

# EUROPEAN PARLIAMENTARY ELECTION FOR THE WEST MIDLANDS REGION THURSDAY 22 MAY 2014

1. An election is to be held of 7 Members of the European Parliament for the West Midlands Region.
2. Nomination papers are to be delivered to the Elections Office, Council House, Victoria Square, Birmingham B1 1BB, between 10.00 am and 4.00 pm on any week day after the date of this notice (except 18 April and 21 April 2014) **but not later than 4.00pm on 24 APRIL 2014.**
3. Forms of nomination paper may be obtained at the place and times mentioned above.
4. The deposit for each registered political party or individual candidate (£5,000) can be paid when submitting papers by:
  - legal tender (notes or one pound coins); or
  - bankers draft (drawn by a UK bank and made payable to “Regional Returning Officer, Birmingham”)and with my prior permission, by debit or credit card (Delta, Solo, Switch/Maestro, Mastercard or Visa) or the electronic transfer of funds.
5. If the election is contested the poll will take place on Thursday 22 May 2014.
6. Applications and requests about postal and proxy voting must reach the appropriate Electoral Registration Officer by the following deadlines to be effective for this election.

New applications to vote by post and requests to change or cancel an existing postal vote or proxy appointment	5 pm on 7 May 2014
New applications to vote by proxy (not postal proxy or emergency proxies)	5 pm on 14 May 2014
Applications for emergency proxy to vote at this election only	5 pm on 22 May 2014

Council House  
Birmingham B1 1BB  
7 April 2014

Mark Rogers  
Regional Returning Officer