
STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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The European Union Referendum (Conduct) Regulations 2016

PART 2

REGULATIONS FOR THE CONDUCT OF THE REFERENDUM IN THE UNITED KINGDOM

General provisions

The official mark

12.—(1) Every ballot paper must contain an appropriate security marking (referred to in these Regulations as the “official mark”).

(2) The official mark must be kept secret.

(3) The counting officer may use a different official mark for different purposes.

Commencement Information

11 Reg. 12 in force at 26.2.2016, see [reg. 1](#)

Changes to legislation:

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- Regulations modified by [S.I. 2016/220 art. 4\(4\)Sch. 2](#)
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Whole provisions yet to be inserted into this Instrument (including any effects on those provisions):

- Sch. 1 para. 4(1)(ca) inserted by [S.I. 2016/636 reg. 3\(2\)\(a\)](#)