

THE TWO VERSIONS OF THE REGISTER

The electoral registration officer makes and keeps two versions of the electoral register - the full register and the edited register.

The full register

The full register lists everyone who is entitled to vote. You can check it by calling at the Salford Civic Centre, Chorley Road, Swinton or at Salford Information Centre, Broadwalk Library, Broadwalk, Salford. Only certain people and organisations can have copies of the full register, and they can only use it for specified purposes. These include electoral purposes, the prevention and detection of crime and checking your identity when you have applied for credit. The law says who can have a copy of the full register and what they can use it for. The full list of such persons and purposes is given in the Representation of the People (England and Wales) (Amendment) Regulations 2002. It is a criminal offence for them to pass it on to anyone else or to use it for any other purpose.

The edited register

The edited register leaves out the names and addresses of people who have asked for them to be excluded from that version of the register. The edited register can be bought by anyone who asks for a copy and they may use it for any purpose.

Elector Registration Form (form "B")

Each person applying must complete a separate form. If more forms are needed, please photocopy this one or ask the Electoral Registration Officer for more. Please complete this form using **CAPITAL LETTERS**

1. About you

Surname (family name)

Other names (in full)

Citizenship - I am a citizen of

If you are a citizen of other Member States of the European Union (other than British or Irish) please state which country

Age (please tick box)

18 or over 70 or over

If you are 16 or 17 please give your date of birth -

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If you are 68 or 69 please give you date of birth -

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If you are a merchant seaman please tick this box If you do not wish your name to appear on the Edited Register please tick this box (see notes overleaf)

I APPLY to be registered at the following address, which is where I now live

2. Your present address

Post Code:

I used to live at the following address but no longer live there:

3. Your old address (if you moved within the last 12 months)

Post Code:

If you know it, please give the name of the Council for your old address:

We will let your previous Electoral Registration Officer know that you have moved so that your name can be taken off that Register.

4. Your signature

Each person has to sign his or her own form. If it is not signed, the form will be sent back to you. It is an offence to make a false statement on this form; the maximum fine is £1,000.

As far as I know, the details on this form are true and correct. I am a British, Commonwealth, Irish or citizen of another Member State of the European Union.

Signed:

Date:

In case there is something in this form which is not clear, it would be helpful to have your daytime telephone number and /or e-mail address. You do not have to give this information if you do not wish to.

Daytime 'phone number:

e-mail address:

5. Please return to:

The Electoral Registration Officer, Elections Office,
Salford Civic Centre, Swinton, M27 5DA.

Helpline: Contact number 0161 793 3195