

The South Lanarkshire Local Government Area (Electoral Arrangements) Direction 1994

The Secretary of State, in exercise of the powers conferred on him by paragraph 1(1) of Schedule 2 to the Local Government etc. (Scotland) Act 1994(a) and all other powers enabling him in that behalf, and after carrying out such consultation as he considers appropriate, hereby makes the following Direction:

Citation and commencement

1. This Direction may be cited as the South Lanarkshire Local Government Area (Electoral Arrangements) Direction 1994 and shall come into force on 11th November 1994.

Interpretation

2. In this Direction—

“electoral division” means a division of Strathclyde Region as constituted by the Strathclyde Region (Electoral Arrangements) Order 1993(b);

“polling district” means a polling district for Strathclyde Regional Council elections as at 3rd November 1994;

(a) 1994 c. 39.

(b) S.I. 1993/2439.

“Clydesdale Report” means the report of the Local Government Boundary Commission for Scotland to the Secretary of State for Scotland on its second statutory review of electoral arrangements for Clydesdale District dated 28th June 1994;

“East Kilbride Report” means the report of the Local Government Boundary Commission for Scotland to the Secretary of State for Scotland on its second statutory review of electoral arrangements for East Kilbride District dated 28th June 1994(a);

“Hamilton Report” means the report of the Local Government Boundary Commission for Scotland to the Secretary of State for Scotland on its second statutory review of electoral arrangements for Hamilton District dated 21st September 1994.

Specification of Wards

3. For the purpose of any election of councillors held before the relevant year of election, the South Lanarkshire local government area shall be divided into 74 electoral wards being—

- (a) the sixteen proposed wards described (subject to the amendments set out at paragraph 1 of Schedule 1 to this Direction) in the Clydesdale Report;
- (b) the twenty proposed wards described (subject to the amendments set out at paragraph 2 of Schedule 1 to this Direction) in the East Kilbride Report with those electoral wards being numbered wards 17 to 36 respectively in place of the numbering of the proposed wards in the East Kilbride Report;
- (c) the twenty five proposed wards described in the Hamilton Report with those electoral wards being numbered wards 37 to 61 respectively in place of the numbering of the proposed wards in the Hamilton Report; and

(a) Copies of the reports referred to in this Direction are available from the Local Government Boundary Commission for Scotland by applying to the Secretary, New St Andrew's House, Edinburgh, EH1 3TG.

- (d) the thirteen electoral wards having the names, numbers and boundaries set out in Schedule 2 to this Direction.



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St Andrew's House
Edinburgh
8th November 1994

SCHEDULE 1

Paragraph 3(a) and (b)

1. For the purposes of this Direction, the description of wards referred to in the Clydesdale Report is amended as follows:—

- (a) in district ward 6 (Biggar), before the word “northwestward” where it secondly occurs, insert the word “and”;
- (b) in district ward 7 (Duneaton), for the word “southeastward” where it firstly occurs, substitute the word “southwestward”; and
- (c) in district ward 12 (Carluke/Whitehill), for the word “Thorn” substitute the word “Thornhill”.

2. For the purposes of this Direction, the description of wards referred to in the East Kilbride Report is amended as follows:—

- (a) in district ward 14 (Greenhills), after the words “southwestward along” insert the word “the”;
- (b) in district ward 16 (Hairmyres) after the words “and northward along” insert the word “the”;
- (c) in district ward 18 (Lindsay) after the words “then southwestward along” where they secondly occur, insert the word “the”; and
- (d) in district ward 19 (Avondale North)—
 - (i) for the words “along said road to junction” substitute the words “along the said road to a junction”; and

- (ii) after the words "along the said road to" where they fourthly occur, insert the word "a".

SCHEDULE 2

Paragraph 3(d)

Electoral Ward 62: Rutherglen West

Polling districts RU 03 and RU 04.

Electoral Ward 63: Stonelaw

Polling district RU 08.

Electoral Ward 64: Bankhead

Polling district RU 09.

Electoral Ward 65: Spittal/Blairbeth

Polling districts RU 18 and RU 19.

Electoral Ward 66: Burgh

Polling districts RU 06, RU 07, RU 93 and CE36.

Electoral Ward 67: Cairns

Polling district RU 37.

Electoral Ward 68: Hallside

Polling districts RU 35 and RU 36.

Electoral Ward 69: Cambuslang Central

Polling districts RU 28, RU 34 and RU 38.

Electoral Ward 70: Cathkin/Springhall

Polling districts RU 21 and RU 22 and that part of polling district RU¹⁵~~13~~ lying within electoral division 37 (Rutherglen/Fernhill).

Electoral Ward 71: Burnside

Polling districts RU 30 and RU 94.

Electoral Ward 72: Fernhill

Polling district RU 20 and that part of polling district RU¹³~~15~~ lying within electoral division 37 (Rutherglen/Fernhill).

Electoral Ward 73: Kirkhill/Whitelawburn

Polling districts RU 31 and RU 32.

Electoral Ward 74: Eastfield

Polling districts RU 26, RU 27, RU 29 and RU 91.