

East Devon District Council

Application to be registered as electors - ER3

Please use **BLACK INK** and **BLOCK CAPITALS**. If you need help filling in this form, please telephone 01395 517402.

1 Current Address
Daytime Telephone Number / Email

2 Previous Address
Please give previous address where you were last registered as an elector
Date of move to your current address:
Please give name (if known) of your previous Council:

3 Names to be added to the current Register.										
1. Add the names of those resident at your address who wish to register and complete the other columns as applicable. 2. EACH PERSON LISTED MUST SIGN OPPOSITE HIS OR HER NAME IN THE SIGNATURE COLUMN . Without their signature, they cannot be added to the Register.			Nationality State nationality if not British or Irish	16 & 17 Year Olds Enter date of birth of anyone aged 16 or 17 years			Postal Vote Request an application form by entering an "✓" below For a Proxy form, please telephone helpline 01395 517402	Jury Service Enter a ✓ if you are 70 years or over on 01/12/2008	Edited Register (For Sale) Enter a ✓ if you do not wish to appear on the Edited Register	Signature As far as I know, the details on this form are true and accurate. I am a British, Commonwealth, Irish or other European citizen.
Title	Surname	First Forename & Initial		dd	mm	Yy				

4 Reason for remaining on a previous register (See Notes)

5 Date of Application

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6 Please return to: Electoral Services, East Devon District Council, Knowle, Sidmouth, EX10 8HL
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Notes on how to complete this form

- ❶ If the address is pre-printed, please check this is correct and make any changes where necessary. If this section is blank, please enter your current address.
- ❷ Please enter your previous address and date of move. We will tell the Electoral Registration Officer for your old address that you have moved so that your name(s) can be removed from that register. People who live at two homes (including students) are allowed to register at both. If you do not want to be removed from your other address please explain why in Part ❹.
- ❸ Add the name(s) of the eligible persons resident at this address. In order to be included in the Register a person must :-
 - (a) be resident at a qualifying address in the area;
 - (b) be a British or Commonwealth Citizen, a Citizen of the Republic of Ireland or of another Member state of the European Union;
 - (c) not subject to any legal incapacity to vote (age apart);
 - (d) be aged 18 years or over before 1st December 2009;
 - (e) or have made a Service Declaration, Declaration of Local Connection or Overseas Declaration. These electors can register by a separate application.

The eligible **European Union** states are:

Austria, Belgium, Bulgaria, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Italy, Ireland, Latvia, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden and The Netherlands,

If you are aged **16 or 17 years** please enter your Date of Birth.

Jury Service - if you are aged 70 years or over please put a ✓ in the appropriate column opposite your name.

If you do not wish your name to appear in the **Edited Register (For Sale)** please put a ✓ in the Edited Register box opposite your name.

The Electoral Registration Officer makes and keeps two versions of the electoral register - the **full register** and the **edited register**.

The **full register** lists everyone who is entitled to vote. You can check it by calling at the Council Offices, Sidmouth or at the Town Council Offices, Exmouth. Only certain people and organisations can have copies of the full register, and they can only use it for specified purposes. The main use of the full register is for elections

and referendums, but it can also be used for other purposes such as the prevention and detection of crime and for checking your identity if you apply for credit. Details of others who can have copies of the full register and what they can use it for are given in the Representation of the People (England and Wales) (Amendment) Regulations 2002 (SI 2002 No.1871). It is a criminal offence not to comply with the regulations. For example, it is a criminal offence either to pass the full register on to anyone or to use it for any purpose, except as allowed by the regulations. These regulations are available on the internet at www.legislation.hmso.gov.uk/stat.htm or you can buy a copy from The Stationery Office Ltd.

The **edited register** leaves out the names and addresses of people who have asked 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.

If you would like a **Postal Vote** please tick the appropriate box overleaf.

All persons listed **MUST SIGN** opposite his or her name. Anyone who does not sign the form cannot be added to the Register.

- ❹ Please give your reason for your name remaining on a previous register.
- ❺ Please date the application.
- ❻ Please return this form to the address shown below.

If we get the form before...	The details will be changed on ...
Friday, 6 February 2009	Monday, 2 March 2009
Tuesday, 10 March 2009	Wednesday, 1 April 2009
Tuesday, 7 April 2009	Friday, 1 May 2009
Friday, 8 May 2009	Monday, 1 June 2009
Tuesday, 9 June 2009	Wednesday, 1 July 2009
Friday, 10 July 2009	Monday, 3 August 2009
Monday, 10 August 2009	Tuesday, 1 September 2009

There are no monthly updates during September, October or November during the annual canvass period when all households have to register. A new Register is published on 1 December each year.

How to get in touch with us:

Electoral Services East Devon District Council Knowle Sidmouth EX10 8HL	Helpline: 01395 517402 e-mail: electoralservices@eastdevon.gov.uk Website: www.eastdevon.gov.uk
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