

Application to register as an overseas elector

RPF 37

For office use only
Const.
Polling District
Elector Number

Read the accompanying notes before completing the form in BLOCK LETTERS

PART 1 ABOUT YOURSELF

Your Name

Title (Mr, Mrs, Ms, etc) _____ Surname _____
Forenames in full _____

Change of name (if applicable)

Former name in full _____
Reason for change of name _____

Present postal address (Non UK)

Full UK Registration Address

_____ Post code (if known) _____

If you were registered at the above address as one of the following please tick the appropriate box

Service Voter Voluntary Mental Patient

If you were too young to register then see the note below

Last UK electoral registration

Only fill in one box A, B or C.
My last electoral registration was as:

- Either An overseas elector Enter date of Register **A** If you have filled in this box, now fill in Parts 4 and 6.
- or A UK resident/Service voter Enter date you left the UK/ceased to have a service qualification **B** If you have filled in this box, now fill in Parts 3,4,5 and 6.
- or I was too young to have been registered Enter date of birth **C** If you have filled in this box, now fill in Parts 2,3,4,5 and 6.

PART 2 PARENT OR GUARDIAN

You MUST complete Part 2 if you filled in Box C in Part 1. If you filled in Box A or B ignore this part.

Name of Parent/Guardian

Surname _____ Tick one only: Parent ___ Guardian ___
Forenames in full _____ Tick box: Photocopy of applicant's birth certificate enclosed

Other Name (if applicable)

Other name in full (if any - see notes) _____
Reason for other name (if known) _____
Reason not known

NOW COMPLETE ONE OF THE STATEMENTS IN PART 3 OVERLEAF

PART 3 CITIZENSHIP

You must complete Part 3 if you filled in Box B or Box C in Part 1. If you filled in Box A ignore this part. Complete only the statement that applies to you.

Either My British passport, number issued at (place)
on (date) states that I am a 'British Citizen'.

or I do not hold a British passport describing me as a 'British Citizen' but I was born at
(place) in the UK before 1 January 1983.

or I was born on (date) at (place)
in (country) I do not hold a British passport describing me as a
'British Citizen' but I became a British Citizen on (date) - now explain
how you became a British Citizen. _____

NOW COMPLETE AND SIGN PART 4

PART 4 DECLARATION To be completed by ALL applicants

Declaration

I am a British Citizen and I am not resident in the UK on the date of this declaration

Either I ceased to be resident in the UK on (date)

or I ceased to have a service qualification on (date)

If you wish for your name and address to be excluded from the Edited Register
please mark an X in the box

I hereby declare that the statements that I have made on this form are true to the best of
my knowledge and belief.

Signature

Your signature _____ Date _____

PART 5 DECLARATION IN SUPPORT

Part 5 MUST be completed if you have filled in Box B or Box C in Part 1. If you filled in Box A ignore this part.

Supporter's Declaration

I am aged 18 years or over. I am the bearer of a British passport which describes my national
status as 'British Citizen'.

I am not resident in the UK.

I know the declarant but am not his/her husband, wife, parent, grandparent, brother, sister,
child or grandchild.

To the best of my knowledge and belief the declarant is a British Citizen and not resident in the
UK on the date of the declaration.

Supporter's Name

Surname _____
Forenames in full _____

Supporter's address

Supporter's passport

Passport number Date of issue

Place of issue

Signature

Supporter's signature _____ Date _____

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PART 6 VOTING FROM OUTSIDE THE UK

Unless you are able to return to the United Kingdom on polling day in order to vote, you should appoint a proxy to vote on your behalf, or you may apply for a postal vote to be sent to you.

Voting by Post

If you would like to apply for a ballot paper to be sent to you by post, please enter the address for the ballot paper to be sent below. Please be aware that the earliest time postal votes could be issued is ten working days before polling day, and that they must be received by the Returning Officer by the close of poll on polling day if they are to be included in the count. If you have any doubts as to whether a ballot paper would be likely to reach you and be returned by you in time to be included in the counting of votes, you may wish to consider instead appointing a proxy to vote for you (see below, "Appointing a Proxy").

Address for Ballot Paper to be sent _____

Now please sign at the space marked "Applicant's Signature" below.

Appointment of Proxy

If you apply to vote by proxy, either you or your proxy must confirm that he/she is willing, and is allowed to vote on your behalf - please read the attached notes carefully.

Proxy's full name _____

Proxy's address _____

Post Code _____ Proxy's Relationship (if any) _____

Statement

Either* *I have consulted the person named above and I confirm that he/she is willing and is allowed to vote on my behalf.*

Or* *I, the person named above, confirm that I am willing and allowed to vote on behalf of the applicant.*

* delete the statement which does not apply.

Proxy's signature _____

Applicant's Signature

Your signature _____

Details of Applicant

Surname _____

Forenames in full _____

Present non-UK Address _____

UK Registration Address _____

To the Electoral Registration Officer:

My proxy is unlikely to be able to vote in person on my behalf.

Please send him/her an RPF11 form so that he/she can apply to vote by post (tick box).

Notes to the Proxy

If you are willing and allowed to vote on the applicant's behalf, fill in your name and address above and sign the statement. Then send this form to the electoral registration officer at the address in the box above. Ask the electoral registration officer for an RPF11 form if you wish to vote by post by ticking the box above.