer, 20 Commercial Road, Lerwick, ZE1 OLX

Tel: 01595 745700 Email: ero@shetland.gov.uk

This form must be completed by the candidate.

Declaration of candidacy and confirmation of legal use of absent vote list information	
Name of Candidate	
<p>I declare that I am a candidate at the above named election. I will use my copy of the absent vote list (postal and/or proxy voters list) for electoral purposes only. I will only allow others who are assisting me in my campaign to use my copy of this data for the same purposes only. I understand that any use other than electoral purposes is illegal with a maximum fine of £5,000.</p>	
Signed (Candidate)	

Application and delivery details	
My application is for the following absent vote list(s) (you may tick as many boxes as you wish):	
The current list of postal voters (as at 25 March)	
The current list of proxy voters (as at 25 March)	
The final list of postal voters (as at 21 April)	
The final list of proxy voters (as at 28 April)	
These lists are only available in data format (Excel)	
Email Address:	
<p>Files shall be password protected. On receipt of the first file you should contact the Electoral Registration Office (as above) to obtain the password.</p>	

Contact details (in case of query)	
Telephone	
Mobile	
Email	

The data controller will only use the information you provide on this form for electoral purposes and will look after your personal information securely, following data protection legislation. The data controller will not give personal information about you and the personal information you may provide on other people to anyone else or another organisation unless required to by law.

The lawful basis to collect the information in this form is that it is necessary for the performance of a task carried out in the public interest and exercise of official authority as vested in the Electoral Registration Officer as set out in Representation of the People Act 1983 and associated regulations.

The Electoral Registration Officer is the data controller. You can find their contact details at:

<http://www.orkney-shetland-vjb.co.uk/>

For further information, relating to the processing of personal data you should refer to their privacy notice on the data controller's website. You can find their website address at: <http://www.orkney-shetland-vjb.co.uk/>