



PUBLIC NOTICE

**BOUNDARY COMMISSION
for Northern Ireland**

REPRESENTATION OF THE PEOPLE ACTS
PARLIAMENTARY CONSTITUENCIES ACT 1986
BOUNDARY COMMISSIONS ACT 1992

UNITED KINGDOM PARLIAMENTARY CONSTITUENCIES
IN NORTHERN IRELAND

Notice is hereby given that the Boundary Commission for Northern Ireland have completed a review of all the United Kingdom Parliamentary constituencies in Northern Ireland in accordance with the provisions of the Parliamentary Constituencies Act 1986 and the Boundary Commissions Act 1992, and have provisionally determined to make recommendations to the Secretary of State with respect to the same under section 3 of the Parliamentary Constituencies Act 1986.

The effect of the proposed recommendations is that Northern Ireland should be divided into 18 constituencies, defined and named as set out in the recommendations.

Copies of the proposed recommendations, together with maps, are available for inspection at district council headquarters and Area Electoral Offices, public libraries and at the offices of the Electoral Commission and Boundary Commission. They can also be viewed on the Boundary Commission website, <http://www.boundarycommission.org.uk/>.

Representations with respect to the proposed recommendations may be made to the Commission by 7 June 2004 and should be addressed to the Secretary to the Boundary Commission for Northern Ireland, Forestview, Purdy's Lane, Newtownbreda, Belfast BT8 7AR.

Dated 6 May 2004

By Order of the Boundary Commission for Northern Ireland

Boundary Commission for Northern Ireland

PROVISIONAL RECOMMENDATIONS

Notice has been given today, 6 May 2004, under the Representation of the People Acts, the Parliamentary Constituencies Act 1986 and the Boundary Commissions Act 1992 that the Boundary Commission for Northern Ireland propose that Northern Ireland should be divided into 18 constituencies. The constituencies (16 May 2003 enumeration date electorates in brackets) are comprised of the following wards designated by the Local Government (Boundaries) Order (Northern Ireland) 1992.

Antrim Coast and Glens County Constituency (60,061) The whole of the Carrickfergus Local Government District; the whole of the Larne Local Government District; the Moyle Local Government District wards of Bonamargy and Rathlin, Dalriada, Glanaan, Glenariff, Glendun, Glenshesk, Glentaisie and Knocklayd ; and the Newtownabbey Local Government District wards of Jordanstown, Monkstown and Rostulla.

Belfast East Borough Constituency (59,214) The Belfast Local Government District wards of Ballyhackamore, Ballymacarrett, Belmont, Bloomfield, Cherryvalley, Island, Knock, Orangefield, Stormont, Sydenham and The Mount; and the Castlereagh Local Government District wards of Ballyhanwood, Carrowreagh, Downshire, Dundonald, Enler, Gilnahirk, Graham's Bridge, Hillfoot, Lisnasharragh, Lower Braniel, Tullycarnet and Upper Braniel.

Belfast North Borough Constituency (59,337) The Belfast Local Government District wards of Ardoyne, Ballysillan, Bellevue, Castleview, Cavehill, Chichester Park, Cliftonville, Crumlin, Duncairn, Fortwilliam, Legoniel, New Lodge, Water Works and Woodvale; and the Newtownabbey Local Government District wards of Abbey, Cloughfern, Collinbridge, Coole, Dunanney, Glebe, Glengormley, Valley and Whitehouse.

Belfast South Borough Constituency (57,767) The Belfast Local Government District wards of Ballynafeigh, Blackstaff, Botanic, Finaghy, Malone, Musgrave, Ravenhill, Rosetta, Stranmillis, Upper Malone, Shaftesbury, Windsor and Woodstock; and the Castlereagh Local Government District wards of Beechill, Cairnshill, Carryduff East, Carryduff West, Cregagh, Galwally, Knockbracken, Minnowburn, Newtownbreda and Wynchurch.

Belfast West Borough Constituency (58,722) The Belfast Local Government District wards of Andersonstown, Beechmount, Clonard, Falls, Falls Park, Glencairn, Glencolin, Glen Road, Highfield, Ladybrook, Shankill, Upper Springfield and Whiterock; and the Lisburn Local Government District wards of Collin Glen, Derryaghy, Dunmurry, Kilwee, Poleglass, Seymour Hill and Twinbrook.

East Londonderry County Constituency (60,494) The whole of the Coleraine Local Government District; the Derry Local Government District wards of Banagher and Claudy; and the whole of the Limavady Local Government District.

Fermanagh and South Tyrone County Constituency (64,345) The whole of the Fermanagh Local Government District; and the Dungannon Local Government District wards of Augher, Aughnacloy, Ballygawley, Ballysaggart, Benburb, Caledon, Castlecaulfield, Clogher, Coolhill, Drumglass, Fivemiletown, Killyman, Killymeal, Moy, Moygashel and Mullaghmore.

Foyle County Constituency (60,823) The Derry Local Government District wards of Altnagelvin, Ballynashallog, Beechwood, Brandywell, Carn Hill, Caw, Clondermot, Creggan Central, Creggan South, Crevagh, Culmore, Ebrington, Eglinton, Enagh, Foyle Springs, Holly Mount, Kilfennan, Lisnagelvin, New Buildings, Pennyburn, Rosemount, Shantallow East, Shantallow West, Springtown, Strand, The Diamond, Victoria and Westland.

Lagan Valley County Constituency (62,707) The Lisburn Local Government District wards of Ballinderry, Ballymacbrennan, Ballymacash, Ballymacoss, Blaris, Dromara, Drumbo, Glenavy, Harmony Hill, Hilden, Hillhall, Hillsborough, Knockmore, Lagan Valley, Lambeg, Lisnagarvey, Maghaberry, Magheralave, Maze, Moira, Old Warren, Tonagh and Wallace Park; the Craigavon Local Government District ward of Aghagallon; and the Banbridge Local Government District wards of Dromore North, Dromore South, Gransha and Quilly.

Mid Ulster County Constituency (60,119) The whole of the Cookstown Local Government District; the whole of the Magherafelt Local Government District; and the Dungannon Local Government District wards of Altmore, Coalisland North, Coalisland South, Coalisland West and Newmills, Donaghmore and Washing Bay.

Newry and Armagh County Constituency (63,380) The whole of the Armagh Local Government District; and the Newry and Mourne Local

Government District wards of Ballybot, Bessbrook, Camlough, Creggan, Crossmaglen, Daisy Hill, Derrymore, Drumalane, Drumgullion, Fathom, Forkhill, Newtownhamilton, Silver Bridge and Tullyhappy.

North Antrim County Constituency (64,031) The whole of the Ballymena Local Government District; the whole of the Ballymoney Local Government District; and the Moyle Local Government District wards of Armoy, Ballylough, Bushmills, Carnmoon, Dunseverick, Kinbane and Moss-Side and Moyarget.

North Down County Constituency (57,435) The whole of the North Down Local Government District; and the Ards Local Government District wards of Donaghadee North, Donaghadee South and Millisle.

South Antrim County Constituency (57,615) The whole of the Antrim Local Government District; and the Newtownabbey Local Government District wards of Ballyclare North, Ballyclare South, Ballyduff, Ballyhenry, Ballynure, Ballyrobert, Burnthill, Carnmoney, Doagh, Hawthorne, Hightown, Mallusk and Mossley.

South Down County Constituency (65,496) The Banbridge Local Government District wards of Ballyward, Bannside, Katesbridge, Loughbrickland and Rathfriland; the Down Local Government District wards of Ardglass, Audley's Acre, Ballymote Castlewellan, Cathedral, Donard, Dundrum, Killough, Murlough, Quoile, Seaforde, Shimna, Strangford and Tollymore; and the Newry and Mourne Local Government District wards of Annalong, Binnian, Burren and Kilbroney, Clonallan, Derryleckagh, Donaghmore, Kilkeel Central, Kilkeel South, Lisnacree, Mayobridge, Rostrevor, St. Mary's, St. Patrick's, Seaview, Spelga and Windsor Hill.

Strangford County Constituency (63,564) The Ards Local Government District wards of Ballygowan, Ballyrainey, Ballywalter, Bradshaw's Brae, Carrowdore, Central, Comber East, Comber North, Comber West, Glen, Gregstown, Killinchy, Kircubbin, Lisbane, Loughries, Movilla, Portaferry, Portavogie, Scrabo and Whitespots; the Castlereagh Local Government District ward of Moneyreagh; and the Down Local Government District wards of Ballymaglave, Ballynahinch East, Crossgar, Derryboy, Drumaness, Dunmore, Killyleagh, Kilmore and Saintfield.

Upper Bann County Constituency (64,493) The Banbridge Local Government District wards of Ballydown, Banbridge West, Edenderry, Fort, Gilford, Lawrencetown, The Cut and Seapatrick; and the Craigavon Local Government District wards of Annagh, Ballybay, Ballyoran, Bleary, Brownstown, Church, Corcrair, Court, Derrytrasna, Donaghcloney, Drumgask, Drumgor, Drumnamoe, Edenderry, Kernan, Killycomain, Knocknashane, Magheralin, Mourneview, Parklake, Taghnevan, Tavanagh, The Birches, Waringstown and Woodville.

West Tyrone County Constituency (57,847) The whole of the Omagh Local Government District; and the whole of the Strabane Local Government District.

May 2004

**Boundary Commission for Northern Ireland,
Forestview,
Purdy's Lane,
Newtownbreda,
Belfast BT8 7AR**