

## DECLARATION OF RESULT

I, Malcolm Johnston, being the Acting Returning Officer at the election of a  
Member of Parliament for the

### **BEXHILL AND BATTLE PARLIAMENTARY CONSTITUENCY**

held on  
7th MAY 2015

do hereby give notice that the number of votes recorded for each

| NAMES OF CANDIDATES |                         |                                     | Number of votes recorded,<br>(if elected write 'elected'<br>against the number of votes) |         |
|---------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------|
| SURNAME             | OTHER NAMES             | DESCRIPTION (if any)                |                                                                                          |         |
| BASTIN              | Geoffrey<br>Bernard     | UK Independence Party<br>(UKIP)     | 10,170                                                                                   |         |
| KENT                | Jonathan<br>Christopher | Green Party                         | 2,807                                                                                    |         |
| MERRIMAN            | Huw William             | The Conservative Party<br>Candidate | 30,245                                                                                   | Elected |
| SADLER              | Rachel Cerys            | Liberal Democrats                   | 4,199                                                                                    |         |
| THEW                | Michelle                | Labour Party                        | 7,797                                                                                    |         |

The number of ballot papers rejected was as follows:-

|                                                          |               |
|----------------------------------------------------------|---------------|
| a) want of an official mark                              | 0             |
| b) voting for more candidates than voter was entitled to | 115           |
| c) writing or mark by which voter could be identified    | 1             |
| d) being unmarked or wholly void for uncertainty         | 184           |
| <b>Total</b>                                             | <b>55,518</b> |

**Electorate:** 78,796

**Turnout: 70.5%**

and I do hereby declare that the said **Huw William MERRIMAN**

is duly elected for the **BEXHILL AND BATTLE PARLIAMENTARY  
CONSTITUENCY**

*Dated:* 8 May 2015

MALCOLM JOHNSTON  
ACTING RETURNING OFFICER

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