

DECLARATION OF RESULT OF POLL

Redcar

Election of a Member of Parliament for Middlesbrough South & East Cleveland

on Thursday 6 May 2010

I, Amanda Skelton, being the Acting Returning Officer at the above election, do hereby give notice that the number of votes recorded for each Candidate at the said election is as follows:

| Name of Candidate | Description (if any) | Number of Votes* |
|----------------------------|----------------------------------|------------------|
| ALLEN, Michael John | Independent | 818 |
| BLENKINSOP, Thomas Francis | The Labour Party Candidate | 18138 Elected |
| BRISTOW, Paul | The Conservative Party Candidate | 16461 |
| EMMERSON, Nicholas Paul | Liberal Democrats | 7340 |
| GATLEY, Shaun | British National Party | 1576 |
| LIGHTWING, Stuart William | UK Independence Party (UK I P) | 1881 |

* If elected the word 'Elected' appears against the number of votes.

| The number of ballot papers rejected was as follows: | Number of ballot papers |
|---|-------------------------|
| A want of an official mark | 3 |
| B voting for more Candidates than voter was entitled to | 11 |
| C writing or mark by which voter could be identified | 6 |
| D being unmarked or wholly void for uncertainty | 37 |
| E rejected in part | 0 |
| Total | 57 |

Vacant Seats: 1

Electorate: 72666

Ballot Papers Issued: 46271

Turnout: 63.68%

And I do hereby declare that, Thomas Francis Blenkinsop is duly elected.

Dated Friday 7 May 2010

Amanda Skelton
Acting Returning Officer