

DECLARATION OF RESULT OF POLL

Durham County

Election of a Member of Parliament for Easington

on Thursday 7 May 2015

I, Colette Longbottom, being the Acting Returning Officer at the above election, do hereby give notice that the number of votes recorded for each Candidate at the said election is as follows:

Name of Candidate	Description (if any)	Number of Votes*
ARMSTRONG, Luke Christopher	Liberal Democrats - Stronger Economy Fairer Society	834
ARNOTT, Jonathan William	UK Independence Party (UKIP)	6491
COLBORN, Steven Paul	The Socialist Party of Great Britain	146
HAMPSHEIR, Christopher David	The Conservative Party Candidate	4478
MCDONNELL, Susan	The North East Party	810
MORRIS, Grahame Mark	Labour Party	21,132 Elected
WARIN, Martin George	Green Party	733

* If elected the word 'Elected' appears against the number of votes.

The number of ballot papers rejected was as follows:	Number of ballot papers
A want of an official mark	0
B voting for more Candidates than voter was entitled to	14
C writing or mark by which voter could be identified	0
D being unmarked or wholly void for uncertainty	39
E rejected in part	0
Total	53

Vacant Seats: 1

Electorate: 61,659

Ballot Papers Issued: 34,667

Turnout: 56.24%

And I do hereby declare that **GRAHAME MARK MORRIS**

is duly elected.

Dated Friday 8 May 2015

Colette Longbottom
Returning Officer