

NOMINATION FORM

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Initials of person receiving paper
Candidate's Contact Number

CAIRNGORMS NATIONAL PARK AUTHORITY ELECTION

19TH MARCH 2015

Election of a Member

For Ward Number 3 of

The Cairngorms National Park Authority

NOMINATION OF

In accordance with Rule 11 (1) of Part II of the Cairngorms National Park Elections (Scotland) Order 2003 the place fixed by the Returning Officer for the receipt of duly completed **Nomination Papers for Ward 3, which must be lodged not later than 4.00pm on Wednesday 11th February 2015,**

is with

Liz Cowie,
Depute Returning Officer,
Council Offices,
Ruthven Road,
Kingussie

ELECTION OF A MEMBER for the Number 3 (Three) Ward of the Cairngorms National Park Authority.

We, the undersigned, being local government electors for electoral ward number 3 (three), do hereby nominate the under-mentioned person as a candidate at this election.

Candidate's Surname	Candidate's Forenames	Address

We hereby declare to the best of our knowledge, information and belief that:-

- (a) the said*has attained the age of 21 years and is not subject to any legal incapacity; and
- (b) the said *is not disqualified for being nominated as a candidate for election as a Member by reason of any of the disqualifications set forth in Section 7 of the **Cairngorms National Park Elections (Scotland) Order 2003**, a copy of which section is printed on the back of this form.

* here insert the name of the candidate.

Signatures	Electoral Number	Address as in Register of Electors
Proposer		
Secunder		
We, the undersigned, being electors for ward three, do hereby assent to the foregoing nomination.		
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Candidate's Statement of Consent and Declaration

I, the nominee for election, consent to being nominated as a candidate and, if elected, accept office as a Member of the Cairngorms National Park Authority. I declare that, if elected, I shall faithfully perform the duties of the office.

I declare that I have attained the age of 21 years and that I am not subject to any legal incapacity; and, that I am not disqualified for being nominated as a candidate for election as a Member by reason of any of the disqualifications set forth in Section 7 of the Cairngorms National Park Elections (Scotland) Order 2003, a copy of which section is printed on the back of this form.

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(Signature of Candidate)

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(Date)

NOTES:

- Note 1 - The attention of candidates and electors is drawn to the rules for filling up nomination papers and other provisions relating to nominations in the Cairngorms National Park Elections (Scotland) Order 2003.
- Note 2 - Candidates should note that the name appearing on this nomination paper as the Candidate is the name that will appear on the ballot paper. Candidates who are more commonly known by some other name, or an abbreviation of their name should specify the form of their name as they want it to appear on the ballot paper by writing, where it says Candidate's name i.e. 'Robert (commonly known as Bob)'.
- Note 3 - A person's electoral number is given in the Electoral Register compiled for the purposes of these elections by the Electoral Registration Officer, Moray House, 16-18 Bank Street, Inverness IV1 1QY. Copies of the Register are available at each of the offices detailed on the front page of this form.
- Note 4 - An elector may not subscribe more than one nomination paper in respect of the same electoral ward.
- Note 5 - A person whose name is entered in the register of electors may not subscribe a nomination paper if the entry gives as the date on which she/he will become of voting age a date later than the day fixed for the poll.

Section 7 of the Cairngorms National Park Elections (Scotland) Order 2003

Disqualifications for nomination, election and holding office as a Member

7. (1) Subject to paragraphs (2) and (3) below, a person shall be disqualified –
- (a) from being nominated as a candidate for election as, or from being elected , or from being, an elected Member if –
 - (i) he or she holds any paid office or employment or other place of profit in the gift or disposal of the Authority;
 - (ii) he or she is a person whose estate has been sequestrated or who has been adjudged bankrupt or has made an arrangement with creditors or has granted a trust deed for creditors or a composition contract;
 - (iii) he or she has, within five years before the day of nomination, or of election or since his or her election, as the case may be, been convicted in the United Kingdom, the Channel Islands, the Isle of Man or the Irish Republic of any offence and has had passed on him or her a sentence of imprisonment (whether suspended or not) for a period of not less than three months without the option of a fine;
 - (iv) he or she is disqualified from being elected under Part III of the Representation of the People Act 1983; or
 - (v) he or she is incapacitated by physical or mental illness from discharging the functions of a Member;
 - (b) from being an elected Member if he or she has been absent from meetings of the Authority for a period longer than three consecutive months without the permission of the Authority.
- (2) Where a person is disqualified under paragraph (1) above by reason of his or her estate having been sequestrated, the disqualification shall cease if and when –
- (a) the sequestration of his or her estate is recalled or reduced; or
 - (b) he or she is discharged under or by virtue of the Bankruptcy (Scotland) Act 1985.
- (3) Where the person is disqualified under paragraph (1) above by reason of having been adjudged bankrupt, then –
- (a) if the bankruptcy is annulled on the ground that he or she ought not to have been adjudged bankrupt or on the ground that his or her debts have been paid in full, the disqualification shall cease on the date of the annulment;
 - (b) if he or she is discharged with a certificate that the bankruptcy was caused by misfortune without any misconduct on his or her part, the disqualification shall cease on the date of his or her discharge; or
 - (c) if he or she is discharged, without such a certificate, his or her disqualification shall cease on the expiration of five years from the date of his or her discharge.