

SCHEDULE 5

Free delivery of election addresses

4.—(1) Subject to any requirements imposed by or under this paragraph, the format of a candidate's election address may be determined by the candidate (and, in particular, may consist of a combination of words, pictures and artwork).

(2) An election address must be printed on not more than two sides of A5 paper, but if such an address is printed on two sides of such paper—

- (a) it must, when submitted to the combined authority returning officer for inclusion in the election booklet, be accompanied by a second version printed on a single side of such paper, and
- (b) if the total number of candidates from whom election addresses have been accepted by the combined authority returning officer by the last time for delivery of nomination papers for the election exceeds 15, the version to be included in the election booklet shall be the second version.

(3) An election address must—

- (a) comply with such requirements as to typographical layout, margins and use of colour as the combined authority returning officer may determine, and
- (b) comply with such other requirements as he may determine with a view to facilitating its reproduction as a page or pages of the election booklet.

(4) An election address must, when submitted to the combined authority returning officer for inclusion in the election booklet, be accompanied—

- (a) where the address is to contain a photograph of the candidate, by two identical copies of the photograph, of which one is signed on the back by the candidate, and
- (b) in any case, by such copies of anything contained in the address as the combined authority returning officer may reasonably require in connection with the reproduction of the address.