

Ballot Paper Account Exercise 1

The Polling Station was issued with 700 ordinary Constituency Ballot papers numbered from 314001 to 314700.

Note - the Corresponding Number List (CNL) will also list these numbers.

Each of the ballot books contains 100 papers so this Station received 7 books of constituency papers.

- The spoilt papers envelope has 6 constituency papers in it.
- The tendered papers envelope has 3 constituency tendered papers in it.
- The number of the first ballot paper issued on the CNL is 314001 – you will have checked this before the Polling Station opened.
- The next ballot paper that would have been issued is number 314457 – you can check on the back of the paper and on the CNL.

Please check the unused papers –

and then account for the **Constituency Tendered Papers**

- 25 constituency tendered ballot papers were provided to the Station
- 3 was used - this will be in the tendered papers envelope
- 24 were unused.

Scottish Parliament Election
Thursday 5 May 2016

Ballot Box No.

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Constituency Region Ballot Paper
Account

Local Authority area:	The City of Edinburgh Council
Constituency	Edinburgh Pentlands
Polling Place	Woodfield Primary School
Name of Presiding Officer	Susan Morgan

At the close of poll, the boxes marked with arrows (←) must be completed by the Presiding Officer, checked by another member of staff and signed.

Part 1 Constituency Ordinary Ballot Papers

A	Total received by Presiding Officer (Numbers 314001 to 314700) (7 Books)	7 0 0	
B	Number on the back of the next ballot paper to be issued	314457	←
C	Number of the first ballot paper issued on the corresponding number list	3 1 4 0 0 1	
D	Total ballot papers issued (B minus C)	456	←
E	How many ordinary spoilt ballot papers did you issue replacements for?	6	←
F	Total ballot papers issued and not spoilt (D minus E)	450	←
G	Total <u>unused</u> ballot papers (A minus D)	244	←



Check does $E + F + G = A$?

Part 2 Tendered Constituency Ballot Papers

H	Total received by Presiding Officer	2 5	
I	Total tendered ballot papers marked by a voter placed by the PO in the appropriate envelope	3	←
J	Total spoilt tendered ballot papers (placed by the PO in the appropriate envelope)	0	←
K	Total <u>unused</u> tendered ballot papers (to be placed by the PO in the Red Bag (H minus(I+J)))	22	←



Check does $I + J + K = 25$?

Signature of Presiding Officer:	Susan Morgan
Signature of Polling Clerk:	John Mclean