

## THE CITY OF EDINBURGH COUNCIL BY-ELECTION – 10 NOVEMBER 2005

### ELECTORAL WARD NO. 15 MURRAYFIELD

I, THOMAS NISBET AITCHISON, Returning Officer at the election of a Councillor for the No. 15 Murrayfield Ward of the City of Edinburgh local government area on Thursday, 10 November 2005, do hereby, in accordance with Rule 43(1)(c) of the local elections rules set out in Schedule 2 to the Scottish Local Government Elections Rules 2002, declare that the result of the election was as follows:-

	<b>VOTES</b>
BALFOUR, Jeremy R. Scottish Conservative and Unionist Party Candidate	1327
BOULTON, Jill M. Scottish Green Party	58
BROWN, Melville UKIP Scotland	4
CLELAND, Sheena M. Scottish National Party (SNP)	52
CROCKART, Michael B. Scottish Liberal Democrats	859
HART, Norma M. Scottish Labour Party Candidate	114
ISSERLIS, Roy The Liberal Party In Scotland Candidate	12
WOOLNOUGH, Kristina Independent	226

Of the total ballot papers, there were rejected as void and not counted on account of:-

	<b>PAPERS</b>
(a) Want of official mark	1
(b) Voting for more than one candidate	-
(c) Writing or mark by which voter could be identified	1
(d) Unmarked or null and void for uncertainty	2
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and that Jeremy R Balfour has been duly elected a Councillor for the No. 15 electoral ward of the City of Edinburgh local government area.

Council Headquarters  
Wellington Court, Edinburgh  
10 November 2005

**TOM AITCHISON**  
Returning Officer