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PART 1

PROVISION ABOUT COMBINATION

THE POLL

Voting procedure: copies of registers and lists of proxies

30   (1) If the counting officer thinks fit, the same copy of the register of electors may be used
under the following provisions for the purposes of the referendum and the Assembly
elections—

    (a)   rule 28(2) of the referendum rules;

    (b)   rule 46(1) of the Assembly Elections Rules.

(2) Sub-paragraphs (3) and (4) apply where the same copy of the register is used as
mentioned in sub-paragraph (1).

(3) In a case where a ballot paper is delivered at the same time in respect of the
referendum, the Assembly constituency election and the Assembly regional election,
a single mark must be placed in the register against the number of the elector under—

    (a)   rule 28(2)(c) of the referendum rules, and

    (b)   rule 46(1)(c) of the Assembly Elections Rules.

(4) In any other case, a mark must be placed in the register against the number of the
elector identifying the poll to which each ballot paper delivered relates.

(5) In the case of an elector who is added to the register in pursuance of a notice issued
under section 13B(3B) or (3D) of the 1983 Act—

    (a)   references in this paragraph to the copy of the register of electors are to be
read as references to the copy of the notice;

    (b)   references to a mark being placed in the register of electors are to be read as
references to a mark being made on the copy of the notice.

(6) Where the same copy of the register is used as mentioned in sub-paragraph (1), this
paragraph applies instead of rule 46(6) of the Assembly Elections Rules except so
far as it relates to the list of proxies.

Changes to legislation:
There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Parliamentary Voting System and
Constituencies Act 2011, Paragraph 30.