

THE ROYAL BOROUGH OF KENSINGTON AND CHELSEA

LOCAL GOVERNMENT ACT 1972 (Section 87 (2))

NOTICE OF CASUAL VACANCY LOCAL GOVERNMENT COUNCILLOR FOR DALGARNO WARD

1. CASUAL VACANCY

A Casual Vacancy has arisen for a Councillor for Dalgarno Ward due to the resignation of Councillor Robert Thompson.

A casual vacancy is usually filled by means of a by-election to elect a new member to fill the vacant seats on the council.

2. REQUESTING A BY-ELECTION

A by-election is only triggered by local government electors requesting a by-election to take place. This requires two local government electors within a principal local authority (not just from the ward) giving notice to the proper officer of the authority.

3. DISCRETION ON HOLDING A BY-ELECTION

Once the requests from the electors are received the polling day for the by-election must be set at the Returning Officer's discretion for within 35 working days of the date of receipt of the requests. There is no time limit for receipt of the requests, but, if requests are not received, the seat will remain vacant until the seat would normally be up for election.

All requests for a By-Election regarding this Casual Vacancy must be sent to The Returning Officer, The Town Hall, Hornton Street, London W8 7NX.

Dated 1st February 2019

BARRY QUIRK
Returning Officer

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